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We've covered a lot of territory in the last two months and visited with hundreds of Missouri alumni. Our first stop was in San Antonio where twenty-five Missourians gathered at the Gunter Hotel April 12 for a fine meeting. The folks down there have decided to hold at least two meetings each year, one at Commencement time and the other around Thanksgiving. Eugene W. Staph is the new president of the San Antonio group. S. W. Sylvester is vice-president and Morris Penner, secretary.

On April 18 we were up in Detroit to be on hand for the organization of what is now the Greater Detroit Alumni Association. The alumni there are also planning for two gatherings each year. Lafe Allen was elected president; Mrs. Don Scobie, vice-president; and Mrs. William Hudson, secretary-treasurer. They hope to send a delegation down to Pittsburgh next October for the Tiger-Pitt Panther football game.

An All-Kansas Missouri Alumni Association was the result of our meeting over in Wichita May 3. Leo Allman of the University of Wichita journalism faculty served as chairman of the session. Officers elected were: President, Bob Lindsey, who is with a local insurance company; vice-president, Mr. Allman; and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Herbert Hollister.

A few days later, on May 6, we were in Louisville, Ky., where a greater Kentucky association was formed with plans calling for two general meetings a year. Joe Everhart presided and was elected president. Paul J. Hughes, Louisville newspaperman, is the new secretary-treasurer.

On May 9 the alumni living in and near Enid, Okla., held a dandy meeting at the Youngblood Hotel under the able direction of C. S. Marsh, who presided and introduced Charlie Born, the toastmaster. Judge William E. Crowe introduced everybody at the dinner. The judge, by the way, has just been elected grand commander of the Oklahoma Knights Templar. We were introduced by Nathan Scarritt. Officers chosen were: President, Bob Suits; vice-president, Milton Garber;

and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Robert Hugh Bawbell.

The next night we were in Tulsa for a lively session presided over by Joe Whitlow. A nominating committee headed by Wallace Easter proposed the following ticket which was adopted: President, Roscoe Harper; first vice-president, Ella Wyatt Davis; second vice-president, Ed Thornton, who has just finished a term as president of the Tulsa Chamber of Commerce; secretary, Miss Irma Smith; treasurer, the Rev. Eckles; publicity chairman, Bert Gilliam. The chairman of the organizing committee was Mrs. J. Denny Estes.

That week's grand tour ended Saturday, May 11, with a luncheon meeting of alumni at the Dallas Athletic Club. Homer Mitchell, president, was out of town at the beginning of the festivities and Vice-President Paul Carrington presided. But Mr. Mitchell got there after a wild dash from Oklahoma City where he had been attending a Boy Scout regional meeting and where he was chosen chairman of the organization. The Dallas alumni are also planning to put their meetings on a twice-a-year basis with one in the spring and another in the fall. Allen Oliver, Jr., was elected president of the association with Mrs. Henry Jacoby as vice-president and Vaughn Bryant, secretary-treasurer.

A Greater Iowa Association got underway at our meeting in Des Moines, May 16. John Marston, promotion manager of the Register & Tribune, was chosen president; John Adams, secretary; and Russ Vifquain, stationed over in Ames, vice-president. The folks up there have plans started for a meeting of all Missouri alumni in the near future.

While all these out-state meetings were going on, the alumni living in Missouri were not idle. District meetings and similar gatherings were held in Trenton, Moberly, Warrenton, Clinton, Slater, Washington, Lamar, Carthage, Neosho, Bonne Terre, Springfield, Poplar Bluff, and Unionville. All in all, the boys and girls from the University of Missouri have really

stepped out recently and have done themselves proud, as well as accomplishing an admirable job of public relations for the University. Our thanks to each and everyone of them.

We've just about reached the age where we'd rather not have the so-called good time than to get over it the next morning. That period of life is also approaching us when we believe anything and everything nice the toastmaster says about us, whether it's true or not.

Boone County's pre-eminent product, good old country ham, has run into some stiff competition recently with the appearance of fine, boneless turkey steaks. The latter are from the Clark Brothers turkey farm down in the river bottoms near McBaine. It takes a gourmet to appreciate such a delicacy. At the journalism alumni lunchcon early this month, H. R. Long, publisher of the Crane (Mo.) Chronicle, nibbled at his steak for a minute and then said: "This is just about the best fresh pork I've ever tasted." We were all set to call his hand by telling him he didn't know a good veal cutlet when he saw it. Just about that time the presiding officer, Jack Young, announced that it was turkey. So we just nodded with a knowing look.

Desk Notes: Dr. Leslie B. Hohman of Johns Hopkins has written an intelligent, practical book on child psychology, "As the Twig Is Bent," a copy of which reached us last month... Did you know that H. L. Andrews is vice-president of General Electric Company and head of the appliance and merchandise department? ... Also that A. J. McKenzie, down in San Antonio, is building the third largest dam in the world? ... Prof. George Venable and his fine Cadet Band presented their annual spring concert in Jesse Auditorium last month.

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New England Alumni Hold "Line" Party

BOSTON, May, 1940. — Miss Jane Froman, one of the quartet of stars in "Keep Off the Grass," the new Shubert mustcal which had its world premiere April 30 at the Shubert Theater, Boston, before moving on to Broadway, New York, greeted twenty-nine Missourians in her dressing room after Friday night's (May 10) performance. The Mizzon rooters reserved a block of seats in the first balcony.

Miss Froman, Class of 1928, was the guest of the University of Missouri Alumni Association of New England at an informal after-theater supper party at the Hotel Touraine Cafe Royal. It was the first gathering of local Missourians in three years, and was a successful "line" party.

Reservations were made by the following Missouri alumni, some of whom brought wives, husbands, and other guests: Dr. M. Fletcher Eades, A.B. '20, member of the Harvard Medical School faculty and prominent Boston obstetrician, and Mrs. Eades, of Newtonville, Dr. Eades is president of the New England alumni.

Claude B. Cross, A.B. '14, A.M. '15, Boston attorney of the law firm of Withington, Cross, Proctor & Park, and Mrs. Cross, of Brookline, Mr. Cross was formerly president of the alumni group.

John P. Kobrock, B.S. in E.E. '11, engineer, special assignments, and building plant supervisor, New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, of Newtonville.

D. P. Sturges, E.E. '16, Cities Service Refining Company, East Braintree.

Henry W. Benton, Jr., A.B. '26, director of athletics, Monson (Mass.) Academy, and Mrs. Benton,

Mrs. Frederick H. Hunter (Helen A. Sewall), A.B. '04, A.M. '05, of West Roxbury, who brought her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Hunter, Western Reserve University graduate now studying at Boston University School of Religious and Social Work, of West Roxbury.

John D. Patterson, A.B. '39, first-year student at Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration; John M. Dry, A.B. '29, attorney with the Boston law firm of Kutter, McClennon & Fish, of Cambridge; Lieut. Miles Howlett Thompson, B.S. in Eng. '35, and Cornelius W. Kruse, B.S. in C.B. '34, (Mo. School of Mines), both now attending Harvard Graduate School of Engineering.

Joseph P. Ramsay, A.B. '37, son of Prof. and Mrs. Robert L. Ramsay, and his wife, the former Betty Bright, who also attended M. U.; Dulany Mahan, Jr., A.B. '35, and William P. Salisbury, B.S. '37; John Martin Cave, A.B. '38, and George C. Miller, A.B. '39. Ramsay, Mahan,



and Salisbury are third-year students at Harvard Law School, where Cave is second year and Miller is first year.

William L. Tisdel, A.B., B.J. '23, Boston Globe reporter and pictorial photographer, and his wife, Mrs. Florence Whitter Tisdel, B.J. '22, of Auburndale. Mrs. Tisdel has been secretary-treasurer of the University of Missouri Alumni Association of New England since its revival in 1931.

Los Angeles Alumni

Dear Bob:

For our April 15 meeting we had dinner and a program in the Green Room of the Chancellor Hotel, 3191 West Seventh Street, Los Angeles. As a "come-on" we aunounced "yellow cornbread, Kansas City steaks, and strawherry shoricake" and brought together thirty nine people, alumni and their guests.

We warmed up with the singing of "Old Missourl" and a couple of other M. U. songs. Chester Yaeger, formerly an M. U. professor, now teaching mathematics at Pomona College, addressed us on some of the practical aspects of mathematics. His wife, Elfrieda Yaeger, gave some humorous and Inspiring readings, among them a very fine selection from "God's Trombone," On the side, Claster Yaeger played "Yankee Doode," with a lead penell, on his jaw, at the request of one of his classmates.

Dr. Elmer Ellis, member of the M. U. history department faculty now on leave with a Guggenheim fellowship and doing research in California, attended. Mention was made of the fact that Jim Ragland, winner of a scholarship in California, chose M. U. as the University where he wished to make use of his scholarship. Douglas Lovelace brought his new bride, Doyne Stewart Lovelace, who was an Alpha Phi at M. U.

Those attending the party were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry I. Shaefer of Long Beach: Mr. and Mrs. Churchill L. McCrary, Huntington Park; Laura Magruder, Burbank; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gall; Alma Kinkade; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Indermark, Fullerton; Mr. and Mrs. Chester G. Yaeger, Claremont; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Lovelnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Parker, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Elvins, Oscar E. Houston, Long Beach; Neva Cornelius, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McKim, Huntington Park; Lillian Funk Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Don A. Wren, Dr. and Mrs. Elmer Ellis of Columbia,

Frank G. Hobart, Gatton Hulett, Mrs V. Figge, Anne O. Perkins and guests; Virginia Divver, Madeleine V. Bertoglio, Mollie Whiteside, and Jim Ragland.

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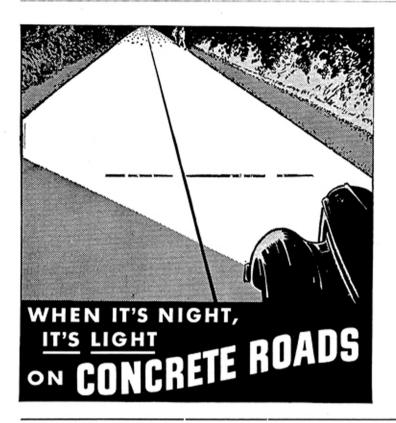
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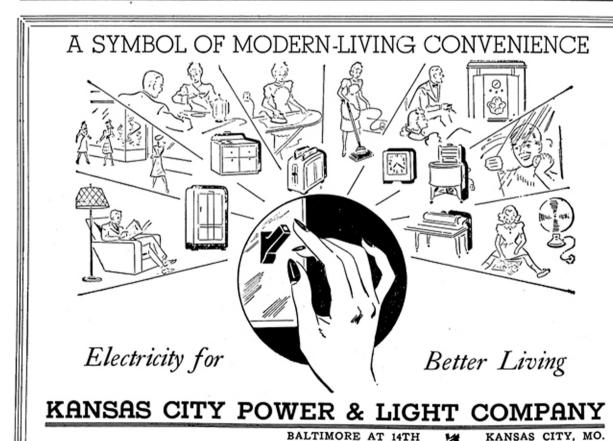
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The 98th Commencement, June 2-4

Golden anniversary reunion of the Class of 1890, biennial election of Alumni Association officers will feature exercises.

On June 4, the Class of 1940 which may be the largest in the University's history will assemble in Jesse Hall and march past the Columns in cap and gown, past Memorial Tower, to Brewer Field House for the ninety-eighth annual Commencement exercises.

More than 1000 seniors are candidates for degrees next month but the exact number to receive diplomas will not be known until shortly before the exercises.

It will be a busy time in Columbia with a host of activities packing the three-day program. As in past years the graduating class of fifty years ago will assemble for a golden anniversary reunion. This year, the Class of 1890 will hold a reunion meeting on the campus the morning of Monday, June 3, to be followed by an informal

luncheon for members of the class, their families, guests, and friends in the Colonial Room of the Tiger Hotel at noon. S. F. Conley, vice-president of the Boone County Trust Company in Columbia, is acting as local chairman on arrangements and has supervised the mailing of announcements and invitations during the past six weeks.

Also important on the Commencement program are meetings of the officers and board of directors of the alumni corporation and the district chairmen of the state alumni association on June 3. The officers and board will hold a luncheon meeting in the Tiger Hotel while the district chairmen will hold a similar session in the Daniel Boone Hotel. The latter group will serve as a nominating committee to propose new officers for the corporation during the next two years.

The biennial meeting of the corporation, open to all members of the alumni association, will be held at 2:15 that afternoon and at this time the election of officers will be held.

At Baccalaureate services on Sunday, June 2, in Brewer Field House, the sermon will be delivered by the Rt. Rev. Robert Nelson Spencer, bishop of the diocese of west Missouri of the Episcopal Church, Kansas City.

A graduate of the University, Dr. Chester Ray Longwell, professor of geology in Yale University, will deliver the Commencement address on Tuesday. Dr. Longwell received both his A.B. and A.M. degrees from Missouri in 1915 and 1916, taking his Ph.D. at Yale in 1920, where he served first as associate professor of geology. He was awarded a full professorship in 1929.

PROGRAM

SUNDAY, JUNE 2

11:00 a.m.—Baccalaureate sermon in Brewer Field House. The Rt. Rev. Robert Nelson Spencer, bishop of the diocese of west Missouri of the Episcopal Church, Kansas City.

MONDAY, JUNE 3 (Class and Alumni Day)

- 8:15 a.m.-Pi Lambda Theta breakfast.
- 9:00 a.m.—Separate breakfasts for alumni and active members of QEBH, Mystical Seven, and Mortar Board.
- 10:00 a.m.—Fiftieth Anniversary Reunion of the Class of 1890. Room 114, Jesse Hall.
- 10:00 a.m.—Election of permanent officers of the Class of 1940. Class Day exercises, Jesse Hall and campus.
- 12:15 p. m.—Luncheon, Class of 1890 and their families and friends. Colonial Room, Tiger Hotel.
- 12:15 p.m.—Luncheon, District Chairmen of the Alumni Association, Daniel Boone Hotel.
- 12:15 p.m.—Luncheon, officers and board of directors of the Alumni Association, Tiger Hotel.
- 12:30 p.m.—Phi Beta Kappa—Sigma Xi luncheon. Tiger Hotel.
- 2:15 p.m.—Biennial meeting of the Alumni Association.

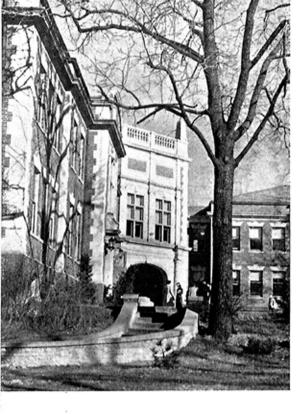
 Election of officers. Tiger Hotel.
- 8:30 p.m.—Annual Commencement reception by Curators, President, and faculty to visiting guests, alumni, parents of students, graduates and their friends. Band concert. Read Hall.



Dr. CHESTER R. LONGWELL TUESDAY, JUNE 4

9:00 a.m.-The Academic Procession.

10:00 a.m.—Commencement exercises at Brewer Field House, Speaker, Dr. Chester Ray Longwell, professor of geology, Yale University.



Two dormitories and a bio-chemistry laboratory, completed this month, are latest additions in the University's two and one-half million dollar

Building Program

Journalism Tower with Jay H. Neff Hall in foreground and a section of the new Walter Williams Hall in the background.

W ITH THE COMPLETION this month of dormitories for men and women and the new Bio-Chemistry Building on the White Campus, the University will have spent more than two and one-half million dollars in the past few years to construct or remodel twenty buildings.

The residence halls will be open for occupancy at the beginning of the fall term next September. Applications for living facilities in Defoe Hall for Men and in the University Residence Halls for Women are now being accepted by school officials. Application blanks along with folders giving detailed information about the halls may be obtained in the office of the Director of Student Affairs for Women, Room 202, Read Hall, and for men at the Student Loan Office, Room 16, Jesse Hall.

In announcing that applications were now being accepted, the University called attention to the fact that since the school is attempting to give cost basis living and adequate surroundings, needy undergraduate men and women who are residents of Missouri will be given first consideration in assignments in the two halls.

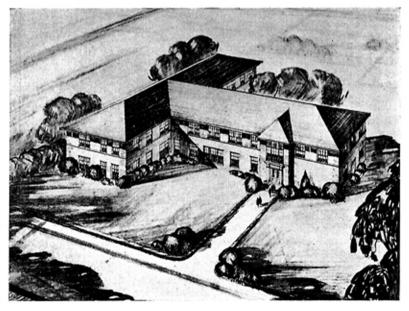
The dormitory for women, located on Hitt Street between Read Hall and the Memorial Tower, is organized into two separate units, each having its own program of government, social and student activities, under the direction of a head resident. Each unit contains a separate kitchen, dining room, and recreation rooms.

The north wing of the building, designated as Unit A, will accommodate eighty-eight girls and will be operated on a co-operative basis at a minimum cost for each student. Girls living in this unit will do their own housekeeping, including the preparation and serving of meals. Students who are receiving federal or state aid will receive preference in applying for Unit A accommodations.

Unit B, the east wing of the building, will accommodate seventy-two girls. Household duties in this section will be done by an employed staff. It is estimated that the per-month cost for each girl in this unit will be from \$32 to \$35, depending upon the type of room selected. In the co-operative unit, the cost will be in the neighborhood of \$22 per month. All of the residence halls will employ student help as far as possible.

In Defoe Hall for men, located on Hillcrest Avenue south of Rothwell

(Below) Eckles Hall, the new dairy building



Gym, the dining rooms are to be furnished with small tables accommodating six men each. Silver and china is in keeping with a home-like atmosphere.

All rooms are for two students and each room will have complete double equipment furnished. This includes individual closets, dressers, study tables, desk chairs, desk lights, single bed, and a lounge chair. Each student will be provided with two warm woolen blankets, a pillow, linen for the bed, and a mattress pad. Furnishing bed clothing is a new departure from usual dormitory practice. The cost of laundering the linens is included in the room price. Rates for room and board for men will be \$26 per month, or \$100 a semester.

Curtains and matched bed coverings will also be furnished for each room. Extra bedding, desk blotters, drinking glass, and soap dish are not included in the rooms and must be provided by the individual student. Equipment in both dormitories for men and women is similar.

Care has been taken to make the reception rooms in each unit of the Women's Residence Hall as cheerful and home-like as possible. Each parlor has a large fireplace which adds to the effectiveness of the setting. Adjoining each parlor is a kitchenette which makes serving at teas and receptions possible.

There is a play room in each unit for the exclusive use of the residents. The kitchenettes adjoining these rooms lend themselves readily to the preparation of informal suppers or snacks. Launderies are provided on each floor for the use of students.

All of the residence halls are to be managed by a director who is a trained dietitian. The director will plan all meals to furnish a well-balanced and interesting diet, and will also be in complete charge of housekeeping and maintenance. In each of the units of the Women's Residence Hall and also in Defoe Hall for Men there will be a head resident who will serve as hostess and adviser to the students in her particular unit.

The third building completed on the campus this month is the \$145,000 Bio-Chemistry Laboratory building erected on the White Campus just west of Schlundt Hall. It will be one of the best equipped buildings in the United States for work in genetics. The building also represents the first instance in which the outstanding work of a member of the University faculty has been recognized by one of the large foundations.

Funds for construction of the laboratory were furnished in part by the Rockefeller Foundation and part by the PWA. The grant came in connec-



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tion with the work of Dr. Lewis J. Stadler, professor of field crops, and his associates in the field of genetics. W. C. Curtis, dean of the College of Arts and Science, who together with others negotiated for the grant from the foundation and the PWA, said that this is the first grant the foundation has given for a building of this type in the United States in many years.

The building, connected to Schlundt Hall by an arch, is constructed of white limestone to conform with the other buildings on the campus. It will contain no class rooms since its space is devoted entirely to laboratory work, including several rooms for federal geneticists.

The original grant is for a fully equipped building consisting of rooms for ultra-violet and x-ray work, a constant temperature room for the raising of flies to be used in work in genetics, and a refrigerator cabinet. Two hot houses connected directly with the building furnish ample room

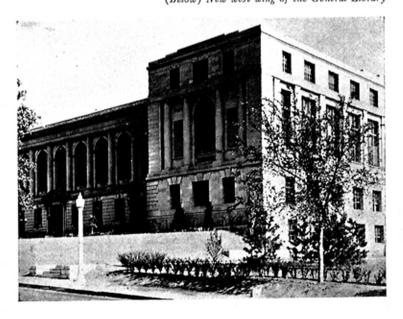
for the geneticists to watch their experiments on growing plants. Another unique feature is the fact that the onestory roof back of the building can be flooded with water to help maintain an even and cool temperature within.

In past years the Rockefeller Foundation has granted Dr. Stadler and his associates sums of money ranging from \$20,000 to \$25,000 for research work. These funds will continue in addition to the large building grant.

Heads St. Louis Firm

Royall H. Switzler, graduate of the University, was named president and general manager of the St. Louis Refrigerating and Cold Storage Company by the board of directors of the company on April 16. He succeeds the late Robert McK. Jones. Mr. Switzler has been serving as executive vice-president and general manager. He received A.B. and A.M. degrees from the University in 1898.

(Below) New west wing of the General Library



Walter Stewart Heads Rockefeller Foundation

Dr. Walter W. Stewart, graduate of the University, was named chairman and member of the board of trustees of the Rockefeller Foundation on April 4 to succeed John D. Rockefellr, Jr., who has reached the retirement age set by the by-laws of the Foundation. Dr. Stewart is now connected with the Institute for Advanced Study in Princeton University.

The late Ogden L. Mills, former secretary of the U. S. Treasury, once described Mr. Stewart as the country's most eminent authority on for-

eign exchange and gold.

He was formerly professor of economics at Amherst College, director of the division of research and statistics of the Federal Reserve Board, economic adviser to the Bank of England, and president and chairman of the board of Case, Pomeroy, Inc., in New York City. Last year Secretary Henry Morgenthau named Mr. Stewart to his emergency advisory group on fiscal matters.

Dr. Stewart was born in 1885 in Manhattan, Kan. He was educated at the University of Missouri from which he received an A.B. degree in 1909, and also at the University of Michigan and Columbia University. He began his teaching career immediately after graduating from M. U., starting as an economics instructor at the University.

Later he taught economics at the University of Michigan and at Amherst. At one time he was offered the presidency at Amherst, but he rejected

it.

Dr. Stewart subsequently directed research for the Federal Reserve Board and in 1928 became adviser to the Bank of England, a post he relinquished in 1930 to become a member of the advisory committee for the Bank of International Settlements to investigate the ability of Germany to resume reparations payments under the Young Plan.

Returning to this country he be-

came associated with Case, Pomeroy, Inc. After taking up his duties at Princeton University a short time ago he was frequently mentioned for high posts in the Treasury Department, including that of undersecretary.

While a student in the University he was a member of the Tiger track team in 1905-06, was editor of the 1908 Savitar, served as president of his sophomore class, and was elected to membership in Q. E. B. H. and in Phi Beta Kappa. His boyhood home was in Neosho, Mo.

Mrs. Stewart is the former Miss Helen Lucille Wynkoop who also graduated from the University in 1909. She received a bachelor's degree in education. They have three children: Albert, 27, Helen, 26, and Walter, 25.

New K. C. Law Firms

Cornelius Roach and Daniel L. Brenner, graduates of the University, announced April 15 the formation of a partnership in Kansas City to engage in the general practice of law under the firm name of Roach and Brenner. Their offices will be located at 712 Commerce Building. Mr. Roach received an LL.B. in 1924 and Mr. Brenner received an A.B. in 1925.

On the same day Dupuy G. Warrick, LL.B. '22, Paul G. Koontz, A.B. '17, LL.B. '18, Leland Hazard, A.B. '18, and Elliot Norquist, A.B. '32, announced the formation of a general law partnership to be known as Warrick, Koontz, and Hazard. Their offices are located at 1415 Commerce Building in Kansas City. Also associated with the firm are Oscar S. Brewer, LL.B. '37, and John Foard, LL.B. '37.

April Law Review

An article entitled "Voluntary and Involuntary Nonsuits in Missouri," written by Rudolph Heitz, A.B. '32, LL.B. '34, features the April issue of the Missouri Law Review which was released last month. Mr. Heitz is assistant professor of law in the University of Kansas City.

New R. O. T. C. Armory Becomes Crowder Hall

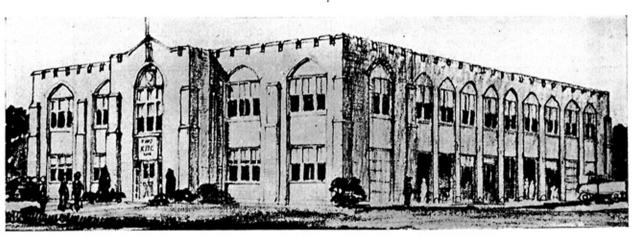
Prominent military men and state officials participated in the dedicatory program May 10 in which the new R. O. T. C. armory, located on Maryland Avenue near the golf links, was named in honor of the late Maj.-Gen. Enoch H. Crowder, a graduate of the University.

Lieut.-Col. Lloyd E. Jones, commandant of the corps on the campus, presided over the ceremonies. In his address, Gov. Lloyd C. Stark dealt briefly with Missouri's share in national emergencies. He said that Missouri had noted men in all walks of life and pointed out the major role in the first World War by such Missourians as John J. Pershing, general of the armies, Admiral Koontz, chief of naval operations, and Maj.-Gen. Crowder, provost-marshal, who is noted for having devised the draft system used in the war.

President Middlebush of the University accepted the building in a short talk. Col. Jones then introduced Maj. Gen. Robert M. Danford, chief of field artillery, who touched on the highlights in the career of Gen. Crowder. Briefly describing the rise of Crowder from a poor farm boy to the army's most brilliant military jurist, Gen. Danford said that although Gen. Crowder was an eminent Missourian, he belongs to all of the United States.

A bronze tablet was unveiled. Its text: "Crowder Hall. This tablet has been erected by the advanced course R. O. T. C. students Class of 1940-Class of 1941 in memory of Major General Enoch H. Crowder, Judge Advocate General U. S. A. 1911-1923, LL.B. University of Missouri 1886, LL.D. University of Missouri 1920, Commandant of Cadets, University of Missouri 1885-1889."

Below is the new R. O. T. C. armory which has been named Crowder Hall.



Journalism Alumni Elect H. R. Long

Howard R. Long, publisher of the Crane (Mo.) Chronicle, was elected president of the Journalism Alumni Association at the annual meeting of the group in Columbia May 10 at the Daniel Boone Hotel. He succeeds W. J. Young, director of University publications, of Columbia.

Other officers chosen at the luncheon meeting were: First vice-president, Paul Jones, Kennett; second vice-president, dent, Dorothy Kaucher, San Jose, Calif.; third vice-president, Susan Pasley, St. Louis; secretary-treasurer, Lester E. Finley, Columbia, member of the journalism faculty.

Fred W. May, B.J. '28, Lebanon, Mo., publisher, was re-elected for a two-year term as representative of the journalism group on the Board of Directors of the General Alumni Asso-

ciation.

The outgoing president, W. J. Young, presided over the meeting. Dean Frank L. Martin greeted those present and welcomed the alumni back to the campus. Alfred Zander, Jefferson City, read the necrology, listing alumni of the school who have died in the past year. They were: Joseph F. Jacobucci, '36, who died May, 1939, in Green River, Wyo.; Madge Pettit Lindstrom, '30, who drowned near Warsaw, Ind., July, 1939; and Frank H. Hedges, B.J. '19, who died in Tokyo last month.

Alumni attending the meeting were: Harry E. Taylor, Traer, Ia.; Marvin Crawford, California, Mo.; James C. Kirkpatrick, St. Louis; Max Thomas, Carlsbad, N. M.; Joe M. Hansman and Alfred C. Zander, Jefferson City; H. R. Long, Crane; Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson Young, Columbia; Paul C. Jones, Kennett; Anita Moore, Chickasha, Okla.; Fred W. May, Lebanon; Susan Pasley, St. Louis; Garland D. Fronabarger, Cape Girardeau; and the following from Columbia, Prof. Eugene W. Sharp, H. H. Kinyon, and W. B. Bickley.

N.B.—Colorado Tigers

Graduates and former students of the University now living in Colorado will hold a rally in Boulder on Saturday, November 9, the morning of the football game between the Tigers and the Colorado Buffaloes. M. E. "Snooks" Bernet of Denver and Larry DeMuth of Boulder are making arrangements for the meeting. Tentatively they have planned a morning gathering, within walking distance of the stadium, to be followed by a noon plate luncheon. There will be a minimum of speech-making. One purpose of the rally is to perfect an All-Colorado Missouri Alumni Association. Further details will appear in the alumni magazine.

"Tommy" Hall Is Roswell's Choice

Thomas J. Hall, former student in 1910-14, has just established what we think is in the nature of a record. In the recent municipal election in Roswell, N. M., two slates were proposed. A committee of citizens called on Tommy and asked him to run. Both opposing mayoralty candidates agreed to quit the race if he would. He did and they did. So now Tommy is Roswell's new mayor. And here's the story.

He received every vote cast in the election but one! There is one other item. He was permitted to name the city aldermen who compose the city council in return for his agreeing to take the

office.

Incidentally, Mr. Hall's son, Tommy, Jr., is expecting to enroll in the University this fall. He is quite an athlete, as was his dad a few years back.

Baseball

The Missouri baseball team wound up its 1940 season May 20 with an 8 to 6 victory over Kansas at Lawrence. The second game of the series was rained out. Depending upon the outcome of two games which Iowa State has to play, Missouri may finish in third place in the conference ratings. Oklahoma was an easy victor in the race. Kansas State finished second. The Tigers were hampered during the season by injuries and too much rain which kept them idle over a long period. The season record shows two victories over Kansas, two over Nebraska, an even split with Oklahoma and Iowa State, and a double loss to Kansas State.

Conference Track Meet

The Bengal track and field team could finish no better than fourth in the annual conference meet at Lincoln on May 17 and 18. Capt. John Munski, Capt.-elect Marshall Reeves, and Dick Higgins won first place in the mile, half-mile, and pole vault events respectively. Nebraska finished first, Oklahoma second, Kansas State third, with Kansas and Iowa State bringing up the rear.

Final Exams

Semester examinations at the University began Saturday, May 25, and were to continue through Saturday, June 1. Final exams in the law and medicine school began a week earlier and continued through a two-week period.

Teasdale, Anderson Speak on Law Day

Kenneth Teasdale, honorary initiate into the Order of Coif and past president of the Missouri and St. Louis bar associations, spoke in favor of a short ballot "where purely administrative and judicial officers can be taken out of politics and people can select candidates intelligently," at the fortieth annual law school banquet on April 27 in Columbia. The banquet was the closing feature of Law Day exercises.

Mr. Teasdale said he would prefer to have the appointive power of judges in the hands of someone in the public eye who can be held responsible. At present, he said, many officers are in effect selected by political organizations who are responsible to no one.

Roscoe Anderson, president of the Missouri Bar Association, second principal speaker of the program, said: "If our form of government is to continue, respect of the young people of the nation in the courts must be maintained. The Constitution has been upheld by the courts. Young lawyers have the important task of maintaining the courts as they are and keeping the respect of the people in them."

Awards for finalists in the freshman case club competition were made by Dean Glenn A. McCleary to Jack Powell and Robert Fowks of the Marshall Club, and Albert Spradling and James McDaniel of the Holmes Club.

Ralph Tucker, president of the School of Law student body, introduced the speakers and welcomed the Class of 1930 which held its tenth anniversary reunion at the dinner. Ronald Reed of the Class of 1930 presented the members of the class who were present.

Student speakers included Robert Fowks of the Class of 1942, Lyndon Sturgis of the Class of 1941, and Rex Titus of the Class of 1940.

Among the more than 300 guests attending the banquet were Gov. Lloyd C. Stark, members of the Missouri Supreme Court and the Courts of Appeals, and Maurice Milligan, former United States district attorney of Kansas City.

Earlier in the day students and alumni of the school heard an address in Lee H. Tate Hall by Judge William E. Kemp, A.B. '14, of the Kansas City Court of Appeals in which he gave a history and explanation of appeals procedure in Missouri.

Varsity Whips Alumni

Despite a galaxy of former "Orange Bowl" football stars, Coach Don Faurot's Varsity rookies scored four times in the last half of the annual Alumni-Varsity game April 13 to trim the old-timers, 27 to 0, on Rollins Field.



DEDICATION OF CROWDER HALL

Lieut.-Gol. Lloyd E. Jones, head of University R. O. T. G., addresses assembly.

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GODDESS OF AGRICULTURE AND ATTENDANTS

Miss Virginia Simon (extreme right) was chosen by students in the College of Agriculture to preside over the annual Farmers' Fair held on the campus April 26 and 27. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs B. D. Simon, Sr., C.E. '10, of Columbia. Pictured above are Helen Harris, Winnie Vrooman, Dorothy Brommelsick, Marcia Dudley, and Miss Simon.

Senior Honoraries "Tap" 28 Students

The annual University Tap Day was held on the campus in front of the Columns on May 6 before a crowd of more than 1000 students. Dr. Albert K. Heckel, dean of men, gave a short talk describing the three honor societies and then introduced the men and women students who had been selected by the respective organizations.

The following men were "tapped" by Q. E. B. H., oldest senior honorary on the campus: Russell Harris, editor of the 1940 Savitar; Fred Rexford, Richard Schukenbrock, Gordon Cupps, James Plunkett, business manager of the Savitar; Murray Amper, editorelect of The Missouri Student; Robert Buell, Gayton Germane, Hugh Winfrey, and Edward Mansur.

Mystical Seven honored the following men: Eldon Hixon, William Oliver, Milton Brown, Harry Klaus, Edward Lang, Marshall Keithley, and Carl Claypool. This organization was founded in 1907.

Mortar Board, an honorary fraternity for senior women, which recognizes scholarship, leadership, and service, selected the following: Mary Abney, Beulah Cooper, Emily Gildehaus, Mary E. Huntsberry, Peggy Maupin, Maxine Phillips, Ruth Rice, Frances Shirky, Ruth Sussman, Sue Wells, and Winifred Wise.

Mumfords Return

Dr. and Mrs. Frederick B. Mumford recently returned from Florida where they spent the past winter. They are now living at the Sinclair Pennant Hotel in Columbia.

"Student" Editor

Murray Amper, junior in the School of Journalism, will edit The Missouri Student next year. Amper, whose home is in McKeesport, Pa., served as news editor and cartoonist for the campus weekly during the current school year. Lou Gerdes of Grand Island, Neb., present sports editor, and Jack Bernstein of New York City, present copy editor, were named senior associates. Other senior associates are Ruth Gmeiner, Adrian, Mich.; John W. Zischang and Herbert Foster, both of Amarillo, Tex., and Russ Bright, Los Angeles. Martin Umansky is the retiring editor of The Student.

FDR, Dewey Favored

In a poll conducted recently by the Missouri Showme, campus humor magazine, 2000 students expressed their preference for President Roosevelt and Thomas E. Dewey as presidential candidates in 1940. On one ballot the voter was asked to designate the rank of candidates for both parties. Roosevelt and Dewey emerged from this poll easily as leaders with a large margin over their nearest opponents. Approximately two-thirds of those who cast ballots are qualified to vote in the national election this year.

Maynard C. Krueger Speaks in Columbia

Maynard C. Krueger, graduate of the University, and vice-presidential nominee on the Socialist ticket, spoke on present day political issues before 125 persons in the chapel of the Missouri Methodist Church in Columbia May 3.

First "Education Day" Held on Campus

Missouri school administrators gathered with students and faculty members of the School of Education on the campus May 2 in observance of the University's first "Education Day." The program took the form of a panel discussion centering on the address of Dean John A. Thackston of the University of Tennessee's College of Education. Dean Thackston spoke on "Some Trends in the Teaching Profession."

The day's program closed with a buffet supper in the Laboratory School gymnasium, where entertainment included a student take-off on members of the School of Education faculty. The purpose of the Education Day program is to create a better professional attitude and to acquaint students with outstanding leaders under whom they will work after graduation.

Bob Waldorf Gets Coaching Position

Robert Waldorf, the youngest of the famous Waldorf family of football players and coaches, was signed last month as head football coach at Simpson College in Indianola, Ia. Bob is 21 years old and is the son of Bishop Waldorf of the Chicago Diocese of the Methodist Church. He played guard on the Tiger Varsity and received All-American mention on several selections last fall.

M. U. President Is Co-author of Book

Dr. Frederick A. Middlebush, president of the University, has collaborated with Chesney Hill, assistant professor of political science and public law at the University, on a textbook for elementary courses in world politics. The McGraw-Hill Book Company of New York is the publisher. Titled "Elements of International Relations," the new textbook simplifies international law, politics, and organization for the beginning student.

Guild Awards

Orland K. Armstrong, B.J. '25, of Springfield, Mo., was presented the Missouri Writers' Guild Award for 1940 on May 7 in Columbia at the annual meeting of the Guild held in conjunction with Journalism Week exercises. The award is for the most outstanding member of the Guild during the past year. In this period Mr. Armstrong wrote and sold twenty-three articles and stories, in addition to working on several unpublished books. He has contributed to American Magazine, Forum, Current History, and American Mercury.

Student Elections Regain Old Flavor

Just when campus perennials had about decided that student elections had lost their "oomph" and that present-day campaigning couldn't hold a candle to the rip-roaring politicking of a decade ago, along came the 1940 elections which were hectic enough to make old-timers forget "the good old

On April 23, a total of 3122 ballots were cast in the S. G. A. elections and the so-called Independent - Coalition Party was returned to power by an impressive majority. But the results of the voting took second place in public interest to the campaigning that went before.

With the rapid increase in University enrollment during the last five years, the independent or non-fraternity vote has assumed major proportions and, as a consequence, is the object of considerable attention by both caucuses. The Big Caucus and the Little Caucus of former days avoid those titles assiduously. They are now known as the Independent-Coalition and Union-Independent parties respectively, with special emphasis on the "independent."

The victorious coalitionists for the last two years have comprised most of the larger fraternities and sororities, with a thumping majority of the Ag College vote, independent and organized alike. It was this combination that put Chauncy Stanberry, the outgoing president, in power last spring.

This year's campaign was characterized by lots of noise and eggs. Sound trucks paraded up and down Conley Avenue and Ninth Street blaring forth their respective party platforms and promises. Public address systems were established in buildings across the street from Jesse Hall. Rallies, mass meetings, and parades were held, and when rival groups ran head on into one another, the eggs began to fly. One egg-tossing melee on Conley Avenue was stopped by a Columbia motorcycle patrolmen who then posed for a news photographer with members of both factions grouped about his bike.

The biggest and best mix-up came on election eve in front of a Rollins Street fraternity house which served as party headquarters for the Union-Independents. A last-minute rally was in progress in front of the house when bands of egg-throwers representing the the other faction appeared. The police broke up this tangle, too, but not before the fraternity house and a good many supporters of both parties had been well splattered.

Feeling ran high during the week of enthusiastic campaigning, but namecalling and mud-throwing were at a minimum. The day after elections, complete harmony was restored and any bitterness that had existed was completely forgotten. All in all, it was a lot of fun.

Chester Hill, student in the College of Agriculture, was elected president by a wide majority over his opponent, Clair Cowan. Hill is a member of Blue Key, Q. E. B. H., Ruf Nex, Alpha Zeta, the Polo Association, past president of the Ag Club, and belongs to Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity. Paul Christman, Missouri's first All-American, was named vice-president, and Sue Wells won the race for secretary-treasurer.

The senatorial campaigns were much more closely contested than the election for the top three offices. The Union-Independents' only victory came in the College of Engineering where they succeeded in electing Bill Purdy and Bob Smith. The Coalitionists took the remaining senate posts with the following candidates:

Journalism, Winnie Wise; Agriculture, John Dickey, Dick Schuckenbrock, and Eldon Hickson; Ag women, Mary Jane Speckhart; B. & P.A., Kendall Palmer; Medicine, John Cockrill; Education, Florence Fellows; Graduate, Jim Crawl and Floyd Erickson; Arts and Science women, Beulah Cooper and Kathryn Westmoreland; Arts and Science men, Clarence H. Dicus, Bryce Connell, Bob Hauserman, and Jack Goldstein.

In a separate school election, Russ Harris, editor of the 1940 Savitar, was chosen president of the Journalism Students Association, over Bob Broeg.

Tigers Swamp K. U. In Annual Meet

The University of Kansas track and field team, crippled by scholastic ineligibility which this year set down twenty-two of its members, was an easy victim for Chauncey Simpson's Tiger performers when the teams engaged in their annual outdoor meet May 11 on Rollins Field. The score was 76 1-3 to 54 2-3

Although one-sided, the meet provided many thrills as long-standing records were toppled. In a brilliant farewell performance, Capt. John Munski stepped off the mile, his specialty, in 4:11.6, the fastest time in Tiger track annals. In doing so he blasted his own meet record of 4:15.9, which he set in 1938 during his first year of

Varsity competition.

Darrell Mathes, fleet Jayhawk sprinter, provided another thrill when he ran the 100-yard dash in 9.7 seconds to erase the old record of 9.8 which dated back to 1908 when Bob Branham of Missouri set the mark. Branham's time was equalled by Jackson Scholz of Micsouri in 1920, by Klaner of Kansas in 1930, by Sickel of Kansas in 1931, and by Richardson of Kansas in 1936.

In the 880-yard run Reeves of Missouri tied the record set in 1936 by Glenn Cunningham. His time was 1:55 seconds. The Tigers took all places in the discus and shot put events although none of their distances approached the standing records.



NEW MEMBERS FOR ORDER OF COIF

Above are the five student members elected into the Order last month in connection with the celebration of Law Day, April 27, together with Kenneth Teasdale, St. Louis, the initiate from the alumni association. Front row, left to right: Gerald Rowan, Maryville; Mr. Teasdale; and Simon Polsky, St. Louis. Back row, left to right: J. Baird Reynolds, Columbia; James H. Ottman, Fair-

fax; and Ralph J. Tucker, Kansas City.

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By Howard S. Burnside

CHICAGO, May, 1940, — Whether Evanston can be called a suburb of Chicago is a matter of personal opinion, Chicagoans say yes; Evanstonians say no. But we in Niles Center look upon all in this vi-



cinity as one happy and slightly scrappy family. This month let's inspect the E v a n s t o n branch of the family tree and see how m a n y Missourians are out on the limb.

First, a brief glance at this beautiful north shore town—

Howard Burnside Evanston, you will remember, is

the home of Northwestern University and the National College of Education, The headquarters of the W. C. T. U. are here, also the nationally known foundling home, The Cradle, Evanston is the largest of the towns along the famous north lake shore district and many fine estates and lovely homes beautify the exclusive residential sections,

Missouri alumni who now live in Evanston are: Paul W. Cook, W. H. East, C. A. Hemphill, Fredus N. Peters, Homer K. Smith, and F. H. Wells,

F. H. Wells, '09, who for the past seven years has been in the construction department of Montgomery Ward, phoned the other day and gave a little advance information about the coming general alumni meeting. Incidentally, Mr. Wells, a civil engineer, now does consulting work and has his own office at 116 West Jackson in Chicago.

The general alumni meeting has been set for May 24, and Dean Harry A. Curtis of the College of Engineering has been invited as the principal guest speaker. The place of the meeting has not yet been decided nor have the details of the program been arranged. Mr. Wells stated further that the Missouri Engineers of Chicago are arranging an infomal luncheon and a trip around Chicago for Dean Curtis, These plans were discussed at a group luncheon April 30 attended by Mr. Wells, Homer Niesz, H. K. Smith, Dick Heinlein, and Leo Arms, Dick Heinlein is secretary of the Chicago engineers.

The Post Kollege Klub of the First Methodist Church, one of Evanston's leading churches, has attracted a number of Missouri alumni, Fred Akers, a Mizzouian of not so many years ago, presides at Sunday evening meetings of this organization. Among the two hundred-odd members are Missourians Vic Gladney, Frank McKinney, Ed Sanford, Russell Neal, and ex-member Al Avery, Strictly speaking, Ed Sanford of the Public Service Company of Illinois is not an alumnus. However, he was born in Brookfield, Mo., and attended William Jewell College, Russell Neal, '34, is with Marsh & McLennan, insurance brokers of Chicago, and lives in Evanston, He mentioned seeing Bob Bingham, B.J. '35, just recently.

Next month we will try to round up alumni who live in the many towns adjacent to and surrounding Chicago. You folks who live in Oak Park, Hinsdale,



LEONARD J. McENNIS, JR., B.J. '34, has been named director of publications for the Northwestern University Traffic Institute and the Safety Division of the International Association of Chiefs of Police. The Institute and the Safety Division have head-quarters together in Evanston, Ill.

"Mac" has been a writer in the safety field for the past five years. Following graduation in 1934, he served as a rewrite man and reporter on the Louisville (Ky.) Herald-Post for a year and a half. In December, 1935, he joined the publicity staff of the National Safety Council in Chis resignation, McEnnis was associate editor of Public Safety, a traffic safety magazine published by the Council.

As director of publications for the Institute he will prepare manuals, film strips and other police training aids. "Mac" was editor of the 1933 Savitar. In school he was a member of Alpha Tau Omega social fraternity, Q.E.B.H., Sigma Delta Chi and Tomb and Key. In 1938-39 he served as Chicago correspondent for THE ALUMNUS.

Cicero, Glen Elyn, Wilmette, Wheaton, Glencoe, Winnetka, and Lombard will have a chance to howl in June. You will be hearing from your correspondent soon. Please let me hear from you.

P. S.—Your correspondent's address has been changed to 6138 Greenwood, Niles Center. Phone: Niles Center 227.

Hats Off Dept.—To Dr. Don Bond, proud papa of an 8-pound boy, Allen Richard Bond. The stork landed Thursday evening, April 25.

Rubey Revises Books

Prof. Harry Rubey of the civil engineering department is the author of two textboks printed by the MacMillan Company. "Route Surveys," a reprint, has already been released. A revised edition of "Engineering Surveys" is expected to be finished by the end of the month.

1899

L. E. DURHAM, B.L., LL.B. '99, who is an attorney in Kansas City, recently returned after a trip to New York where he visited his one-year-old grand-daughter, Jenifer Chilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Chilson, Mrs. Chilson is the former Miss Margaret Durham. Mr. Durham's offices are at 901 National Fidelity Life Building in Kansas City.

MISS JACOBBINA BRANDENBURGER. B.S. in Ed. '99, will represent the University of Missouri at the Second International Congress of Professors of Ibero-American Literature, to be held in Los Angeles Aug. 12. Miss Brandenburger lives at the Hotel Mayan in Los Angeles.

CLASS-1900-REUNION Columbia, Nov. 2, 1940 Missouri vs. New York U.

S. C. SHIPLEY, B.S. '00, writes: "Keep me posted; I want to be in on that Class of 1900 reunion." Mr. Shipley lives in Minneapolis, Minn., where he is connected with the Honeywell Heat Regulator Company. His residence address is 1550 East River Terrace.

C. A. GREENE, A.B. '00, A.M. '01, writes that he will make every effort to be in Columbia next Nov. 2 for the reunion of his Class of 1900. Mr. Greene is president of Central Wesleyan College in Warrenton, Mo.

CLASS-1905-REUNION Columbia, Nov. 2, 1940 Missouri vs. New York U.

GEORGE C. WHALEY, B.S. In E.E. '05, of Herculaneum, Mo., writes: "I received your letter telling of the class reunion. Will say that I am going to make every effort to be among those present. I see no reason now why I can't be there." How about the rest of your 1905ers?

1907

MR. and MRS. GEORGE McCLURE HEARNE, former student in 1904-07, of Poplar Bluff, announce the engagement of their daughter, Pollyanna, former student in 1933-34, to David E. Blauton, A.B. '31, of Sikeston. Mrs. Hearne is the former MISS CLARA THOMPSON, who attended M. U. in 1905-10. Miss Pollyanna is a talented planist. After leaving the University she attended the conservatory of music at Knox College, and for the last two years studied with Rudolph Ganz in Chicago.

1908

KENNETH SPENCER, former student in 1904-08, New York City, sends us his renewal order. Mr. Spencer is president of the Globe Indemnity Company with offices at 150 Williams Street. He lives in Mont-

clair, N. J. DR. E. LEE MILLER, A.B. '08, of Kansas City, was named last month as chair-man of the section on medicine of the Missouri Academy of Science at the annual meeting of the academy in Warrens-

CHARLES T. BUTLER, LL.B., A.M. '08, last month, in a very nonchalant manner, told us he'd just taken a trip to visit his twin grandchildren. So we wrote to Mr. Butler, who lives and practices law in Beaumont, Tex., and asked for the de-tails. After all, a fellow doesn't get to be a grandpa just any old time, and we wanted the facts. He writes: "Their names are respectively Charles Richard and Betsy

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Ann. Their mother, my daughter, Laura, was a Pl Beta Phi at both the University of Texas and the University of Arizona, having graduated at the latter institution in 1937." On his way back to Texas from Arizona, Mr. Butler stopped off in New Mexico to visit his 16-year-old son who attends a private school located in the mountains about forty miles from Santa Re.

1910

A. H. KISKADDON, A.B., LL.B. '10, of St. Louis, sends us his renewal right on schedule. Mr. Kiskaddon is general counsel for the St. Louis Southwestern Railway with offices in the Cotton Belt Building.

MAURICE VERNON POWELL, C.E. '10, writes from Sao Paulo, Brazil, to tell of his trip through the United States last year, during which he stopped off in Columbia for a few days, Mr. Powell's motor tour of the U. S. took him to more than forty states and there was also a jaunt into Quebec and Montreal. He was accompanied part of the way by his daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Powell Wilkie, who is also an M. U. graduate, Mr. Powell's son, Vernon, graduated last June with a degree in chemical engineering and is now working for the Corn Products Refining Company in Kansas City. M. V. represents the company in Brazil,

V. M. RIDER, former student in 1905-10, sends best regards to everybody and "nine Rahs for old Mizzon," Mr. Rider also sends us a subscription order for two years in advance. So, we say nine rahs for Mizzou and an even dozen for Mr. Rider, His present address is: Bin XX, Taft, Calif.

DR. and MRS. JOHN B. HANSON, A.B. '10, of Cleveland, were in Columbia the first week of May visiting Mrs. Hanson's brothers, Clyde and Norton Shepard, Mrs. Hanson is the former MISS OLIVE SHEP-ARD, B.S. in Ed. '11. MR. and MRS. JAMES H. HARKLESS, JR., A.B. '17, of Kansas City, also came to Columbia. Mrs. Harkless is the former MISS LUCY SHEP-ARD, B.S. in Ed. '17. Mr. Harkless is manager of the President Hotel in Kansas

D. E. HILL, B.S. in C.E. '10, of Columbia, surveyor and highway engineer for Boone County, was elected president last month of the newly-organized Highway Engineers' and Surveyors' Association of Missouri. The association met in Rolla. 1911

ALFRED H. NOLLE, A.B., B.S. in Ed. '11, dean of the Southwest Texas State Teachers College in San Marcos, was recently elected president of the Conference of Academic Deans of the Southern States which was held in connection with the annual meeting of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in Atlanta. Dean and Mrs. Nolle's son, Alfred Wilson, who was born while his parents were living in Columbia, has for the third successive year been made the recipient of a graduate stipend in physics at the University of Texas, Last year he held a \$200 scholarship, at the present time he holds a \$300 fellowship, and for the coming year has been awarded a \$500 advanced fellowship. Young Mr. Nolle got his bachelor's degree at the college of which his dad is the dean.
DR. PRESTON THOMPSON, former

student in 1909-11, was killed April 14 when his car left the highway between Crocker, Mo., and Iberia, crashing over an em-bankment, There were no witnesses to the accident but road indications suggested that he either suffered a heart attack or fell asleep at the wheel. He was on his way to Rochester, Minn., at the time of the accident. Dr. Thompson came originally from Brumley, Mo. He attended M. U. and then went to Washington University for his medical work. He served in the medical corps of the A.E.F. in 1917. At the time of his death he was a physician and surgeon in Lebanon, Mo.

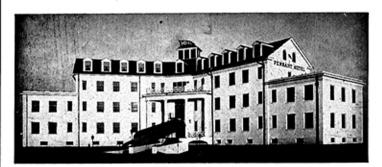
LINDSEY A. NICKELL'S son, Lindsey, Jr., was elected president of the local chapter of Alpha Tau Omega social fraternity last month. Mr. Nickell, Sr., B.S. in E.E. '11, is president of the Columbia

Ice & Storage Company here, MAJ. GEN. JOHN F. WILLIAMS, for-mer student in 1908-11, who became chief of the National Guard Bureau last January, was featured on the cover and in the lead article of the April issue of "The Pennsylvania Guardsman." The article, a biography, traced his journalistic and military career. General Williams' headquarters are in Washington, D. C.

1913

SIEGEL MAYER, B.J. '13, was in Columbia for Journalism Week early this month and paid a call at the alumni office on May 8. Mr. Mayer is vice-president of the News-Herald of Marshfield, Wis.

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Terminating a 22-year span of teaching at Harrison High School in Chicago, JAMES C. BAIRD, A.B. '03, retired last month. For many years he taught courses in comptometry and geography, shopwork and mechanical drawing in the school.

Mr. Baird began his career at the Morgan Park Military Academy where he taught in the technical department for twelve years. In preparation for his life's work he attended a private normal school and then the University. He has done graduate work at the University of Chicago and Armour Institute.

Iowa born, Mr. Baird was married in 1914 and has a son 21 years old, and a daughter, now married. He is now associated with the W. F. Pape Realty Company, 1775 West 95th Street, in Chicago.

HARRY GUY, former journalism student in 1909-13, sends us his renewal order, Harry is national advertising man-ager for the Dallas Morning News, HARRY TIDD, C.E. '13, was recently elected president of the Central State Bank

in Hutchinson, Kan.

1914

CYRUS THOMAS HELM, former engineering student in 1910-14, is president of the West India Oil Company, an affiliate of Standard Oil of Ney Jersey, located in the Republic of Panama, His address is P. O. Box 5039, Ancon, Canal Zone. "Cy" was a Varsity baseball pitcher for Missouri in 1912 and 1913. After leaving the University he attended Louisiana State from which he received a degree in chemical engineering in 1915.

DR. J. C. MOORE, A.B. '14, is causing us to blossom in the sunshine of his love this month. Those who received an April subscription reminder will know whereof we speak. Anyhow, Dr. Moore, our everloyal reader, has sent in his annual re-newal order. Many thanks. Dr. Moore is a physician and surgeon in Hoopeston,

A. R. TRONELL, B.S. in Agr. '14, B.S. in Ed. '15, Columbia attorney, was elected president of the Boone County Bar Association last month.

MISS SUSAN E. TILLERY, B.S. in Ed. '14, A.B. '16, A.M. '30, for the past five years dietitian at the University Hospitals in Columbia, resigned last month to become dictitian for the new Ellis Fischel State Cancer Hospital which opened here last month.



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1915

MAURICE EUGENE HAYES, B.S. in Agr. '15, A.M. '16, tells us to keep him posted concerning the Silver Anniversary reunion of his graduating class at Homecoming time next fall. Mr. Hays lives in Indianapolis, Ind., at 5651 College Avenue. MAC E. LIPSCOMB, B.S. in Agr. '15, is

MAC E. LIPSCOMB, B.S. in Agr. '15, is also interested in coming back for the reunion. Mac now lives in Champaign, III., where he is a district salesman for the Raiston Purina Company. His address is 311 West University Avenue.

S. H. ANDERSON, B.S. in Eng. '15, sends us the wampum for his subscription renewal, along with a brief but nice note, Mr. Anderson is a member of the technical staff of the Bell Telephone Laboratories in New York City.

W. E. BRENTZEL, B.S. in Agr. '15, A.M. '17, has answered our initial mailing piece regarding the 25th anniversary reunion of his class next November, Mr. Brentzel is connected with the State College Experiment Station at Fargo, N. D.

FRANK P. BRIGGS, B.J. '15, of Macon, Mo., writes that he is making plans now to attend the reunion of his class, Mr. Briggs represents the ninth district in the Missouri State Senate and is publisher of the Macon newspaper.

MISS DOROTHY KAUCHER, A.B., B.S. In Ed. '15, A.M. '20, B.J. '24, member of the faculty of San Jose (Callf.) State College, was here for Journalism Week and appeared on the program, Needless to say, Miss Kaucher, who is an aviation enthusiast, flew both ways. And if it's possible, we bet she files here next fall for the reunion.

R. W. McCLURE, B.S. in Agr. '15, now with the Kansas Electric Power Company in Lawrence, will be here, too. "Mae" was president of the student body his senior year.

PROF. THOMAS S. BARCLAY, A.B. '15, A.M. '16, member of the political science faculty at Stanford University, expresses fear that he won't be able to attend because of the distance. But we'll be looking for him right up to the last minute.

MRS, DOUGLAS V. MARTIN, B.S. in Ed. '16 (Ethel M. Sykes), has sent in her renewal for The Alumnus. The Martins live at 2 Black Creek Lane, St. Louls, Clayton Station.

1917

WALLACE M. NEILL, B.S. in Agr. '17, sends us the following new address: 133 West Tenth Street, Kansas City.

CARTER L. WILLIAMS, B.S. in Agr.

'17, of Kansas City, has a 13-year-old son
who will be an M. U. student in a few
years, providing that Mr. Williams is a
good a salesman as we think he is. "Bones"
is in the automobile finance business with
offices at 608 City Bank Building.

DR. PAUL F. TITTERINGTON, A.B. '18, of St. Louis, tells us to keep his Alumnus coming for another year. Dr. Titterington is a physician with offices at 212 Metropolitan Building.

PRANK H. HEDGES, B.J. '19, famous Far Eastern correspondent for the North American Newspaper Alliance and the London Dally Telegraph, died April 10 in Tokyo. His body was found near the Imperial Hotel and it was believed that he had sufered a stroke and fell, striking his head. He had intended taking a holiday in the United States soon. Mr. Hedges was graduated from the School of Journalism



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after having served as a second lieutenant in the 64th Pioneer Infantry during the World War. He led a newspaper life that took him all over the world, but it was as a correspondent on the affairs of the Orient that he gained his first recognition. In 1930 he returned to his home in Springfield, Mo. and from there he wrote many commentaries on the Sino-Japanese War in Manchuria, Mr. Hedges' last visit to Columbia was in 1935 when he came here as temporary secretary of the Press Congress of the World. In the years since 1929 he wrote several books on the Far Rast. He is survived by his mother and a brother, both of whom live in Springfield.

1920

DR. JOHN L. HUNDLEY, A.B. '20, A.M. '21, professor of physics at the University of North Dakota, represented the University of Missouri at the inauguration of Dr. T. Ross Hicks as president of Wesley College on April 22.

1991

ALPHA N. BROWN, LL.B. '21, is an attorney in Kansas City with offices at 1015 National Fidelity Life Building, Mrs. Brown is the former MISS MARGERIE PEARODY, B.J. '21. They have one son, Richard Peahody Brown. Their residence address is 6015 Penn.

Miss Anne Rogers of St. Louis and DR. BEN M. BUDL, A.B. '24, formerly of St. Louis, were married April 22 in the St. Augustine Episcopal Church at Maplewood, Mo. Following a brief wedding trip to New Orleans the couple returned to Ironton, Mo., where Dr. Bull is associated with the St. Mary's of the Ozarks Hospital, He holds an M.D. degree from Washington University. Mrs. Bull is a graduate of Illinois University.

1922

BERNEY HARRIS, B.S. in M.E. *22, visited friends on the campus in Columbia May 7. Mr. Harris is now connected with Scherck, Richter Company, dealers in investment securities in St. Louis. His offices are in the Landreth Building.

1923

PREWITT TURNER, B.S. in Agr. '23, of Kansas City, has become considerable of a public speaker and put in a busy month in April. On April 9 he addressed an audience of 700 at a special meeting of the chamber of commerce in Coffeyville, Kan. On April 19th he was the principal speaker before the Tennessee Life Insurance Sales Congress meeting in Knoxville. Prewitt is the able general agent for the Home Life Insurance Company in Kansas City.

MISS SADIE G. YOUNG, B.S. in Ed. '23, A.M. '25, is a new subscriber for the alumni magazine. Miss Young is a member of the faculty of Florida State College for Women in Tallahassee.

DR. HOWARD A. RUSH, A.B. '23, of St. Louis, sends us his renewal. Dr. Rush is a physician and also serves as instructor in clinical medicine at Washington University. Mrs. Rush is the former MISS GLADYS HOUX. A.B. '24.

GLADYS HOUX, A.B. '24.

MISS EDNA KOBS, A.B. '23, A.M. '26,
member of the faculty of Randolph-Macon Woman's College in Lynchburg, Va.,
is the author of an article entitled "In
Quest of Sugar," appearing in the latest
issue of the college's alumnae bulletin.
Miss Kobs has spent the past two summers in New York studying the development of the sugar industry. The work
was done under the direction of Dr. W. J.
Robbins, director of the New York Botanical Garden, who was formerly dean
of the M. U. Graduate School and a
member of the botany department faculty.

DR. CLAUDE R. BRUNER, A.B. '24, of Columbia, was named last month as sec-

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retary of the section on medicine of the Missouri Academy of Science at the academy's meeting in Warrensburg.

A. B. DRESCHER, JR., former student in 1922-24, sends us his renewal. Mr. Drescher can be addressed at the Elks Club in Hannibal, Mo.

CLASS—1925—REUNION Missouri vs. Iowa State Columbia, Oct. 19, 1940

1925

JAMES W. WILSON, B.J. '25, publisher of the Carroll Daily Herald of Carroll, Ia., is planning to be in Columbia next fall for the reunion of his class, Jim is a new subscriber for The Alumnus.

WILLIAM L. MAPEL, B.J. '25, former executive editor of the Wilmington (Del.) Morning News and Journal Every-Evening, and more recently head of William Mapel and Associates, will be general manager of a projected evening newspaper to be published in Hempstead, Long Island, N. Y., according to an announcement in Editor and Publisher last month. Besides being well known in the journalism field as a lecturer and instructor, Mr. Maple was formerly in the newspaper business at Maryville, Mo., and served as assistant editor of American Boy magazine. He was also director of the Lee School of Journalism, Washington and Lee Univer sity, Lexington, Va., and president of the American Association of Teachers of Journellsm.

1926

GEORGE M. GIBSON, B.S. in Agr. '20, sends us his renewal and makes us very happy. George is sales manager for the Blanton Company in St. Louis. He lives in suburban Kirkwood at 525 North Dickson.

1927

MILLARD COPE, B.J. '27, has purchased the Denison Herald, the daily newspaper in Denison, Tex., from J. Lee Greer, also a graduate of the University. Cope assumed management of the paper on April 1. Greer will remain in Denison to look after his private affairs, but plans to travel.

ROLAND F. ("PAT") O'BRYEN, LLB.
'27, was elected president of the St. Louis
Bar Association May 6. Pat is associated
in practice with the law firm of Williams,
Nelson & English.

PROF. ROBERT L. DAVIDSON, A.M. '27, director of the extension division of the University, and his department received a write-up in the April issue of the National University Extension Association Bulletin, Headed by a front page picture of Mr. Davidson, the two-column article was devoted to a history of the M. U. division, from its informal beginning at the turn of the century, and formal recognition in 1913, to the present efficient organization embracing such projects as a film library, student aid in starting college work, and pre-legal and prenurses' training examinations, A sketch of Prof. Davidson's work with the division is given, commending his valuable contributions to the University.

WILLIAM ZALKEN, B.J. '27, head of

WILLIAM ZALKEN, B.J. '27, head of a St. Louis publicity firm, was the guest speaker at a dinner meeting of Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalism fraternity, held in Columbia April 16.

1928

MISS FRANCES RUMMELL, A.B. '28. M.A. '30, recently resigned her position as teacher of French and English in the Columbia high school. Next month she will leave for New York to take graduate work at Columbia University. She has been a frequent contributor to magazines, including Your Life, Forum, Woman's



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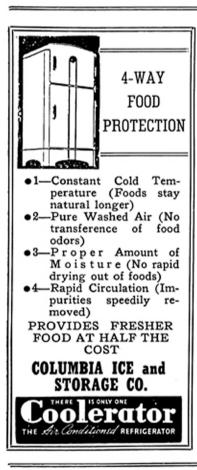
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Miss Wilma Simpson of Tampa, Fla., and CHARLES W. FAY, B.S. in B.A. '28, of Miami, were married March 30 at the First Methodist Church in Tampa. Fay formerly lived in Chillicothe, Mo. His bride is an alumna of Kansas State College in Manhattan. They will make their home in Hialeah, a suburb of Miami, where Fay operates a private airport.

WILLIAM M. HAGER, A.M. '28, sends us his renewal order. Mr. Hager is professor of history at Jefferson City Junior College and lives at 311 Lafayette Street.

1929

MISS BILLIE SIMMONS, former student, of Fulton, Mo., and HAROLD E. STITES, B.J. '29, of Jefferson City, were married March 26 in Fulton, They are living in Jefferson City where Mr. Stites is connected with the Associated Press bureau. They are at home at 905 St. Mary's Bonlevard.

MR. and MRS. STEVE MILLER, former student in 1927-29, of Coumbia, are the parents of a baby daughter, Judy Angela, who was born last January. Steve is an instructor in design at Stephens College and is well known as a commercial artist in this section of the state.

DR and MRS, KARL E. MANEVAL, A.B. '29, A.M. '32, of Mexico, Mo., announce the birth of a daughter on April 25, Following his graduation from M. U., Dr. Maneval attended the University of Pennsylvania from which he received his M.D. degree. He is now practicing in Mexico.

MISS ELEANOR NIEHUSS, B.J. '30, of Dallas, Tex., and Dr. Frank M. Sporer of Van Alstyne, Tex., were married April 20 at the Westminister Presbyterian Church in Dallas, Mrs. Sporer was formerly associate editor of The Missouri Alumnus, resigning that position in October, 1935. to join the staff of Hollands Magazine in Dallas, Dr. Sporer is a graduate of Austin College in Sherman, Tex., and the University of Texas School of Medicine in Galveston, where he was a member of Alpha Mu Rho Omieron, social medical fraternity. The couple are living in Van Alstyne.

PROF. ARTHUR W. NEBEL, B.S. in B.A. '30, A.M. '35, member of the faculty of the M. U. sociology department, was elected president of the Missouri Association of Social Welfare at the annual convention of the organization in Columbia last month.

HOWARD M. SMITH, B.S. in Agr. '30, makes us happy with his renewal order. Howard is instructor in vocational agriculture at the high school in Rock Port,

MR. and MRS. J. C. SIDES, B.S. in P.A. '30, announce the birth of a son, Robert Campbell, on April 17. Mr. Sides is a chaplain in the U. S. Army and is now stationed at Fort Brown in Brownsville,

Tex. He originally lived in Columbia. HOWARD M. DAIL, B.J. '30, A.M. '31, assistant agricultural editor at the University, attended the annual Institute for Education by Radio held late last month in Columbus, O., on the Ohio State University campus.

1931

MR. and MRS. FOWLER HAMILTON, A.B. '31, of Washington, D. C., are the parents of a new baby girl, Emily Fowler. Mr. Hamilton is connected with the antitrust division of the U. S. Attorney General's office.

Miss Mary Leon Delventhal of St. Louis, and JOHN ANDERSON PHILLIPS, B.S. in Ed. '31, A.M. '35, were married March 15 in St. Louis, Mr. Phillips is the son of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Phillips of Columbia, He now teaches at Central High School in St. Louis.

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The engagement of MISS POLLYANNA HEARNE, former student in 1933-34, of Poplar Bluff, to DAVID EDGAR BLANTON, A.B. '31, of Sikeston, was announced early this month. The wedding will be held in June. Miss Hearne is a talented pianist. She left the University to attend the conservatory of music at Knox College, and for the last two years has studied with Rudolph Ganz in Chicago. Mr. Blanton received his law degree from Harvard.

1932

MR. and MRS. ELMORE Y. LINGLE, B.S. in B.A. '32, of St. Joseph, announce the birth of a daughter, Ann, on May 2. Mrs. Lingle is the former MISS FLOR-ENCE ANN McININCH, who received an A.B. from the University in 1937.

MR. and MRS. ROBERT CHURCHILL PROCTER, B.S. in Fing. '32, of Springfield, III., are the parents of a son, George Philip, born last March 12.

1933

WALLACE WALTER, A.B. '33, LL.B. '35, is practicing law in Springfield, Mo., and has offices at 910 Landers Building. Mrs. Walter is the former MISS ELIZA-BETH TATUM, student in 1931-32, of Brunswick, Mo. Since beginning his practice in Springfield, Wally has served as president of the Green County Junior Bar Association.

MR. and MRS. PHIL YECKEL, B.J. '33, of Midland, Tex., are the parents of two children: Carl Louis, 3 years old, and Dorothy Jane, who was born last Dec. 19. Mrs. Yeckel is the former MISS JANE C. KING, who attended M. U. in 1932-33. Phil is engaged in the oil well drilling business and has his headquarters in Midland. He was a Tiger gridder in 1930, '31, and '32.

MISS HICLEN LOUISE RUMMELL, former student in 1932-33, of Columbia, and J. Crawford Black of Crystal City, Mo., were married in the Missouri Methodist Church at Columbia April 20, Mr. Black attended St. Louis University and was graduated from the School of Commerce and Finance. They will live in Crystal City where he is employed by the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company.

1934

LAFE ALLEN, B.J. '34, the new president of our branch alumni association in Detroit, is a reporter on the staff of the Detroit Times. Mrs. Allen is the former MISS MARY R. DUMFY, A.B. '34, A.M. '35, of Jefferson City.

Announcement was made in Columbia early this month of the engagement of MISS VESTA SPURGEON, B.S. in Home Econ, '34, of Bland, Mo., to RICHARD ODELL, student in the M. U. School of Medicine, of Farmington. The wedding will take place June 2 in the Westminster College Chapel in Fulton. Miss Spurgeon is now district home management supervisor with the Farm Security Administration in Columbia. Mr. Odell graduated from Westminster College before enrolling in the medical school here.

1936

MRS. RAYMOND McCANN, B.S. in Ed. '36 (Helen Gertrude Ball), visited friends in Columbia early this month. The McCanns live in Marion, Ia., where Mr. McCann is employed. He graduated from the College of Engineering in 1938.

1937

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Geraldine Isabelle Teague of Westboro, Mo., to LOUIS G. NEUDORFF, A.B. '37, B.S. in Med. '38, of St. Joseph. Miss Teague is pediatric supervisor at Missouri Methodist Hospital in St. Joseph. Mr. Neudorff will graduate next month from the Northwestern University school of medicine and on July 1 will begin his interneship at City Hospital

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LENNIE D. JOHNSTON, JR., B.S. in Eng. '37, is recuperating at his parents' home in Columbia this month following a major operation at the University Hospitals on May 2. Lennie, who is a chemist with the Hercules Powder Company in Parlin, N. J., came to Columbia especially for the operation and plans to spend about six weeks here. BEN F. HILLEBRANDT, B.S. in E.E.

BEN F. HILLEBRANDT, B.S. in E.E. '37, was an alumni office visitor on May 7. Ben is still connected with the Union Electric Company in the Webster Groves office. He joined the company immediately after his graduation three years ago.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Brandon of Chillicothe, O., and WILLIAM J. McCREERY, B.S. in Agr. 37, of Olney, Ill., were married April 3 in Poplar Bluff, Mo., where Mr. McCreery is stationed as county agent for Butler County. The bride has been working as a staff nurse at the Lucy Lee Hospital at Poplar Bluff for more than a year. They are living at 411 North Main Street.

DON DOOLIN, B.S. in Ed. '37, has been employed as principal of the Tennant High School in California. He has been living at Oakland recently. Following his graduation here Don went to the University of California where he has been working on his master's degree. His former home is Trenton, Mo.

CHARLES II, CALLISON, B.J. '37, is editor of the Boonville Advertiser, a weekly newspaper published in Boonville, Mo., which last month celebrated its centennial anniversary. Mr. Callison also works on the Daily News which is published from the same office.

The engagement of MISS ALICE MIT-CHELL, B.S. in Ed. '36, of Scottsbluff, Neb., to DR, WILLISTON P. BUNTING, B.S. in Med. '37, of Kansas City, has been announced. Miss Mitchell attended Stephens College before enrolling in the University and recently she has been a member of the College staff. Dr. Bunting received his medical degree from the University of Pennsylvania.

1938
CLYDE E. COMBS, LLB. 38, of Lamar,
Mo., was in Columbia for Law Day last
month and paid a call at the alumni office.
Clyde is city attorney of Lamar and is
associated in practice with his brother,
Carrol, LLB. 31, who is prosecuting attorney of Barton County.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of MISS GLADYS ELIZA-BETH McINTYRE, B.S. in Ed. '38, of Kansas City, to THOMAS JAMES O'BYRNE, student in the Graduate School, of Long Island, N. Y. The wedding has been set for June 8, Since her graduation Miss McIntyre has been teaching in the Kansas City public schools,

MISS MAXINE ENLOW, A.B. '38, research assistant for the Institute for Consumer Education, Stephens College, received word last month that she had been given a one-year graduate scholarship in economics to Radeliffe College, Cambridge, Mass. She will begin her studies next September. She has been working toward a master's degree at M. U.

CLARENCE HATFIELD, B.S. in Ed. '38, has been appointed athletic coach in the Jackson, Mo., high school, "Hattie" is now coaching in Lamar and will complete the school term there. His two older brothers are also in the coaching field: Woodrow here in Columbia, and Allen in St. Joseph. They, too, are M. U. graduates.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Helene Hirschman of St. Paul, Minn., to ROBERT LEWIN, B.S. in B.A. '3S, of St. Louis. The wedding will be held in St. Paul next month.

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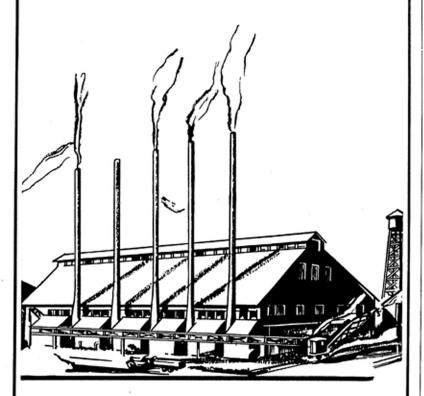
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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Groves Nichols of Kansas City have announced the engagement of their daughter, HELEN NICH-OLS, A.B. '38, to William Joseph Smith, also of Kansas City. Mr. Smith attended the University of Virginia and the Carnegle Institute of Technology.

The engagement of MISS JEAN MIL-LER, B.S. in Ed. '38, of Normandy, to CLARENCE W, FARNHAM, former student, of Iberia, has been announced, Mr. Farnham is working on his master's degree at the University during summer sessions and for the past two years has been superintendent of schools at Iberia. The date for the wedding has not been an-

The engagement of MISS MARTHA KAY WARNICK, B.S. in Ed. '38, of Columbia, and KENNETH FREEMAN, former student, formerly of Armstrong, Mo., was announced last month, Since her graduation Miss Warnick has been teaching in a Columbia elementary school. Mr. Freeman has attended Missouri Valley College, Kirksville State Teachers College, and the Craduate School of the University. He is now principal of the Robert E. Lee school in Columbia. The wedding will be held in Columbia on June 5.

WILLIAM A. BATES, B.J. '38 (as of '37), has joined the staff of Radio Station KCKN in Kansas City, Kansas, For the past two years he was production manager of Station KWOC in Poplar Bluff, His residence is in North Kansas City, Mo.

MISS MILDRED WINTERS, B.J. 38, editor since last December of the women's page of the Fillmore (Calif.) Herald, was honored recently with a journalistic award for "originality in society features and women's pages." The award was made at the annual Matrix dinner of Theta Sigma Phi, honorary sorority for women in Journalism, and was one of eight made to newspaperwomen. Before taking her present position Miss Winters was a reporter on the staff of the Ironton (O.) News. While at the University she was president of the W. S. G. A., and a member of Mortar Board, Theta Sigma Phi, and Kappa Tau Alpha.

HAROLD REGER, B.J. '38, A.M. '39, assumed the editorship of the Crane (Mo.) Chronicle on May 1, succeeding Bill Lynde, B.J. '40, who has joined the staff of the St. Louis Star-Times. The Crane Chronicle is owned by H. R. Long, also an M. U. graduate, who is now in Columbia doing research for the School of Journalism and the Missouri Press Association.

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JANE BOULWARE, B.J. '39 (as of 1938), hits the nail on the head when she writes: "I know there's nothing better in your estimation than a good loaf of salt-rising bread - unless it's a good subscription check for the Alumnus!" We'll take both. Jane renews her subscription with some nice words for the magazine which we appreciate. She is society editor and re-porter for the Visalia (Calif.) Times.

VERNON POWELL, B.S. in Chem. Eng. '39, is working for the Corn Products Refining Company in Kansas City.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Virginia Truitt, senior in Christian College, of Atchison, Kan., to GEORGE WATTS NEWELL, B.S. in Agr. '39, of Rockville. The wedding will take place June 16 at the First Christian Church in Atchison. The couple will live in Lafayette, Ind., where Mr. Newell is a graduate assistant at Purdue University.

THOMAS VAUGHN, B.S. in B.A. '39, was graduated from the army's advanced flying school at Kelly Field, Tex., on May 11. He received his commission as a second lieutenant in the U. S. Army Air Corps Reserve. Tommy's home is in Columbia.

MISS ELIZABETH LOUISE ROBERTS,

former student in 1938-39, of Bridgeport, Conn., and NORMAN C. REAM, B.S. in B.A. '39, also of Bridgeport, were married in that city on April 13. Mr. Ream is employed by Remington Rand, Inc. His new address is 26 Main Street, Mrs. Ream is a graduate of Stephens College.

PREDERIC A. BROWNELL, LL.B. '39, is connected with the claim department of the Actna Casualty and Surety Company in Cleveland, O. His business address is 600 Leader Building. "Brownie's" home is in Kansas City.

MISS NANCY ORR, B.J. '39, of Bessemer, Ala., and Ray Anderson were married April 25, They are now living in Kannapolis, N. C., where Mrs. Anderson has been doing newspaper work.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Mary Louise Lee of Indianapolis, Ind., to W.H.L.I.A.M. L. CLINKSCALES, former student in 1935-36, of Columbia. The wedding will take place in the late summer. Miss Lee was graduated from Stephens College last June. Mr. Clinkscales is now living in Huntington, Ind., where he is employed by the Hoosler Engineering Company.

MISS MURIEL MeDONALD, B.J. '39, of Owosso, Mich., and BERNARD J. AL-COTT., B.J. '39, of Flint, Mich., were married this month. They are now living in Rock Port, Mo., where Mr. Alcott is advertising and circulation manager of the Atchison County Mail. Mrs. Alcott was employed for a short time in the advertising department of the Columbia Dally Tribune.

ROBERT DALE, B.S. in B.A. '39, of Kansas City, was in Columbia May 6 and participated in the annual Tap Day ceremonies on the campus, Bob is now employed by Burger-Baird Engraving Company in Kansas City. He was business manager of the 1939 Savitar.

MR. and MRS. LANE A. McCULLOUGH, B.S. in C.E. '30, of LaCrosse, Wis., announce the birth of a son, Lane Allen II, on April 10. Mr. McCullough is a division engineer for the Milwaukee Railroad and is now stationed in LaCrosse.

MISS MARY FRANCES JEWETT, A.B. 230, of Belleville, Ill., and RICHARD BURT ASEL, B.S. in B.A. 230, were married April 20 in the First Presbyterian Church in Belleville. The couple spent their honeymoon in Memphis and are now at home at the Laxor Apartments in Little Rock, Ark.

HARRY BROADHEAD, JR., A.B. '29, got into the state's news last month when he sunk a hole-in-one while playing his opening round of golf of the season in St. Joseph, his home. The shot was a 170-yard drive. Harry was a member of the Varsity golf squad last year.

Miss Helen Frances Jenkins of Columbia and ROSWELL L. WAYNE, B.S. in Agr. '39, were married in Columbia April 27. The bridegroom is now connected with the U. S. Department of Agriculture and is stationed at Keytesville, Mo.

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LOUIS A. FORT, A.B. '39, student in the Graduate School from Vandalla, Mo., has been appointed to a scholarship and research assistantship at the California Institute of Technology for the coming academic year. Mr. Fort is a candidate for a master's degree at the M. U. commencement next month.

HUDSON HARTMAN, B.S. in Agr. '39, of Belton, Mo., has accepted an appointment as teaching assistant in the division of pomology at the University of California in Davis. He is now a research assistant at the University here and will complete requirements for a master's degree at the end of the summer session. He will assume his California duties in September.

MISS MARIE HANSEN, B.J. '30, spent a three-day vacation in Columbia last month.

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The engagement of MISS MARY MOR-TON WATTS, senior in the University from Jefferson City, to ROBERT LLOYD MORRIS, B.J. '39, of Kansas City, was announced last month. The wedding will take place in June, Miss Watts will graduate at the M. U. Commencement next month.

MISS GRACE SEBASTIAN, former studett in 1935-39, and ROBERT L. NORRIS, student in 1936, were married May 2 in Fulton. They are making their home at Stephens, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Sherr of Kansas City announce the engagement of their daughter, MISS HELEN SHERR, A.B. '39, to Edward Gold, also of that city.

The following members of the Class of 1939 received Gregory Fellowships for the next school year at a recent meeting of the M. U. Board of Curators: CARL ED-WIN FERGUSON, A.M. '39, in field crops; ALBERT S. EISENSTEIN, A.B. '39, in physics; ELBERT ALLAN LOREN, A.B. 39, in economics; PAOLA ENRICO CO-LETTA, A.M. '39, in history.

MISS REBEKAH BLAIR, B.J. '30, visited friends on the campus over the weekend of May 12. Miss Blair is now doing general reporting and feature writing for the Joplin (Mo.) Globe and News-Herald.

HERBERT SHIEBER, B.S. in C.E. '39, has moved to Dodge City, Kan., where he is employed as a junior agricultural engineer with the Soil Conservation Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. His new address is 1204 Central, From his letter we quote "I think you are doing a swell job of keeping the old grads in touch with the University and one another." Thanks a lot, Herb. RICHARD HARRISON, B.J. '39, has

left the Meyers & Foster Engineering Company to take a position with the Rice-Stix Dry Goods Company, Dick's address is 7544 Ellis Avenue in Maplewood, Mo. 1940

Miss Helen Wilton, formerly of Berryville, Ark., and MILLER F. HUNTER, B.S. in Agr. 40, were married March 24 in Columbia, Mrs. Hunter has been employed in the University auditor's office during the last two years.

Mortar Board of '31 Has Annual Reunion

Dear Bob Hill:

On the occasion of our ninth April Fool's party - the eighth consecutive one since graduation in '32 - we've decided that our yearly gathering is of interest to THE ALUMNUS. Herewith we divulge our story:

The five, whose signatures follow, park babies, husbands or beaux to meet every All Fools' Day, armed with a ten cent gift, a nonsensical rhyme, and news of mutual friends. All wear the Mortar Board conferred during their junior year, and have found themselves residents of St. Louis out of the original ten chosen in the spring of 1931.

Our good wishes to the missing five - Virginia Estes, Martha Gilliam, Betty Holmes, Jean McKay, and Margaret Jane Thomas.

Best of luck to you and THE ALUMNUS. (Signed)

Harriet Shellenberger Williamson (Mrs. J. E.) Fern Spolander Moseley (Mrs. F. N.) Helen Seeger

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