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About the Cover

Dr. Elmer Ellis, now in his third year as President of the University, is pictured in informal shots during an interview session. The interview, with more Lee Battaglia photos, begins on page three.
Thirty Alumni Sophomore Achievement Scholarships have been awarded to deserving students through funds contributed to the Alumni Achievement Fund and earmarked for scholarships. Creation of the awards recognizes a need of scholarships for undergraduates beyond the freshman year.

The first recipients of the Alumni Sophomore Achievement Scholarships are: John Arthaud, Wheeling; Phyllis Mae Aufderheide, Columbia; Thomas P. Baker, Dexter; Jimmie Lee Burgess, Columbia; James H. Cravens, New Madrid; John W. Dillon, Sweet Springs; Diane Irene Downing, Richland; Mona Kay Dunham, Independence; Barbara Harper, Rockhill; Bobbie Gene Hasekamp, Wright City; Mary Ann Heins, Carrolton.

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Alumni Scholarship Winners

Nineteen of the thirty scholarship winners are shown at right; the four above are Josephine Carol Prettyman, Mona Kay Dunham, Sylvia May Schabacker, and Jimmie Lee Burgess.
Q. President Ellis, you became President of the University in 1955 after serving a few months as Acting President. Why was no formal inauguration ceremony held for you?

A. It has not been the custom at the University of Missouri for a President who has been appointed from the staff to have a formal inauguration ceremony. No ceremony was held, for instance, for Walter Williams or F. A. Middlebush. In cases where the President is a man virtually unknown in the State, a formal inauguration is highly desirable. Neither the Board of Curators nor I thought that a formal inauguration was desirable in my case.

Q. What are some of the ways in which the presidency differs from the deanship which you formerly held?

A. I suppose the biggest difference is that in the presidency one spends more time in thought on exterior relations of the University with other agencies and groups within and out of the State. There is also the very important change that one
is required more specifically to think in terms of all programs of the University, because he is responsible for the College of Agriculture, the School of Mines and Metallurgy, and the School of Medicine, for example, to the same degree as to that of the College of Arts and Science.

It makes a difference also in the number of people you see, because one must spend a great deal more time with other administrative officers such as the Deans, the business manager and the comptroller, as well as with members of the State administration and the General Assembly in Jefferson City. One is off the campus a great deal more and sees less of students and faculty than he did in the position of Dean.

Q. How do you and Mrs. Ellis like living in the President's House?

A. We like the President's House very much. It is truly a beautiful building with rich historic connections, as it is the oldest building on the campus, going back to 1867. The objectional feature is that it is located on a busy street and in the middle of campus activities, which reduces one's privacy very substantially.

Q. As President, you are probably called upon to make many speeches. Are you able to comply with all these requests or do you have to refuse some?

A. No University President can accept a large proportion of the invitations to speak which come to him. I am accepting as many as I can, giving the first preference to the University itself and attempting to appear before as many state groups to discuss the University as I can. Of course I have to refuse three out of four invitations, many of which I would like very much to accept.

On the other hand, I try to remember what President Donovan of the University of Kentucky said when he retired—if he had his presidency to serve over again he would make fewer and better speeches!

Q. Does your work entail much travel?

A. It seems like a great deal to me, both in the State and out of it. I am trying to hold travel to a minimum in accordance with the needs of the University.

Q. How do faculty salaries at the University compare with salaries at similar Midwest institutions?

A. We have been at some disadvantage over the years, especially in comparison with the institutions with which we logically are in competition. Somehow most of the older and larger state universities in the Midwest have been able to develop better salary schedules than we have.

This problem could get more serious, because too few people prepare themselves for college teaching. As too many universities bid for the services of too few qualified teachers, the best teachers are likely to gravitate to those institutions having the best salaries. However, we are working at the job, and we are going to move along as fast as we possibly can.

I believe the people of the State will want us to maintain high levels of instructions and research and will make it possible for us to do so. We are somewhat better off this year than we were last.
Q. Is the University enrollment increasing about as has been expected?
A. In 1954 we estimated for the General Assembly that our total enrollment at Columbia and Rolla would be about 13,000 in the Fall of 1960. It is almost that high this Fall despite the fact that increases have been limited because of a shortage of dormitory space. The big high school graduating classes which begin next Spring will make that problem worse and will increase the pressure on us tremendously.

Q. How is the University’s building program progressing?
A. Our building program is in accord with our overall plan. We cannot have too many buildings under construction without overloading our local labor market. We have three large dormitories under way at Columbia and one at Rolla. By next Spring we will have three classroom buildings underway at Columbia and two at Rolla. Others will come along just as fast as it is economical to schedule them.

Q. Are we doing anything to develop more parking facilities around the University?
A. That has been one of our worst worries, and it still is. One factor, narrow streets, makes traffic movement and parking a tremendous problem. Off-street parking is necessary, and as fast as we can we are getting parking lots ready. The University is limited in its resources, and of course the acquisition of new

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space is a slow and costly process. It is almost out of
the question to provide enough parking space for
visitors when a convention comes here during the
regular session.

Q. As author of two books on “Mr. Dooley,” are you
still associated with him and his philosophy?

A. Only recently I was approached by a publisher
about doing a new anthology on Mr. Dooley, but I’m
afraid there isn’t time. Yes, it seems I can never escape
what I recall of Mr. Dooley’s philosophy, as created
by Finley Peter Dunne. Would you like a quotation?
Mr. Dooley had been discussing colleges and college
students with Mr. Hennessey when he was asked: “If
you had a boy would you send him to college?” To
which Mr. Dooley replied: “At the age when a boy is
fit to be in college I wouldn’t have him around the
house.”

Q. Are you able to pursue your hobby of collecting
certain old books?

A. Yes, I still add some to my collection of old books
on humor, and I also collect old textbooks on Ameri­
can history. I believe I have most of the famous old
school history textbooks.

Q. What would you say is the biggest problem the
President of the University has?

A. One day I think I know the answer to that one,
and the next day I do not. I suspect it would be too
difficult to try to isolate a single problem as the big­
gest; you see, one problem usually is related to sev­
eral others, and it is often impossible to know where
one stops and another starts.

One of my biggest problems is that of keeping
myself informed about what is going on over all the
vast program which the University operates. This, of
course, I must try to do; otherwise I cannot meet my
obligation to help plan and administer the educационal
services which will most effectively meet the
needs of the citizens of Missouri.

At other times I think the problem centers upon
public relations in its widest aspects. Public relations
with the faculty, the students, the citizens of the
State, with the high schools of the State from which
our students come, with the State Government of
which we are a part, with the other universities and
colleges in the State and nation with whom we co­
operate in a common program. In one sense this is the
major problem, but there are so many important
ones I think it is rather useless to choose one problem
and say it is more important than others.
Historic documents in the Western Historical Manuscripts Collection include a Lincoln proclamation, a Revolutionary War Bond, and a letter from Jeff Davis.

(history comes alive)

The auditorium of the chapel, with its spacious vom- trum, its fifteen hundred opera chairs and its grace- ful spiral gallery, was brilliantly illuminated with electric lights. A stream of figures in dark silhouette against the snow was seen crossing the campus on their way to the entertainment. The air was filled with gladness...

Many of the audience had already taken their seats, and others were coming in, when suddenly and without warning, the large central chandelier fell with a crash into the parterre, barely missing the heads of several affrighted occupants. For a moment all was consternation. Everyone sprang to his feet and started in a wild mob toward the entrance.

No one realized for a moment what had happened. But glancing up to the ceiling whose massive panels supported the floor of the library above, those who remained saw little puffs of smoke darting out from a score of apertures. The room was quickly filled with the pungent odor of burning pine. It was very plain now; the ceiling was on fire. The electric-light wires, becoming poorly insulated, had ignited the in- flammable material of the library floor. Immediately the frightful cry was raised, "Fire! Fire! The University is on fire!"

Thus begins an eyewitness account of the burn- ing of the administration building of the University of Missouri on the night of January 9, 1892. This handwritten recital, contained in a yellowed copybook, has found a place of honor among hundreds of thousands of letters, diaries, business papers, memoirs, religious and educational records, and other types of original manuscript material in the Western Historical Manuscripts Collection.

The visitor who expects to find piles of dusty, cluttered papers and an aged caretaker is in for a big surprise. Instead, as he walks through an open door into a spacious room occupying the northwest corner of the third floor in General Library, he sees row after row of businesslike metal filing cabinets. On the wall to his left are pictures of all the Presidents
of the United States, in neat, identical frames. He is greeted by a charming blonde secretary, Mrs. William McMahill, who offers to escort him on a tour of the room.

Soon the visitor meets Marvin Cain, research assistant, who is busy with documents acquired only hours ago. Two student assistants, Miss Elizabeth Holler and Miss Ann Markley, are seated at massive tables, filing the papers of former Governor Stark in chronological order. At this moment, two other file clerks, Mrs. DR Scott and Mrs. Marvin Cain, are getting a chuckle from the quaint wording in a letter of eulogy. Dr. James N. Primm, director of the Western Historical Manuscripts Collection, is not in evidence, because this is one of the hours that he teaches history to University students.

“What kind of papers do you have?” the visitor asks, and he learns that the Collection recently acquired 221 items pertaining to the administration of Daniel Dunklin, fifth governor of Missouri, 1831-1835. Some controversial points in Missouri history are cleared up by these manuscripts. The letters of this period throw much light on political developments in the state, particularly on the trials and personalities of the Jacksonian party during the 1830s. There are three letters from Thomas Hart Benton.

Other interesting subjects in this group, ranging from 1815 to 1856, include a roll of battalion fines assessed members of the Missouri militia, several pages of Warren Circuit Court record, and some official correspondence concerning Indian depredations in Missouri during the Black Hawk Indian War. Photostatic copies of this collection are available for historical research.

“What is in all these cabinets?” inquires the newcomer. Mrs. Cain comes forward to show him the labels on 31 five-drawer filing cabinets, containing 14,596 folders of W. P. A. papers. During the depression citizens were employed by the Works Progress Administration to copy the records of schools, churches, newspapers, parks, and courthouses. All of the W. P. A. reports for the State of Missouri were turned over to the Western Historical Manuscripts Collection for classification and filing.

“Last year we finished the W. P. A. papers,” says Mrs. Cain. “Now we are about half through 20 five-drawer cabinets of the papers of Lloyd C. Stark, who was governor of Missouri from 1937 to 1941. It is not hard work, but it is long and tiresome. After we finish these, we will start classifying and filing Governor Donnell’s papers.”

“How do you get old manuscripts?” is the next
query. The answer comes from Mr. Cain, who covered 1,200 miles on three field trips in September.

"Usually, when I go into a new territory, I visit the newspaper office for leads about persons who are interested in preserving historical material. The editor sends me to someone who knows someone else. Before long, I have some old ledgers from a doctor's office, a century-old bill of sale, and some letters from a Civil War soldier to his relatives. People are willing to give us old papers when they learn that we will preserve them, catalog them, and make them available for research."

Occasionally, there is contemporary material included which might have political repercussions. In that case, a contract is drawn up which allows employees to classify and file the papers, but designates a future date for public inspection.

Every item in the vast Collection is indexed and cross-indexed on file cards to facilitate finding a specific item quickly. Mr. Cain steps to the card file, thumbs through a drawer, and knows immediately where to find a proclamation signed personally by Abraham Lincoln, March 27, 1861, appointing E. B. Mason deputy postmaster of LaSalle, Illinois. Another trip to the card file helps him locate a letter written by Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederacy. For something really old, he locates a Revolutionary War bond issued by the State of Massachusetts Bay, dated 1777.

"We have all of the ledgers of the Maramec Iron Works, beginning in 1817 and continuing through 1891," adds Mr. Cain, pointing to the shelves on which the ledgers stand. "These ledgers form the basis for a recently-completed research project that will result in the publication of a small book."

The Western Historical Manuscripts Collection was established January 1, 1943, through grants from the Rockefeller Foundation and the University of Missouri. The University has continued to furnish funds and space for the Collection. There have been three directors: Dr. W. Francis English, 1943-1951; Dr. Lewis E. Atherton, 1951-1954, and Dr. James N. Primm, since 1954.

Materials are available not only to University students, but to anyone who is interested in doing research on the history of the State of Missouri and of adjoining states. To the casual caller, the Western Historical Manuscripts Collection is a large room full of businesslike files. To the researcher, it means much more; it represents authentic source material made available in pleasant surroundings by friendly, cooperative assistants.
**CAN'T SIT ON ITS CAMPUS**

President Ellis has long advocated special efforts to see that all promising high school students are encouraged to continue a higher education. In a recent speech in Jefferson City, he said, "The responsibilities of a state university include recruiting from the high schools of the state the proper types of students to enter the various professions. The state university does not meet its obligation by merely sitting on its campus and waiting for proper candidates to apply for admission."

**A LITTLE MORE ROOM, PLEASE**

The three-men-in-a-room situation in men's residence halls may be relieved by semester's end. The current total enrollment on the Columbia campus—9,904—taxes the capacity of University-controlled housing to the limit. It has been necessary to place three men, instead of two, to a room in the permanent residence halls for men. The two new dormitories on South Sixth Street may be ready for occupancy by the close of the semester. The third man in each room in the present dorms and those now living in one of the temporary dorms will be moved into the new quarters. The new buildings will accommodate 512 students.

At women's residence halls, a number of lounges and recreation rooms have been utilized to take care of the increase in enrollment of women students. Rules requiring all freshman women to live in University dorms were relaxed this year to permit a number of freshman women to move into sorority houses to which they were pledged. Through these emergency arrangements, the University has provided housing for 1,301 men in the five men's residence halls instead of the usual 1,000 and for 864 women students instead of 825, the normal capacity in the three permanent and three temporary dormitories for women.

**EXECUTIVE PROGRAM GROWS**

The University's Executive Development Program, now in its fourth year in Kansas City, grows in popularity. When the Tuesday evening sessions began recently, there were 218 students enrolled, the largest number of any year so far. The students represent forty-two business firms in the Kansas City area. They are now in responsible positions with their companies and are taking this formal training to equip themselves for further achievement. The advanced study program is sponsored by the School of Business and Public Administration.

**GOVERNMENT RESEARCH AT M. U.**

A Bureau of Government Research is a new educational program at the University. It will train students for government services, provide consultant assistance to governmental units, and train graduate students in research on practical problems of Missouri government. Funds for the bureau were provided by the General Assembly at its last session. Dr. George Y. Harvey has been appointed director and is setting up the organization. He has been a lecturer in political science at the University for two years. Dr. Harvey is a former federal employee. He spent eight years as staff director of the House appropriations committee in Washington after serving with the Department of Justice and the predecessor to the present Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Dr. Harvey will screen graduate students interested in research who can qualify for research fellowships and be assigned projects. It is planned to publish studies that might be completed in the political science or related departments.

Future activities will include preparation of research reports on current problems of general interest to municipal, county or state governments; handling of individual questions pertaining to governmental problems as posed by groups or by public officials; and working with the Adult Education and Extension Service on conferences of public officials and other interested groups.

**JOURNALISM POSTAGE STAMP?**

Proud alumni of the School of Journalism, making plans for the 50th anniversary of the founding of the world's oldest journalism school, are hoping that a commemorative postage stamp will be issued next year. It used to be that Congress decided on special stamp issues, but the demands became so heavy that the task was handed over to the postmaster general. He found the pressure high, too, and named an advisory committee to make recommendations. For many years it has been the practice to limit new stamp issues to about twelve a year. There are approximately 3,000 applications pending and about twenty-five more a month coming in. The School of Journalism application has been promised "full consideration," and many people are working in behalf of it. A decision may come in November. President Ellis would like the issue date fixed for September, 1958, if the application wins approval, and for the first day of sales to be in Columbia.
Parents' Day

Mr. and Mrs. Elva L. Albers of University City get acquainted with Prof. Frank W. Rucker of the School of Journalism during the Parents Day reception in Memorial Student Union. Their son, David Albers, is a freshman.

Among visitors at the well attended Parents Day on October 5 were Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Knutson of Kansas City. Their daughter, Donna, is a freshman student. Her brother, Ronald Knutson, '57, was prominent in campus activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schroeder of Granite City, Ill., whose son, Joe, is in his first year at M. U. At left is Darlene Willardet.

Engineering Dean H. O. Croft chats with E. F. Brossart and J. L. Tschannen, Brentwood, parents of Fred Brossart, Judith Ann and John Tschannen.
Journalism alums move up

Two graduates of the University of Missouri School of Journalism are in top spots with the Shreveport (La.) Journal.

Douglas F. Attaway, 31, was recently elected president and publisher. He succeeds his father, the late Douglas Attaway, who died July 1.

Robert F. Packwood, '33, for twelve years city editor of the Beaumont (Tex.) Enterprise, became managing editor of the Journal in August.

Douglas F. Attaway brings to the presidency of the firm more than twenty-three years' experience in all departments of the newspaper. He became a permanent staff member in 1934 and in 1940 was named managing editor. After receiving his journalism degree he worked on the Journal two years, then returned to M.U. to earn a bachelor's degree in B.A. in 1934. He is married and has three children.

Bob Packwood, a native of Creston, Iowa, was employed in executive positions by newspapers in Creston, Trenton, Mo., and Canton, Ill., for twelve years before going to Beaumont in 1945. For a period of eight months in 1945 Packwood was co-publisher of the St. Francois County Journal, Flat River, Mo. Mrs. Packwood until recently was associate professor of English at Lamar State College of Technology in Beaumont. They have a 15-year-old son.

Dr. Hattie Anderson retires

When she was only 16 years old, Miss Hattie M. Anderson began teaching in rural schools of her native Missouri. That was the start of an illustrious career that included thirty-seven years at one school, West Texas State College, Canyon. There she retired on August 31 as professor of history.

Before going to Texas in 1920 Miss Anderson attended high school at Sedalia, Mo., taught at Synodical College in Fulton and Missouri Wesleyan College, and earned three degrees. After graduation from Central Missouri State College, she entered the University of Missouri (where she became a teaching assistant). Here she received a B.S. in Education in 1917, an A.M. in 1920—and a Ph.D. in 1935. She also studied one year at the University of Chicago.

When Miss Anderson went to the Texas Panhandle she was engrossed with the idea of being in a frontier society. Her interest in studying a pioneer area while she was engrossed with the idea of being in a frontier society led to the founding of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society. She is regarded as the founder of the society and has served as its corresponding secretary continuously since 1940.

Dr. Anderson has had a propensity for organizing throughout her career. One of the organizers of the Amarillo chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, she was responsible for the beginning of the Canyon and Amarillo chapters of the American Association of University Women, serving both these groups as president.

Dr. Anderson has written numerous articles for historical journals. She is co-author of an American history text, "My Country and Yours," for sixth and seventh grade students, and it is a state-adopted text in five southern states.

The history professor, whose retirement plans include "a little reading," was listed in this year's edition of the Directory of American Scholars. She has been included in such publications as American Women, and Who's Who in the South and Southwest.

Dr. Barclay's retirement

Thomas S. Barclay, professor of political science for the past thirty years at Stanford University and a nationally known authority on American politics, retired from the university faculty on September 1.

Dr. Barclay received his A.B. in 1915 from the University of Missouri and was a member of the faculty from 1922 to 1928.

He received his master's degree at Missouri in 1916 and his Ph.D. at Columbia University in 1924. He was also a fellow at the University of Chicago in 1916-17, a scholar in public law at Columbia in 1920-21 and a consulting fellow at Brookings Institution, 1931-33.

Dr. Barclay served as visiting professor at several leading American Universities including North Carolina, Missouri, Syracuse, Washington (Seattle) Cornell, Minnesota, Michigan and Illinois.

In 1939 he served as secretary to Henry White, one of the Commissioners of the American Commission to Negotiate Peace at Paris. He was a member of the National Alien Enemy Hearing Board in California in 1942-45. He was a delegate to the Democratic National Convention in 1936, 1944, 1948 and a Presidential elector for California in 1944.

Dr. Barclay is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and is serving his second term as a member of the Phi Beta Kappa Senate and is a member of a large number of learned societies. He is the author of three books, and has published numerous articles in the field of American politics and parties. For six years he served as a member of the Board of Editors of the American Political Science Review. He also served on the Executive Council of the Political Science Association and in 1938-39 was a vice-president of that organization.

On his retirement from Stanford, he was honored at a banquet at which more than 100 of his friends and associates gathered. He was presented with a bound volume of approximately 160 letters of appreciation from associates and friends, including Governor Goodwin Knight, Congressman John W. McCormack, and two former students—Senators John Kennedy of Massachusetts and Frank Church of Idaho.
Alumni leaders gather

Alumni leaders were out in good force for their first campus meeting of the fall season. The gathering in the Student Union on September 28 had a fine representation of county chairman, committee members, and national officers of the Alumni Association. University President Ellis was the speaker and later was host at a luncheon which preceded the opening home football game.

Flavius B. Freeman of Springfield, Mo., national president of the Alumni Association, presided. He reviewed activities of the past year and outlined plans for the future. He also reported that active membership had increased twenty-one per cent, that the Alumni Achievement Fund individual gifts were almost double the total of the previous year, and that twelve awards had been presented in cooperation with the University. Freeman said the Alumni Office sent out 250,000 pieces of direct mail and publications to alumni during the year, and that more than 9,000 personal contacts resulted from permanent staff travel. He said he would recommend to the Board of Directors that a goal of 2,500 new active members be set for 1957-58.

Mrs. Hugh Miner of St. Joseph was introduced as the only woman county chairman. She heads the Buchanan County Alumni Association. Hugh Teeters of Indianapolis, Ind. came the greatest distance of any of the chairman. He is head of the Indianapolis chapter.

One week later, on the morning preceding the game with the Texas Aggies, three alumni committees held meetings. The membership committee, the Athletic Advisory Committee, and the Alumni Achievement Fund committee held sessions to check on progress to date and plan for future activity.

Lecture series by D'Arcy

For the first time in its 50-year history, the University of Missouri School of Journalism has enlisted the aid of advertising agency specialists in the teaching of its beginning course in advertising. A special twelve-week lecture series is being offered this semester by the D'Arcy Advertising Company, a national agency with headquarters in St. Louis, at the request of Dean Earl English, to give students an insight into the practical application of advertising principles in business.

Members of the agency's creative copy and art departments, researchers, account executives and administrative personnel, are giving the lectures at the classroom level to more than 200 students enrolled in the school's required course—"Advertising Principles and Practice." Robert C. Hillman, of D'Arcy's administrative staff, who is co-coordinating the speaking program, was the first lecturer. He spoke on the advertising business in general, and showed a film on advertising titled "The Man Who Built a Better Mouse Trap." The second D'Arcy lecturer was Gene M. Kowall, vice-president and executive art director, who spoke on "Layout and Finished Art Work."

The lectures are correlated with regular assignment in the text used in the course, which is taught by Prof. Donald H. Jones. Other D'Arcy speakers in the series are Allan E. Clark, copy director; Walter Armbruster, copy chief; Edward Miller, print production supervisor; J. Robert Mudd, market research director; Bonnie Dewes, account executive; Robert Thies, account co-ordinator; William Holmes, director of print media; Harry Renfro, director of radio-tv media; Joseph Donovan, of the outdoor department, and Jack Macheca, vice president and account executive.

D'Arcy's participation in the classroom teaching is a continuation of the agency's program of co-operation with the various colleges and universities in St. Louis and nearby Missouri and Illinois cities. The lecture series will continue through mid-December.

The demand for teachers continues strong. The supply is short in practically all fields. Dr. Louis A. Eubank, assistant dean of the College of Education and director of the Teacher Placement Service at the University, believes no change is in sight for the immediate future. He reports the increased demand for junior and senior high school teachers was especially noticeable in the past placement year. A total of 587 persons were assisted to positions by the Service during the 1956-57 year. The placements were in thirty-four states, in Alaska, Hawaii, and the Philippine Islands. By far the largest number were placed in Missouri.
Three decades old

Law School Foundation has record of accomplishments.

The Law School Foundation is now in its thirtieth year. In three decades it has numerous achievements to its credit. All of them have been made possible by the voluntary support of Law School alumni.

The Foundation functions on the theory that gratitude for an education in the law, pride in the history of the School, and faith in its future will lead loyal alumni and former students everywhere to welcome an opportunity to invest in its work. The School of Law, now eighty-five years old, is noted for its tremendous contribution to legal learning, to the profession and to the bench. Many of the country’s well known lawyers and jurists are among its graduates. Three years ago the Foundation launched a campaign to triple its investment funds so that existing programs could be strengthened and new ones added. While that goal has not been reached, good progress has been made.

Contributions from law alumni have made possible several prizes for the stimulation of scholarship. Three of the Foundation prizes are memorials to former deans of the School—John D. Lawson, Alexander Martin, and James Lewis Parks. Another is a memorial to Bernard T. Hurwitz, an alumnus. Others are the Guy A. Thompson Prize, the University of Missouri Law School Foundation Prize, and the City National Bank and Trust Company (of Kansas City) Estate Planning Award.

The support of Law School alumni also has enabled the Foundation to carry on such programs as law institutes for the benefit of the bar in Missouri as a project in continuing education. A special program for law students is an annual series of lectures to supplement work of the School of Law which is not covered by the curriculum. This program is under the supervision of Lue C. Lozier, '71. This year six lectures will be given in the field of workmen’s compensation by specialists in that field.

The Earl F. Nelson Memorial Lecture program was established by the Foundation in 1954, and since then five distinguished legal authorities have been brought to the campus as lecturers in this outstanding series. It was Mr. Nelson who proposed to fellow alumni, in 1927, that the Law School Foundation be set up; it was incorporated the following year. The Foundation Dinner was also launched by Mr. Nelson in 1936 to honor law students of high scholarship. It has become one of the traditional highlights of Law Day at which state dignitaries, as well as first-year law students, are guests. After Mr. Nelson’s death, Mrs. Nelson continued support of the annual dinner, and recently the trustees of the Foundation designated the affair “The Edna Nelson Dinner.”

For contributions to maintain and expand its programs, the Foundation relies on the 1,500 alumni of the School of Law. This year, the Foundation itself is not contacting law alumni for gifts; instead, giving to the Foundation will be made through the Alumni Achievement Fund, a central source which channels gifts to the recipients specified by the donors. In the last three years, total funds contributed to the Foundation have averaged $100,000 annually. Approximately 200 persons on the Foundation rolls hold life membership, which are $100, but many have given much more than that.

The 1956-57 officers and trustees of the Law School Foundation are: President, Flavius B. Freeman, '35, Springfield; first vice-president, James A. Finch, Jr., '32, Cape Girardeau; second vice-president, David Hardy, '39, Kansas City; secretary, Marion Francis, '29, St. Louis; treasurer, R. B. Price, '04, Columbia. Trustees are: Oscar Brewer, '37, Kansas City; Judge Lawrence Holman, '29, Jefferson City; Robert Seiler, '35, Joplin; Richard J. Chamier, '33, Moberly; Marion Francis; S. P. Dalton, '18, Chief Justice, Missouri Supreme Court, Jefferson City; George C. Willson, '14, St. Louis; James A. Potter, '05, Jefferson City; Flavius B. Freeman; James A. Finch, Jr.; Judge Alden Stockard, '37, Jefferson City; Robert Eastin, '31, Kansas City; J. D. James, '39, Kansas City; and Latney Barnes, '35, Mexico.

Judge Harper to Little Rock

United States District Judge Roy W. Harper of St. Louis on October 1 was assigned to take over the United States District Court at Little Rock, Ark. The appointment extends to March 29. Judge Harper relieved Judge Ronald N. Davies, who ordered the violently opposed integration of Little Rock Central High School. Judge Davies retains jurisdiction of any federal prosecution resulting from the school integration case. He returned to his regular court in Fargo, N. D.

Judge Harper, who received A.B. and LL.B. degrees from the University in 1929, was born 52 years ago in Southeast Missouri near the Arkansas border. In 1955 he received an Honor Award for Distinguished Service in Law from the University’s School of Law. He was appointed to the federal bench by President Truman in 1947. At that time he was a lawyer in Caruthersville. Earlier he had practiced at Steele.

Commenting on the assignment, the St. Louis Globe-Democrat said: “Judge Harper is a man of proved competence and judgment—respected throughout the bar. His assignment will, as Judge Davies suggested, contribute to judicial administration in Arkansas in the present atmosphere.”

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Arnold W. Klemme to India

Arnold W. Klemme, veteran member of the University's College of Agriculture staff, left this month for India where he will be chief of University of Missouri personnel who will be sent to provide technical assistance to four states in India.

The University is fulfilling an agreement with the Indian government and the International Cooperative Administration to furnish technical help with agricultural teaching, research, and extension programs in the states of Bihar, West Bengal, Assam, and Orissa.

Klemme will set up headquarters in Calcutta and await the arrival of six specialists in agricultural engineering, agricultural economics, soil fertility, extension work, veterinary medicine, and animal nutrition.

Klemme had been connected with the Agricultural Extension Service for twenty-eight years as county agent and soils specialist. For the past two years he has been assistant director of the Experiment Station, and in recent months has supervised programs on eight outlying experimental fields of the University.

Homer J. L'Hote, administrative assistant to the Dean of the College of Agriculture, succeeds Klemme as assistant director of the Experiment Station. He joined the administrative staff in 1937 and in recent years has supervised the photo and fertilizer inspector service.

Joseph C. Caldwell, supervisor of foreign trainees, is coordinator of the home staff for the Indian mission. He is an Agricultural Extension Service veteran of twenty-six years, with county agent experience in five Missouri counties. Caldwell has been foreign trainee supervisor since 1952.

Cloyd Wallace, Geology, '28, of Houston, Texas, was on the campus recently and said he was going to be here. "Ready and happy" for the class reunion planned for the Oklahoma game weekend. He is assistant chief geophysicist for the Texas Company. His daughter, Diane, is a sophomore, a transfer student from Texas U. In Columbia Mr. Wallace visited Dr. R. E. Peck, chairman of the Department of Geology.

Great weekend in Dallas

When Missouri alumni gathered in Dallas October 11 for the Cotton Bowl game between the Tigers and Mustangs, the attendance was excellent and the spirit lively. In addition, the Dallas Chapter of the University of Missouri Alumni Association turned in a highly efficient job of handling the arrangements. For this, President Jay Minton and his colleagues can take full credit. Everything was just about ideal for the Tiger followers, capped by the one-point victory, Missouri's first triumph over S.M.U. in nine years.

...The alumni made their headquarters in Parlor A of the Adolphus Hotel, where registration was held under the direction of Fred Green, Southwest editor of Electrical Merchandising, assisted by Ruth Pines and Irene Humphries.

The Roof Garden luncheon, attended by 145 persons, was addressed by President Elmer Ellis and Head Coach Frank Broyles. Alumnus Elgin Crull, Dallas city manager, presided. Among the guests were Dr. Humphill Hosford, Provost of Southern Methodist University, and Athletic Directors Don Faurot of Missouri and Matty Bell of S.M.U. Others introduced included Lester Cox of Springfield, member of the M.U. Board of Curators, and Flavias B. Freeman of Springfield, national president of the M. U. Alumni Association.

Arrangements for the luncheon were directed by Cliff Blackmon, assisted by Bill Lynde. Both are public relations men, Blackmon for the First National Bank and Lynde for the American Petroleum Institute. Mrs. Jay Minton was in charge of decorations.

Jim Crawford headed the welcoming committee and arranged for tours of Dallas stores by Missouri women. Jim is executive manager, Dallas Retail Merchants Association.

The Bar-B-Q at the Texas State Fairgrounds near the Cotton Bowl was the second big event of the day, and it was heavily attended. Andy Butynes, advertising agency account executive, was in charge, assisted by Fred Damon, of the Dallas Morning News advertising department, and free-lance actor Don Sauermann of Don Sauermann Productions.

Special busses took the alums from downtown Dallas to the Fairgrounds and returned them to the Adolphus after the game. This worked out perfectly, except for Bus Entsminger and his party, who failed to heed the directions Bus had given, and wound up trudging aimlessly about the Fairgrounds until they finally hailed a cab.

The Dallas chapter members did a bang-up job of handling myriad details for the week-end to make visiting alumni feel welcome and at home in Big D.
briefs by Bus

Not long ago I read a news item which quoted a retired professor as saying that too many students go to college for the social life, and that they work a hardship on other students who are serious minded. He was speaking of the midwest university where he served on the faculty.

Well, the same criticism from time to time has been levelled at the University of Missouri (and various other schools)—that it is too much of a “party school,” too much of a “country club.” On numerous occasions, in talking with parents of prospective freshmen, I have learned that some of the parents seem to be under this impression, and tend to guide their children to other institutions.

Maybe an alumni secretary shouldn’t touch on a discussion of this type, and maybe he should. But as our friend Timothy Hays would say, “I believe in scratchin’ where it itches, not where it looks the best.” So let’s explore a few things about this “party school” charge and try to arrive at some fairly objective measurement.

One very positive reason why I, as an alumni secretary, think that this matter should be discussed, regardless of what it might stir up, is this: the alumni are responsible for the standing of their alma mater. I think you’ll agree with me on this if you’ll just give it a few moments of consideration. After all, a reputation is gained by what has been done in the past.

The present generation has not yet left any specific reputation for the University of Missouri—they are the University at the present time. Whatever they do on the campus will have a lasting effect, but it will take quite a few years before it is recognized. So, if our University is one of the finest educational, research, and intellectual institutions in America, it is because of the alumni who, as students (anywhere from five to fifty years ago), have given their Alma Mater such a reputation. On the other hand, if we are a “party school,” that too is the responsibility of the alumni, because they made such a reputation for the University.

I, for one, will never believe that the University of Missouri is any more a “party school” than any other educational institution in this country. I will never believe that there is more drinking or wilder parties going on among our student body now—or ever in the past—than on any other campus.

Still we cannot deny that there are some parents or other persons away from the campus who jokingly or seriously associate that label with the University. It is not a flat charge openly made, you don’t read it in the headlines; it’s an impression that got started some years ago and still makes the rounds in the form of gossip and innuendo. We as alumni must not let the “party school” suggestion go unanswered, for any criticism of the University is also criticism of you—the alumni. When we challenge this accusation, we must find out the basis of it, we must demand evidence to back it up.

Those who give currency to the “party school” tie-in should be informed of the rigid control established by the University administration, of the fact that any social function to be carried on on the campus must be registered in the Dean of Students office, that a chaperone must be present and turn in a report when the social affair is completed. In any community of ten thousand (and this is the size of our present student population), there are some who are excessive in many activities; that is to be conceded. But if this mistaken impression of a “country club” school is held by any persons in your presence, you and you alone hold the key to rectify the situation. It is just another one of those responsibilities that fall to us, the alumni of a great American institution—to defend what is ours, to defend what is right, and to make certain that false accusations do not go unchallenged and uncorrected. If we recognize this responsibility and carry it out, we are then even more assured that the University of Missouri, and consequently all of us as individuals, retain the qualities of confidence, pride and respect.

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Coach Tom Botts honored

Thomas W. Botts, head track coach at the University, was one of six distinguished alumni of Westminster College to receive alumni achievement awards at Fulton on October 19. The honors, presented at a dinner in conjunction with Dad’s Day activities, recognized outstanding contributions the recipients have made in their various fields. Tom Botts has been track coach at Missouri since 1946. He is a native of Audrain County, Missouri. Following his graduation from Westminster in 1927, he taught and coached at Ruskin high school, Hickman Mills, Mo. three years. After a year at the University of Kansas as a fellow in American history, he joined the athletic staff of the Fort Scott, Kan. high school and junior college. He remained at Fort Scott until 1941, when he went to M. U. as assistant track coach. From 1947 through 1949, Missouri track teams coached by Botts won five out of six indoor and outdoor conference titles.

Mrs. Botts is the former Virginia Mullinax, A.B. from Missouri in 1926.
Defensive play brightens Missouri hopes

When the 1957 Missouri Tigers had completed their four intersectional games and were primed for Big Eight play, fans decided they had something by which to size up the outfit coached by Frank Broyles. It was definitely a new-look team, with new promise. Dogged defensive play was becoming its trademark. Wide open offensive play appeared to be a thing of the past. The lack of team speed was decried on all sides, and tactics were adjusted to offset the shortage. If there was any gambling, it was not by the quarterback, but rather on the possibility or hope of enemy miscues. The fan in the stands thought he had it figured out: "We have no speed, we can't gain much, so let the other fellow have the ball and maybe he'll fumble or we'll intercept." As a matter of record, Missouri's tie game and one of its victories came about largely in that fashion.

But if the Tigers couldn't match their stout defensive play with a lightning-attack, they could match it in other ways—in monumental effort, in all-out desire, in never giving up. This combination of emphasis on defense and 60-minute battling gave the Tigers one of their finest pre-conference series in years. Acclimated to entering league play with two or three defeats, the Tigers this year had a 2-1-1 record. The single loss to Texas A&M was by a sizeable score, 28 to 0. The Vanderbilt opener was a 7-7 tie. The victory over Arizona came rather handily, 35 to 13. But the one-point squeak over Southern Methodist, 7-6, was a masterpiece of back-to-the-wall defense and playing it close to the vest all the way.

In three of those four games, Missouri was the underdog. It was picked to lose to Vandy by one touchdown, to the Aggies by three, and to the Mustangs by two. By the time Missouri opened conference play against Iowa State, it was rated even with the team from Ames, which itself had taken on some Cinderella aspects after tying Syracuse, trouncing Kansas and holding Oklahoma to its smallest rushing total in nine years.

If football in general is returning to stress on defense, Missouri is abreast of the trend. Fans who think excitement of the games comes only from long gainers and high scores, may decide that the tug-of-war between two strong defenses has something to offer after all. This view will be endorsed by anyone who saw the terrific struggle in the Cotton Bowl, where Missouri downed S.M.U. for the first time since the upset of 1948. The magnificent goal-line stand of the Tigers late in the game when they stopped the Mustangs after three stabs inside the one-yard line, had the spectators near nervous collapse.

As Coach Broyles wrote in his weekly sports letter: "If they measure a football coach's life in terms of one-point victories, we know of one coach who is not long for this business. In fact, it's doubtful if he could stand the stress of another game this season similar to that 7-6 Missouri win. We felt both elated and exhausted in the Cotton Bowl locker room following our players' great performance. For my money, it was my greatest coaching thrill ever."

With the Tigers' change in style of play it may be best to view in a new light the statistics following each game. In the past, when Missouri met defeat, it often happened that the team piled up more first downs and more rushing yardage than the victor. The die-hard fan could say, "Well, anyway, we got more first downs than they did." On the basis of the first four games this year, Tiger statistics are down considerably, but the end result—the outcome of the games—has been more heartening. The Tigers had made only 41 first downs to 65 for their four opponents, and 329 rushing yardage to 1093. Still, the record was 2-1-1.

Missouri may yet have a passing attack, but it had not materialized in the early games. Only eleven aerials had been completed in 41 attempts, and the total gain was 159 yards, as against a total of 184 for opponents, who completed 28 tosses in 56 tries.

In punting, Missouri's average over its foes was due to tremendous gains from quick kicks by Haas and Curtright. Ordinary punting was averaging about 34 yards.

The Tigers scored five touchdowns against Arizona (three by Kuhlmann), one against Vanderbilt, and one against S.M.U. Two linemen have scored—Swaney against Vanderbilt with an intercepted pass and a 51-yard run, and Pidcock, who pounced on a loose ball in Arizona's end zone. Rash had a perfect record in kicking extra points—7 for 7.

In other individual statistics, Kuhlmann was the workhorse among ball carriers, being called on 37 times for 147 yards and an average of 3.7 yards per carry. Cramer ran 17 times for 88 yards, for a 5.1 average. Other backs who gave signs of dependable ball carrying are Haas, Curtright, Henger, St. Pierre, Meyers, James, and McCoy.

Missouri will have a fine season if it lives up to expectations that built up after the first four games. At that time it had fared far better than had been hoped.
This is how Missouri's new football coach, Frank Broyles, is seen by his players during the game. On the bench with his players, he is prey to the Autumnal Agony that grips coaches the country over. The symptoms: extreme tension, a caged lion movement, and a thousand deaths, all occurring on a Saturday afternoon.
These pictures were taken during the Arizona game, with the Tigers ahead throughout, but Coach Broyles could not shake off his look of frantic desperation. Here, with a dramatic gesture, he appears to be delivering a fervent plea, but is probably calling for a replacement. Below, workhorse Fullback Hank Kuhlmann comes to the sidelines for a rest, and is greeted by his coach—who keeps his eye on the action. At right below, he sits with Quarterback Phil Snowden and is relatively relaxed—being content to rub the back of his head, in contrast to his usual nervous prowling of the sidelines during the battle. Off the field, the auburn-haired mentor is soft-spoken and easy-going. In organizing his staff for his new job at Missouri, Broyles retained three assistants and imported three others. He places heavy reliance on his assistant coaches.

Broyles, a star quarterback at Georgia Tech where he later served as assistant coach, confers closely with his signal callers on last minute instructions but largely he leaves field generalship up to them; the kids call their own game. Broyles' coaching features emphasis on the defensive game, the belly series, the quick kick.
**class notes**

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89  **EUGENE W. COFFEY, LLB**, attorney of Sedalia, Mo., is 91 years old this month, and writes us that he met our new football coach at a ham breakfast in Sedalia this fall, and he thinks Mr. Broyles is fine. Mr. Coffey has been an active legislator, serving three terms in the Missouri House, 1933, '37 and '39. He also served ten years on the State Board of Probation and Parole. Other alumni in his family are his grandson, **LAWRENCE E. COFFEY, BS BA '50**, and Mrs. Lawrence Conley, who was JOANNE PARRISH, BSC '49, of 720 Billantan, S. E., Grand Rapids 7, Mich. His home is at 1020 West Fourth St., Sedalia, Mo.

93  **H. T. BOTTS, LLB**, has been in active practice of law in Tillamook, Ore., since 1901, and has been president of the local bar for many years. His many years in Oregon have made him fond of that coast country, which is known as the land of "cheese, trees and ocean breeze." Tillamook has a population of approximately 6,000. Mr. Bott's home is at 716 Main Avenue there.

94  **Mrs. IDA GERIG PARKER**, AB, AM '95, retired teacher, lives at 1942 W. Redwood St., San Diego 1, Calif.

95  **ALEXANDER SCOTT CUMMINGS, LLB**, continues to practice law in his home town of Bethany, Harrison County, Missouri.

96  **HUBBARD K. HINDE, Jr.**, AB, has been living in Oklahoma City for the past ten years. At present he is timekeeper at the Skirvin-Tower Hotel, Broadway at First, in that city. His home address is 227 NE 8th St. In recalling former University days, Mr. Hinde mentions his sister, **ANNIE HINDE BURKHEAD, AB '96**, his brother, **JAMES CURD HINDE, BS EE '96**, and an associate, **A. M. HITCH, AB '97, BS-Ed '97, AM '41**, of Kemper Military Academy in Boonville, that all three of whom are now deceased. Mr. Hinde thinks there is nothing particularly interesting about himself or his present occupation, but he does have good health, and would enjoy hearing from those of sixty-plus years ago.

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97  **Bert Munday, BS '98, MD '99**, physician, lives at 506 Hudson St., New York City, N. Y.

99  **Charles E. Covert, LLB, and Mrs. Covert**, who was VIRGINIA SUTHERLAND, BS '96, have been married 54 years, and have lived and worked in Houston, Mo., the entire time. They have two daughters.

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101  **Charles E. Merrifield, Arts**, is retired and is living at 217 East 18th Street, Cameron, Mo. Mr. Merrifield writes us on the death of a former classmate, **C. A. Greene, AM**, formerly of Triplett, Mo., early in 1947 at his home in Pasadena, Calif. Mr. Greene had been a prominent educator of Missouri, serving as superintendent of schools at St. Joseph, Trenton, and Webb City. At one time he was one of the committee for the revision of Missouri State laws.

103  **W. B. Rollins, BS ME, ME '95**, and Mrs. Rollins have sold their home on Benton Boulevard in Kansas City, Mo., where they have lived for 55 years, and have moved to a new home at 6322 Rockhill Road. Mr. Rollins, retired consulting engineer, enjoys good health and keeps active in civic, church and Masonic organizations. He is a life member of the alumni association.

105  **Ernest F. Robinson, BS CE, CE '97**, retired, lives at 600 South Stewart Street in Winchester, Va. Among the interests of his retirement age are the six grandchildren, three boys and three girls. His oldest son is William K. Robinson, BS CE '25.

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107  **Frank Willis Plunkett, BS Ed. AB '67 professor emeritus of Kansas State College in Hays, Kansas, received in 1932 after 23 years as professor of English and 19 of which he served as head of the department. Dr. Plunkett received his Ph. D. degree at Indiana University in 1931. He is continuing to study after retiring, taking creative writing courses at the Universities of Michigan and Iowa, and may be enrolled at Missouri next year. His home is at 101 Thomas Street in Joplin.

109  **Homer Crov, Arts, D. Lit. ’96**, has a new book, “The Lady from Colorado,” which is the story of an Irish lass, Katie Lawder, and her success and failures on two continents.

111  **James A. Taylor, LLB**, retired, recently returned from a five month trip through Europe. He was on this tour during reunion time in June, and thus missed the 50th reunion of his class. Mr. Taylor lives at 6514 High Drive in Kansas City, Mo.

113  **J. Ben Hill, BS Agr., sent us a few facts about an “old alumni” which he says aren’t worth publishing, but we would like to quote: “I entered the University in September, 91. My academic career was handicapped and slowed down, but I had the virtue of a postage stamp— sticking to it until you get there. I have spent a lifetime at University teaching, my first appointment being when I was selected a student assistant to Dr. W. L. Howard, then professor in the Department of Horticulture. I did my first teaching as a graduate assistant in the Department of Botany at Cornell University in 1907, fifty years ago. I have been Professor Emeritus from Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pa., since 1949. I was a
visiting professor at the University of Miami, Coral Gables, Fla., 1949-1952, and again February to June, 1957, when I taught two classes with a total of 60 to 65 students. This completed 50 years of teaching." Dr. Hill received his AB degree from Cornell University in 1909 and a Ph.D. degree from the University of Chicago in 1913. Two textbooks, both published by McGraw-Hill, bear his name. They are "Botany," by Hill, Overholts and Popp, and "Genetics and Human Heredity," by Hill and Hill. Dr. Hill's address is Box 286, State College, Pa.

"Rio Grande Deadline" is ALIAN VAUGHN ELLSTON'S, BS CE, new book, published by Lippincott on October 1. It is a story of lawlessness in the pioneer days around Alamosa, Col., N. Mexico, when the last of Billy the Kid's gang was furnishing the excitement. Like his other seventeen western novels, this is excellently plotted. His backgrounds are always authentic, because he visits each year the locality he chooses for his current book, and then he puts across the feeling of the land. He has become one of the top western writers in the country and has a devoted following. He is the son of the late SARAH GENTRY ELLSTON, for whom Gentry Hall was named. His home is at 211 Oak, Flower St., Santa Ana, Calif.

V. L. BOARD, BS EE, now lives at 277 Humboldt, Denver 18, Colo.

FRED D. HARRIS, BS CE, will retire on January 1, 1958, from the Missouri State Highway Department, after 36 years service. He has been engineer of supplementary highways and local roads since 1915. A former resident of Lebanon, Mo., Mr. Harris began work for the department in 1913 as a resident engineer in District 8. He was promoted to maintenance engineer for that district in 1915 and was transferred to the main office in Jefferson City in 1936. FRANK L. STUCKEY, BS Eng. '20, formerly of Jefferson City and now of the Hannibal district, will fill the position vacated by Mr. Harris. The Harris home is at 113 Douglas Drive in Jefferson City.

Dr. THOMAS S. FLEMING, prominent alumnus of Moberly, Mo., for many years, in October was presented an award by the Missouri Heart Association for outstanding service in the field of heart-circulatory diseases. Among the several Missouri alumni in Dr. Fleming's family is Dr. J. WILL FLEMING, Jr., '35, also a practicing physician of Moberly and a nephew of Dr. Thomas Fleming.

FRANK P. BRIGGS, BJ, Macom (Mo.) newspaper publisher, was installed as grand master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri Masons in St. Louis on September 26. Mr. Briggs, who has been a Mason since 1915, is a former U. S. Senator, and is at present a member of the Missouri Conservation Commission. Editor of the Macom Chronicle-Herald, he is a past president of the Missouri Associated Dailies. He also has a farm north of Macom, and is enjoying raising Aberdeen Angus cattle, this interest going back to his boyhood near Fayette. Mr. and Mrs. Briggs have three children, three of whom are journalists. RUTH BRIGGS BRACKET, BJ '45, is on the faculty of the School of Journalism. EUGENE BRIGGS, BJ '33, is with the Portland Oregonian. THOMAS BRIGGS, '50, is advertising manager of the Macon newspaper.

CLARENCE F. WASSER, Eng., is division programmer and planning engineer for the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads in Jefferson City, Mo. He has been with this department since 1936. His daughter, BARRARA, BS Ed. '56, is now Mrs. Bruce B. Melcher of Kansas City. His address is P. O. Box 42, Jefferson City, Mo.

L. KING BANKS, BS Agr., is semi-retired, and lives at 1919 Grand, Delta, Colorado. He is general manager of the Del Norte Potato Growers Association, owns and manages two irrigated farms, is active in PCA work and in Farmers Union Insurance. Mrs. Banks, the former Hazel Davies, was the first Christian College May Queen. They have four children and fifteen grandchildren. (His interests and avocations, and grandchildren, would seem to make semi-retirement a busy life.)

PAUL S. LOMAX, BS Ed., professor emeritus of New York University, is a visiting professor at Southern Illinois University, in Carbondale, with the School of Business. He will be there until June 11, 1958. During the past school year Mr. Lomax was special supervisor, State Department of Education, Sacramento, where he conducted a state-wide study of business education in California. The Lomax permanent address is 21 Beach Place, Maplewood, New Jersey. J. BURTON ALFORD, BS Agr., is in the feed manufacturing business in McComb, Miss.

Mrs. Alfred W. Baldwin, who was MERLE COON, BS Ed., now lives at 1315 E. Elm Street in Springfield, Mo.

MASON VAUGH, BS Agr., BS Eng. '21, Ag. Eng. '28, and Mrs. Vaugh, who was CLARA PENNINGTON, AB, BS '08, have returned this year from India, where they have spent 5½ years in a mission college. They were stationed at Allahabad, India, and, although back in the States to live, continue "by remote control" their interests and work. Their home is at 17535 Private Drive, Glynn and Lee, Cleveland 12, Ohio.
**Tom F. Blackburn, BJ, magazine editor, is planning to retire next year and to move to the San Diego, Calif., area. Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn now live at 9500 Telegraph Road, Route 1, Deerfield, Illinois.**

**Monzo O. Briscoe, BS Ed., AM '24, has lived in suburban New York City since 1924 when he was appointed to a position in the Jamaica Teachers Training College. He has been in the city schools since that time. Dr. Briscoe received his Ph.D. degree from Columbia University. In 1941 he transferred to the High School Division of the public schools. Half of his time now is work in the Newtown High School, and the rest is given to Retirement Board work and allied teacher welfare work in the city. Dr. Briscoe began his work with the Retirement Board in 1912, when the teachers of the city elected him one of their representatives, and to which post he has been re-elected every three years. For the past 20 years he has been president of the Pension Digest Associates, who publish the Pension Digest, a publication devoted entirely to retirement problems and our law. Dr. and Mrs. Briscoe maintain Missouri connections by spending a part of each summer on their farm at Foster (Bates County), Missouri, a farm his father purchased in 1905. Each summer they also travel to some part of the United States which they have not seen. Their home is at 82-27 165 Street, Jamaica 32, New York.**

**Prof. Terence Pihlblad, AM, Ph.D. '25, left in August for Oslo, Norway, to join the staff of the Institute of Botany there. Dr. Pihlblad, professor of sociology at the University, will return to Columbia in time for the spring semester. Several years ago when he was in Norway on a Fulbright research appointment, he began research on a population migration from rural to urban areas in North-Central Norway, and will continue this work this winter. The grant for the work was made by the Populations Council of New York and the University Research Council. The Pihlblad home in Columbia is at 408 S. Garth.**

**Prof. Lewis Grover Abernathy, who has taught physics at Central College in Fayette the past 31 years, retired in August as professor emeritus. He has continued his work the past two years after reaching retirement age until a successor could be secured. Professor and Mrs. Abernathy are continuing to make their home in Fayette, Mo.**

**Edna Bickley, AB, is librarian at Missouri Military Academy in Mexico, Mo., this year. Miss Bickley lives at 604 W. Monroe in Mexico.**

**M. J. Regan, BS Agr., AM '28, extension dairy specialist at the University since 1920, has joined the International Cooperation Administration for a 12 months assignment in Costa Rica. He has been granted a leave of absence from the University. Mr. and Mrs. Regan went to Costa Rica in late August, after two weeks in orientation in Washington. They spent two years in Iran in 1953 and 54, when Mr. Regan, on an I.C.A. project, helped establish an extension service and acted as director of agriculture. Their Columbia home is at 235 S. Greenwood.**

**Mrs. Zoe S. Harwood, Arts, of Brookfield, Mo., has been appointed an educational counselor for Christian College in Columbia, and will represent the College in Iowa, Illinois, Nebraska and Northern Missouri area. Mrs. Harwood has taught in the rural schools in Linn and Chariton county for 15 years, was acting superintendent of schools of Linn County for two years, and has been secretary to the county superintendent for 12 years. Her daughter, Daphne, was graduated from Christian College last year.**

**Joseph Brecklein, druggist, lives at 6220 High Drive, Kansas City 15, Mo. Of important and current interest to Mr. and Mrs. Brecklein are their five grandsons.**

**Marvin V. Maxwell, BS Eng., is living at 9941 Ridge-way Ave., Evanston, Illinois.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hanks live at 16 Upper Ladue Road, St. Louis 9, Mo. Their son, Thomas Dixon, entered Princeton Summer this fall. Another son, David Allen, is a senior at Country Day School in St. Louis. Their daughter, Carol Elizabeth, is a ninth grader at John Burroughs school. Mrs. Hanks is the former Elizabeth Dixon, BS Ed.**

**Hugh Teeters, BS BA, of 7929 Evanston Road in Indianapolis, Ind., and Mrs. Teeters, who is a graduate of Stephens College and of Nebraska University, called on alumni friends in Columbia in September. Mr. Teeters, MA realtor, has the Hugh Teeters Realty Company in Indianapolis. He is currently president of the Indianapolis Alumni Club.**

**Stephen G. Price, of 901 St. James Place, Wichita 6, Kansas, now has a daughter, Stephanie, enrolled as a sophomore at Missouri. Mr. Price is a brother of Alice E. Price, BS Ed., AM '30, of Birmingham, Michigan.**

**Roy D. Hockensmith, BS Agr., AM '28, soil specialist attached to the Washington, D. C. office of the U. S. Soil Conservation Service, in August received a fellowship award in the Soil Conservation Society. Mr. Hockensmith achieved international recognition for his work in the soil sciences. He is director of soil survey operations for SCS and is presently chairman of the Organization and Policy Committee. Mr. Hockensmith is also a widely recognized author on soil classification and land capability and has represented the United States on important international missions. Mrs. Hockensmith is the former Edith McKenzie, BJ '30. Their home is at 2834 McKinley Place NW, Washington 15, D. C.**

**Thomas F. Brawner, BJ, has been appointed assistant to the Director of Public Relations for The Texas Company at Houston, Mr. Brawner joined Texaco in 1946 as a public relations representative at Houston. Prior to that he had been engaged in newspaper work with the Arkansas Gazette, the Beaumont Enterprise and the Port Arthur News. Mr. Brawner lives at 2317 Sul Ross, Houston 6, Texas.**

**Herman C. Kruse, BS BA, and Mrs. Kruse visited the campus early in September on their way home to San Francisco after six months of work in Washington, D. C. Mr. Kruse is an executive representative for Pacific Gas and Electric Company at 2145 Market Street in San Francisco. While in the East they visited their son who is in Thomas F. Brawner, '28**
service. In Missouri they visited a brother, EDGAR KRIUSE, of St. Charles, and other relatives in this area. The Kruse home in San Francisco is at 2500 Steiner St.

JAMES L. HAMILTON, Jr., BS Eng., in August was made executive vice-president and general manager of sales for the Granite City Steel Company in Granite City, Ill. Mr. Hamilton has been with this company since 1933 when he became a sales engineer in their St. Louis District Sales office. He became successively, assistant general manager of sales, sales manager, vice-president in charge of sales and, in 1956, vice-president and general manager of sales. He became a director of the Company in 1959. Mr. Hamilton is a director of Manufacturers Bank and Trust Company, Illinois State Chamber of Commerce and Roosevelt Federal Savings and Loan Association. His home is at 55 Loren Woods, Ladue, St. Louis County.

PAUL A. GORMAN, BS BPA, vice-president of manufacturing for Western Electric Company, manufacturing and supply unit of the Bell Telephone System, in July outlined plans for the company's new plant to be built north of Lee's Summit, Mo. A telephone equipment plant, to cost more than 20 million dollars and employing 3,500 to 4,000 persons, will be built on Highway 69 and Scheer Road, about 15 miles from downtown Kansas City. Mr. Gorman, born in Carrollton, Mo., began work with Western Electric in 1929 as a clerk in accounting. He went up through accounting and later the operations department. In 1937 he was superintendent of the Tonawanda plant in Buffalo, N. Y. He became company director in 1955 and assumed his present position in September, 1956.

ALICE E. PRICE, BS Ed. AM '39, has been teaching in the high school of Birmingham, Michigan, for the past 12 years. Miss Price lives at Apt. 107, 3270 Albert Ave., Royal Oak, Mich.

ROBERT L. MURPHY, LLB, formerly a special agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation in Kansas City, recently was elected assistant vice-president of the Plaza Bank of Commerce there. After retirement from government service Mr. Murphy worked with the National Bank of North Kansas City and Commerce Trust Company, with the FBI he became in charge of the bureau's Portland, Milwaukie and P 1 Pask offices and was administrative assistant to the special agent in Chicago. His home is at 9099 Meridian St., Kansas City 14, Mo.

STANLEY D. BREITWEISER, Arts, former vice-president in charge of marketing for the Vickers Petroleum Company, Wichita, Kans., became vice-president of marketing for D-X Surplus Oil Company in Tulsa on October 1. Mr. Breitweiser joined Continental Oil Company in Kansas City after he was graduated and was associated with this company for 22 years before going with Vickers.

GEORGE C. HOLMAN, BS Ch.E., has been appointed assistant manager of manufacturing for cellophane and acetate film in the du Pont Company's Film Department. Mr. Holman, manager of the Sprunce cellophane plant since 1954, joined the company in 1931 as a student operator at the Old Hickory cellophane plant. He later held various supervisory positions in the Sprunce plant and the Yorkes film plant in Buffalo, N. Y. He was manager of the Clinton, Iowa, cellophane plant from 1950 to 1954. His home is at 180 Wakefield Road, Stratford Hills, Richmond 25, Va.

MRS. CLARA LOUISE MYERS, BS Ed., who was Clara Louise Hauser of St. Louis, is an associate professor of social work at the University, and is presently on sabbatical leave working toward a doctorate in social work at Washington University. Mrs. Myers recently was selected one of ten group discussion leaders to go to Washington D. C. with 100 housewife delegates to a Congress on Better Living. This new Congress is the second and follows the first women's Congress on housing, held by the United States Housing Authority in April, 1956, in Washington. Mrs. Myers attended the first Congress as a discussion leader. Her St. Louis address is 3912 Lafayette, but her permanent address is 201 Dumas Apts., Columbia, Mo.

HAROLD C. PFIEFFER, BS BA, is sales manager for Paulo Products Company in St. Louis, Mo. The Pfeiffer home is at 8901 Rosalie, Brentwood 17, Mo.

PERRY L. BIDSTRUP, AB, BS Ed., '51, is with the Midwest Research Institute at 415 Volker Blvd., Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Bidstrup lives at 715 Proctor Place in Independence.

A. LOYD COLLINS, AM, has been appointed director and supervisor of practical teaching and professor of education at Louisiana College, Pineville, La. Dr. Collins is also teaching courses in the history of education, curriculum construction and educational seminar. He was professor of psychology at Missouri Baptist College, Poplar Bluff, in 1951-52 and before that was president of Mark College at West Plains, Mo. For the past four years Dr. Collins has been field educational supervisor for the Department of Lectures and Concert Artists of the Universities of Kansas, Wisconsin and Minnesota. Dr. and Mrs. Collins moved to Pineville early in September.

BRUCE M. FORRESTER, LLB, native Kansas Citian, last spring was appointed a judge of the United States Tax Court. He was a member of the law firm of Watson, Esw. Marshall and Eggers. In September, 1955, Mr. Forrester joined this firm, which was then Watson, Esw. Groemer, Barnett and Whittaker. Mr. Forrester is known as an expert on tax law, although he has not specialized in this field to the exclusion of other phases of the law. His work has included the settlement of several huge estates in the Kansas City area, and the representation of such companies as The Star, Safeway Stores, Armour & Co., and the American Cyanamid Company.

JAMES M. GEIGER, BS BA, is assistant vice-president of the Federal Reserve Bank in St. Louis, Mo.

Dr. and Mrs. G. O. Proud called at the Alumni office last August when they came to enroll a daughter in the University. Mrs. Proud is the former NELL FRANCES PHILLIPS, BS Ed. Their home is at 5721 W. 87th St., Kansas City 15, Mo.

CHARLES R. KYD, BS Agr., former University livestock specialist, is the manager of the 252,000-acre Clinton Arrow Ranch near Three Forks, Mont. A feature article concerning his work there was carried in the Kansas City Star this summer. Mr. Kyd is responsible for improving the breeding program of a Hereford herd often larger than 10,000 head, for the wise use of about 220,000 acres of rangeland and for supplying winter feed from 9,000 acres of irrigated haylands. Mr. and Mrs. Kyd are living at the Ranch. Their children are a son, Charles, 9, and twin daughters, Janet and Clarice, 6.

CLARENCE O. WOOLSEY, LLB, was elected vice-president of the Missouri Bar at its meeting in Kansas City in September. Mr. Woolsey lives at Springfield, Mo. Another alumnus, I IUS W. DAVIS, LLB '41, of 1001 W. 59th Terrace in Kansas City, was chosen secretary. Mr. Woolsey has been on the board of governors since 1953 and on the executive committee since 1955. He was secretary last year.
DAVID D. MOORE, BS Che., recently was named manager of the department of economics for the Battelle Memorial Institute at Columbus, Ohio. He became associated with the Institute in 1958, and has guided numerous technical economic studies since that time. He is particularly known for his studies on fuels and energy, and is co-author of a comprehensive and widely acclaimed report on the economics of open-hearth and electric-furnace production of carbon steel in this country. During 1955-56 Mr. Moore was an Ohio appointee to the Research Committee of the Interstate Oil Compact Commission. Battelle Memorial Institute is located at 505 King Avenue, Columbus 1, Ohio.

LI. COL. L.A. VERE A. STROM, BS Ed., M. Ed. '98, is stationed at Ft. Sill, Okla., where he is chief of the doctrine, policy and tactics division with the U.S. Army Artillery and Missile School's combat development department there. Mrs. Strom is the former EVA FRANCES CRAGHEAD, BS Ed. '98, and their home is at 629 Lauman, L. S., Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

MARK T. BUCHANAN, BS Agr., is on leave for two years from his position as Director of the Agricultural Experiment Stations of Washington State College in Pullman, Wash., and is with the ICA program in Pakistan. He is chief advisor of the Washington State College-University of the Punjab Inter-College Exchange Program. Mrs. Buchanan, who was LAURA LOU MAXWELL, BS BFA '39, is with him there, as well as their two children, Tom, 18, and Linda, 14, both of whom are attending Woodstock School at Mussoorie, India. Their address is c/o American Consulate General, Lahore, Pakistan, or APO 74, Box K, San Francisco, Calif.

FERN LEEGERWOOD, AM, of Fairbanks, Alaska, is assistant director of operations for the United Services Organizations, Inc. She is in charge of the USO program in 22 overseas locations. For the past 14 months Miss Ledgerwood has been associate director of the Fairbanks USO club. She is a native of Windsor, Mo.

FRED M. WHITING, BJ, is assistant dean of the Medill School of Journalism at Northwestern University. He rejoined the Northwestern faculty this fall after leaving in 1955 for the National Broadcasting Company as news editor and writer for stations in Chicago. A native of Guelph, W. Va., he was graduated from Glendive State in 1935, and received a master's degree at Northwestern in 1947. He joined the faculty there in 1949. His home is at 1804 Grant St., Evanston, Ill.

C. R. BURT, BS Agr., opened his own law office in the Exchange National Bank Building in Columbus on September 16. Mr. Burt has been a member of the MFA legal staff since shortly after his graduation from the Harvard Law School in 1951. Mr. and Mrs. Burt live at 625 South Glenwood in Columbus. They have two sons, Robert Earl, 9, and Ronald Eric, 7.

CURTIS C. BOGASCH, BJ, former vice-president of Carter Advertising Agency, Inc., in Kansas City, has joined the Valentine-Radford Advertising Agency as a partner and account executive. He had been associated with the Carter Agency since 1946 following his release from the Air Force. Prior to entering service, Mr. Bogasch was with RCA-Victor in Camden, N. J. His home is at 1794 Manor Road, Lenexa, Kansas.

CHARLES MANN, BS BA, who has been assistant executive secretary for the St. Louis Bureau for Men, in September was named chief deputy probation and parole officer for St. Louis. Mr. Mann lives at 755 Park Delmar, University City 5, Mo.

E. ALLEN LOREN, AB AM '41, a native of Monroe County, has spent his entire career in the service of the government, and is presently deputy director of ICA's Mission to Thailand. On September 13 he was named as one of six Meritorious Service Citation ICA employees, "for consistent outstanding performance in various responsible positions with this Agency since 1950, and particularly for excellent work as Deputy Director and Acting Director of the U.S. Operations Mission to Thailand during the period since November, 1955." Mr. Loren held overseas assignments in Hawaii and Korea, and, for two years before going to Thailand, he was Chief of the Indonesia-Thailand Division of ICA's Office of Far Eastern Operations in Washington.

ARNOLD DIBBLE, BJ, has been appointed United Press Chief Correspondent and manager for Japan, and has assumed his duties in Tokyo. A seasoned correspondent and editor for almost 20 years, Mr. Dibble served as an United Press war correspondent in Korea during the Korean war. Formerly associate editor of Newsweek Magazine, he has served in a variety of United Press executive positions, and has been with them since 1928, except for an 18-month period when he was editor of the Periscope Department of Newsweek. Mrs. Dibble, who is also a newspaper woman, and their daughter, Susan, 15, will join him in Tokyo.

ROBERT E. FOX, BS Agr., AM '41, with Soil Conservation Service in western Texas, recently was promoted to CS-11 Field Specialist-Soils, and his territory now includes all of Texas which touches the Rio Grande (from Harlingen to El Paso) and extends eastward to Uvalde and San Angelo. The Fox home is at 1710 S. Alamo in Pecos, Texas. Mrs. Fox is employed with Western Cotton Oil Company there. Their son, Bobby, is a freshman at Texas Tech in Lubbock this year. Bobby is an eighth grader, and Charles is in third. Mr. and Mrs. Fox are natives of Clinton County, Mo.
JOHN N. BALDWIN, BS EE, is doing guided missile work with the North American organizations, and lives at 5738 S. Lacentra Ave., Whittier, Calif.

41 STANLEY A. LAWRENCE, BS BA, in August was selected as the businessman of the month at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, by the National Association of Accountants. Mr. Collins, with the Collins Radio Company at Cedar Rapids, is director of the systems control department of the company. Mr. Lawrence lives at 2907 E. Ave., N. E., in Cedar Rapids.

MARGARET GHIO, BJ, former Columbian, has been in New York since 1952, where she writes a column called "New York Novelties" for out-of-state papers, using the name Elaine Gillespie. Miss Ghio last summer visited her home in Columbia at 1512 University Ave.

LEROY BADGEROW, Arts, has been promoted to regional director by Cities Service Company, and has been transferred to St. Paul, Minn., from Des Moines, Iowa, where he has been located.

CHRISTOPHER J. KERSTING, BS Agr., U. S. Navy, is Executive Officer of the Tacorn (AGC 17) and is located at Boston, Mass. A native of Martinsburg, Mo., he was commissioned a second lieutenant upon graduation, and has served in many stations. Commander Kersting reported aboard the Tacorn in March, 1956, and served as the Commanding Officer until being promoted to Executive Officer in July, 1957. He holds many decorations and honors. Capt. and Mrs. Kersting and two children live at 35 Saratoga St., Squaw Hill, Mass.

42 WALTER H. STEWART, BJ, AB, BS Ed., '56, AM Jour. '56, has been teaching English and journalism in the high school of Raytown, Mo., but this fall has gone to Rolla, Mo., where he is teaching journalism and history in the high school there. His address is 902 Walnut Street, Rolla.

Dr. HENRY LUDMER, AM, is professor of business administration at Roosevelt University in Chicago, effective this school year. For the past three years he has been an associate professor of industrial engineering at the Illinois Institute of Technology there. Dr. Ludmer will develop new courses at Roosevelt. He received his doctor's degree in jurisprudence and political economy from the University of Prague in 1954, and has published numerous articles in professional journals including technical studies in English, Czech and German. His teaching career also includes the College of Commerce in Prague, Wentworth Military Academy in Lexington, Mo., Austin College in Sherman, Texas, and the University of Toledo, Ohio. During World War II he achieved the rank of major with the U. S. Army and from 1950-51 was with the U. S. Government in Tokyo and in Chicago. Dr. and Mrs. Ludmer and two children live at 131 Peach Street in Park Forest, Ill.

ROBIN E. WALKER, BS BA, is vice-president and sales manager of the Carter-Waters Corporation in Kansas City. Last June Mr. Walker was elected president of the Unit Masonry Association there. He has served for three years as treasurer of the Association and is a member of the Builders Association, the Chamber of Commerce and the Mercury Club in Kansas City. Mrs. Walker is the former ROMONA M. CEBARHOLM, '41.

43 MILDRED W. PARKS, M. Ed., is assistant professor of music education at the University of Indiana and Miss Parks, who has taught at Boston University, Clayton (Mo.) public schools and in Hannibal, Mo., recently has been music consultant for Summy-Birchard Music Publishing Company. In August of this year she directed the pre-school music division of the Corpus Christi Public Schools Workshop. Miss Parks lives at Apt. G., New Orleans Arms, 404 S. Fess, Bloomington, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. CECIL KUSTER, BS Ed., of Linn, Mo., announced the birth of a son on September 18. Mrs. Kuster is the former MARIAN FAY MARCH, BS Ed., of Boone County.

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45 ROBERT C. BULLERS, BS Med., on July 1, joined the staff of the USPHS Hospital, Windmill Pointe, Detroit 15, Mich. Dr. Bullers is a deputy chief of surgical services there. Mrs. Bullers is the former ELIZABETH JACOBS, AB '43.

By this time Major and Mrs. Arthur C. Allen should be stationed at Ft. Lewis, Washington, following a three year stay in Germany. Mrs. Allen, formerly RUTH EARLINE TAYLOR, AB, M.Ed. '48, writes of her trips to Berlin and surrounding areas, and more recent trips which both have made to The Netherlands, Belgium, Northeastern France and Luxembourg. The Allens (and the rest of the 519th FA Battalion) planned to leave Babelhausen on or about October 22, arriving at New York about November 1. They hope to have a few weeks leave before reaching the destination, Fort Lewis, where Major Allen will be stationed.

46 MILDRED WEBB, AB, is director of admissions and social services at the University of Kansas Medical Center in Kansas City, where she heads a 40-person staff. Miss Webb has been on the K. U. staff five years, and previously worked at the Al­fred Benjamin dispensary and Menorah Hospital. She lives at 1917 Wandolte in Kansas City.

Lt. Commander ROBERT SCARRITT JONES, USN, BJ, has been relieved of duties at the staff of NAVO's Supreme Allied Command Atlantic in Norfolk, Va., and has been selected to do post-graduate work in Public Information at Boston University in Boston, Mass. Commander Jones began his military service in Sep­tember, 1942, in an enlisted status, and received his commission in June, 1944. During World War II, he served in the capacity of Gunner Officer, Executive Officer and Commanding Officer aboard LST's in the Pacific area. Inactive from 1946-48, he returned to duty with the Bureau of Naval Personnel as a Public Information Officer and has served on similar assignments and, with the A. S. Navy Office on Information in Wash­ington, D. C.

HOOVER W. COTT, BJ, of Wichita, Kan., is junior district representative of the oil information committee in the Missouri-Iowa-Nebraska district of the American Petroleum Institute. He has been assigned to the Kansas City office of the organization. Mr. Cott has been a copy editor on the Wichita Eagle and has been a press secretary for former Gov. Fred Hall of Kansas.

JAMES F. JAE, Jr., AB, is station manager of Radio Station KHMO in Hannibal, Mo. He had been manager of station KLJK in Jefferson City before going to Hannibal in September. He has been with a St. Louis station, and also was the publisher of a chain of newspapers in south central Missouri for a number of years. Mrs. Jae is the former MAIZE LOU COE, BJ. Their home is at 1413 Kolb Road in Hanni­bal.

WILLIAM G. MILLER, BS Agr., former vocational agriculture teacher in the veterans' program at Linn, Mo., has been chosen director of prison farms in Jefferson City, Mo. His position is now under Missouri's Merit System, and Mr.
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Miller began his work about October 1. He comes to Jefferson City from Peoria, Ill., where he was employed by the National Hampton Hog Registry.

Mr. and Mrs. ARTHUR R. WEBER, BS CE, of Sappington, Mo., have a daughter, Susan Annette, their first, born on August 6, 1957. Their address is Route 6, Box 2199F, Sappington 23.

ARTHUR R. McQUIDDY, AB, has been appointed district director of public relations, Utah-Intermountain district of United States Steel Corporation, with headquarters in Salt Lake City. A former Missouri newspaperman, Mr. McQuiddy has been assistant district director of public relations for the Corporation in Salt Lake City since 1955. He joined U. S. Steel in 1951 as staff assistant—public relations, Pacific-Southwest district, Los Angeles. The Utah-Intermountain district he represents covers Utah, Idaho, Colorado, Wyoming and Montana. Mr. and Mrs. McQuiddy and two daughters live at 5118 Millbrook Road in Salt Lake City.

MARY LEE MILLIER, AB, was appointed by Mayor H. Roe Bartle of Kansas City as a member of the Women’s Kansas City Commission for International Relations and Trade, a group of approximately 50 women who made a goodwill trip to South America this fall to further relations between Kansas City, Mo., and the Latin American Republics. They left Kansas City on September 29, visited Venezuela, Brazil, Uruguay, Argentina, Chile, Peru and Panama, returning on October 29. Miss Millier is employed with Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc., in Kansas City, and lives at 5630 Holmes.

Master Glenn Eric Raufer arrived at 2226 Jackson St., Quincy, Ill., to join the Raufer family, who are BILL RAUFFER, BS Agr., Mrs. Raufer, who was MARY JANIE SWIFT, BJ, and two brothers, Mark and Tommy.

Dr. NED S. SCHROM, BS, M.Ed., ’39, and Ed.D., ’39, has been appointed dean of students at Montclair (N.J.) State Teachers College. Previously he was director of admissions and associate professor of education at Eastern Illinois State College, Charleston, Ill. As an undergraduate at the University, Dr. Schrom served as research assistant in the counseling bureau, and later was named to the faculty in the Laboratory High School. In 1952 he was appointed instructor and assistant to the dean in the College of Education. Dr. and Mrs. Schrom and two children live at 9 Clairidge Court, Montclair, N. J.

JACK L. MAYER, BS BA, has recently moved from 15 Fyer Place in Columbia, Mo., to 2224 Fertlcliff, Kirkwood 22, Mo. He is a salesman for Claussner Hosiery Company of Paducah, Ky. Mr. Mayer has been with Claussner for the past eight years.

PAUL W. EASTMAN, Jr., BJ, BS CE, of Pittsburg, Mo., received his MPA degree from Harvard University in Cambridge, Mass., last June.

DONALD P. THOMASSON, AB, LLB ’52, former Columbian, has resigned as prosecuting attorney of Bullinger County and is practicing law in Jackson, Mo. His law office, Jackson and Thomasson, is located at 125 Court St. Mr. Thomasson continues to live in Marble Hill.

CHARLES L. JOHNSON, BS Agr., M. Ed., ’55, is administrator of the Community Hospital of Cameron, Mo. Mr. Johnson has taught vocational agriculture at Memphis, Mo., and for the past two years has been territorial manager for the Pay-Way Feed Mills in Cameron.

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YEAR AFTER YEAR, Kansas City’s pattern of growth has called for more and more electric power. And the site of Montrose Station, located 60 miles southeast of the Metropolitan Area, truly forms a “pattern for power.”

This new steam-electric generating plant is scheduled to begin delivery of more power into the Kansas City Power & Light Company electrical system in the summer of 1958. The first turbogenerator—one of the largest ever designed and built for use in this section of the country—will have a capability of 175,000 kilowatts; the second unit, equal in size is planned for operation in 1960.

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Mr. and Mrs. Johnson have one daughter, Nancy, eight years old.

Dr. Cedarberg, who was MARY PHYLIS MATTeson, AB, BS Med., and Mr. Cedarberg announced the birth of a daughter, Catherine, on March 19, 1957. Dr. Cedarberg, former MADELINE TOUCHSTONE, September 10, joined the staff of Kansas City College in Columbia from 1945 to 1954, as an instructor in pediatrics at Boston University School of Medicine. Their home is at 43 Churchill Drive, Norwood, Mass.

LESLEY V. RIST, BS BA, has been recently transferred from the home office of Butler Manufacturing Company in Kansas City, Mo., to Houston, Texas, as plant controller of Union Tank and Supply Division of Butler. His new address is 5218 Kingsley, Houston 35.

ROBERT H. SMITH, BS EE, and family, formerly of Tacoma Park, Md., have moved to No. 6 Powell Place in Stamford, Conn. Mr. Smith is technical manager of research and development with the American Machinery and Foundry Company of New York.

First Lt. CHARLES O. NEAL, of Kansas City, Mo., is aide-de-camp to Brig. Gen. Stanley R. Larsen, assistant commandant of Fort Benning's U. S. Army Infantry School. A 1953 graduate of the U. S. Military Academy at West Point, N. Y., he served with the 10th Infantry Division at Fort Riley, Kansas, and in Germany from January, 1954, until coming to Fort Benning. Lt. and Mrs. Neal have two children, Christopher, 2, and Kathleen, 3 months.

JOHN C. "Jack" KNOTT, BJ, is manager of the Associated General Contractors of Wyoming. Formerly the assistant manager of the Associated General Contractors of Missouri, Mr. Knott began his work in Wyoming, August 1, and represents the construction industry in its dealings with the many groups interested in highway and heavy engineering construction. His wife and four children joined him in Cheyenne before the opening of school in September.

CHARLES F. HALL, BS BA, is assistant trust officer at the Security National Bank of St. Louis. Mr. and Mrs. Hall and daughter, Christy, live at 7221 General Sherman Lane, Alton 23, Mo.

Dr. Madeline T. Shalabi, who is the former MADELINE TOUCHSTONE, Ph.D., and who taught at Stephens College in Columbia from 1945 to 1951, on September 11 joined the staff of Kansas State Teachers College as a lecturer in education. For the past three years Dr. Shalabi has been associated with the International Co-operation Administration in Tripoli and Benghazi, Libya.

S. PAUL ZULLO, BS BA, BJ '50, formerly a senior merchantine in the Kansas City Montgomery Ward plant, has been transferred to the New York office as an assistant buyer. Mr. Zullo started with Ward in 1953 as a retail department manager.

W. THOMAS COGHLIN, LL.B., former attorney of Farmington, Mo., on Aug. 1 joined the law firm of Cowan and Croft in St. Louis, with offices on the 17th floor of the Ambassador Building. He is acting in the capacity of trial attorney for the firm. A native of Farmington, Mr. Coghill has practiced there since his graduation, except for one year, 1951-52, when he served as a special agent in the Federal Bureau of Investigation in Washington, D. C., Boston and Detroit. Mrs. Coghill is the former PATRICIA LEE HUGHES, BS Ed. '39. They have one son, Lynn.

MARTIN L. KORNBLUTH, AB, AM '54, is instructor of communication skills in the Basic College at Michigan State University. Dr. Kornbluth was a member of the faculty at the University of Missouri in 1952-53, and of the University of Tennessee in 1955-57. He received his Ph.D. degree at Pennsylvania State University last year. Dr. Kornbluth is married and has two daughters.

AL SEIGEL, BS BA, is a salesman for Decora division of D. B. Fuller, fabric, and his travels include Baltimore, Washington, D. C., and the state of Pennsylvania. Mr. and Mrs. Seigel and family live at 6776 Booth St., Forest Hills 75, New York. Their daughter, Jayne Debra, was born last March.

RALPH J. LONG, BS EE, is a sales engineer for Westinghouse Electric Corporation in St. Louis, Mo. He and Mrs. Long have lived for the past year and a half in their new home at 842 Queen Anne Place, Glendale 22, Mo. Their family consists of a daughter, Cathy, 2, and a son, Daniel Gerard, born July 18.

IRVING FREEMAN, BS BA, recently was promoted to Premium sales manager of Kronex Corporation in Cleveland, Ohio. Kronex manufactures aluminum items—Mr. Freeman says he would like to see any oil aluminum passing through or living there. His home is at 4420 Indiana 14, Indianapolis.

ROBERT L. BEVAN, AB, law graduate of the University of Kansas City, has been appointed special assistant for Senator Thomas H. Hennings in Washington, D. C. Mr. and Mrs. Bevan are living in Arlington, Va.

RODNEY POLSON, M. Ed., assistant band director at the University of Missouri from 1948 to 1954, is band director of the public schools of Centralia, Mo., this fall. For the past two years Mr. Polson has been a sales representative for a musical instrument firm. Mr. and Mrs. Polson and daughter, Karen, are continuing to live in Columbia at 907 Price Avenue.

THOMAS E. GAFFNEY, AB '53, was graduated from the University of Cincinnati College of Medicine last June, and on June 20 began his internship in medicine at the Boston City Hospital in Massachusetts.

HARRY BARKER, BS Agr., native of Mississippi County, is soil conservationist for Pensacola County in Mississippi. After serving 1952 in the U. S. Army and working several years as an engineer in the oil industry, he joined the Soil Conservation Service in 1956, and has gained recognition for his work in this Missouri Delta District. His home is in Caruthersville, Mo.

James Carter Higgins arrived on September 9 in Lataville, Mo., to make his home with JAMES W. HIGGINS, BS BA, AB '51, and Mrs. Higgins, who was PAULINE BIGGERTAFF, BS Ed. '51. The Higgins have two other children, both girls. Mr. Higgins is an insurance agent in Lataville.

BYRON T. ZUDE, BS Ed., M. Ed., '51, is principal of the high school in Mexico, Mo., this year. After three years as a navigator in the Air Force, Mr. Zude has taught at Annapolis, California, Honduras, and last year at Central High in St. Louis. He has had a total of ten years teaching and administrative experience.

BOB R. MOSS, BS BA, is a member of the firm, Harden, Cummins and Moss, certified public accountants, in Chillicothe, Mo. He is a member of the Missouri Society of Certified Public Accountants and the American Institute of Accountants. Mrs. Moss is the former RUBY L. GATTERMEIR, BS BA '51. Their home is at 1705 Rosewood in Chillicothe.
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assigned to his duty station from that point. Mr. Sanders has been teaching since 1951, three years in Chamois, Mo., and three years in Lauxiana. His parents live on Rural Route 3, Hannibal, Mo.

RICHARD L. MACKEY, BS BA, BJ '55, who has been living in Tucson, Arizona, has recently joined the sports staff of the Kansas City Star.

MURRAY S. FORCE, AM, is presently on the staff of the University of Pennsylvania, where he is a research coordinator for the secretariat to the Advisory Group on electron parts. This is a branch office of the assistant Secretary of Defense for research and engineering. His home is at 3811 Chestnut St., Philadelphia 4, Pa.

FRANK S. KALINOWSKI, BJ, is sales promotion manager of Iron Fireman Manufacturing Company, Cleveland, Ohio. He has been an account executive the past three years in the Cleveland office of the Joseph R. Gerber Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Kalinowski and four children live at 1321 Claremont Avenue, Cleveland.

WAYNE E. MCCOLLOM, BS Agr., U. S. Air Force officer, is studying meteorology at Texas A & M. Lt. and Mrs. McCollum, who was MARIE SIMS BS H.E., '50, and six month old son, Kevin, live at 107 Lakeside Drive in Bryan, Texas.

LANE B. SCHUMACHER, AB, has returned to Columbia to enter graduate school at the University. Mrs. Schumacher is the former Phyllis Brownell of Chicago. The Schumachers have two sons, David and Donald.

LOVELL LAWRENCE JOHNSON, BS Ed., M. Ed. '54, is band director at R-1 Vandalia High school this year, moving there from Fayette, Mo., where he had been located the past five years. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and three children, Dennis, 7, Timmy, 5, and daughter, Marty, 3, live at 807 West Page in Vandalia.

SHIRLEY ANN CHASE, BS ED, is an instructor at the University Laboratory School in Columbia this year. She has been teaching in Brookfield, Mo., high school and has been an assistant in home economics at the University. Her home is at 1033 West Ash St.

Dr. and Mrs. JAMES MARSTEN, AB, BS Med. '53, are now stationed at the 673-13 Infantry Post, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Mrs. Marsten is the former PATRICIA ANNE CARR, BS Ed. '51.

Mr. and Mrs. RICHARD W. WALKER have recently moved from Oklahoma City to the Kansas City area, where Mr. Walker, AM '57, is now stationed with KCMO-TV. Mrs. Walker is the former CAROL MITCHELL, BJ, AM '56, of Columbia. They are living at 3010 S. 51St. St., Kansas City, Kans.

RAYMOND ODOR, BS Ed., of Columbia, is an instructor in the University Laboratory School this year, where he is teaching physical education and coaching athletics. He succeeds LYTLE L. FORSHEE, M. Ed. '47, who resigned

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this summer to take another position. Mr. Otterstrom taught physical education and coached athletes at Pilot Grove high school for three years before returning to the University last fall to work toward his master's degree. He has been assisting in physical education at the University and has been coaching the University tennis team. Mr. Otterstrom lives at 65 Cliff Drive in Columbia.

LESTER A. FADL, AM Ed., native of Sikeston, Mo., is superintendent of schools at Harrisburg, Mo., this year. Mr. Fadl has had several years teaching experience in social studies, English and physical education. He served as a coach for 15 years. He was superintendent of schools at Catha, Mo., before going to Harrisburg. Mr. and Mrs. Fadl have three children, Carolyn, 15; George, 13; and Jimmy, nearly three.

HERMAN McGILL, BS Agr., is co-owner of the agency for Pontiac automobiles and Case and Farmall farm equipment in Fayette, Mo. Mr. McGill and Andrew Ume, Jr., former Columbian, purchased the Bolton Motors company last July. Mr. McGill, native of Squires, near Springfield, Mo., served in Army Ordnance for three years. He taught vocational agriculture at Mendon and at Russellville, Mo., before going to Fayette in October, 1956, as an insurance representative for Farm Bureau. Mrs. McGill is the former VIRGINIA BILLINGS, BS Ed. '54. They have two sons, Paul, 3; and Kevin, 2½, and a daughter, Kimberley, 1. Their home is at 203 N. Church in Fayette.

MARCHELLE WOODRUFF, BS Ed., formerly of 5995 Columbia Ave., St. Louis, Mo., is now Mrs. H. Keith Stinnett, 1414 Phoenix Ave., N. W., Albuquerque, N. Mex.

CLARENCE R. SITES, who was with the commercial department of the General Telephone Company in Columbia from 1954 to 1956, has returned to Columbia as district manager of the Columbia branch of the Company. He has been district manager of 16 exchanges in Columbus, Nebraska, for the past year. His Columbia home is at 105 S. Greenwood.

Mrs. Hans Gunnar Otterstrom, who was CHARLIE CONZELMAN, BJ, of Pekin, Ill., writes us from her home in Savedalen, Sweden, and sends her renewal to the Alumnius. Quote: "It is fun to read of the doings of former classmates and the informative articles on personalities and new plans at the University." Mrs. Otterstrom and their year-old daughter, Lisa Ann, flew back to her home in the States for a three month visit this summer. Mr. Otterstrom is employed in a business in Sweden which represents, among others, the Mexico, Mo., refractories, and thus they maintain another Missouri contact. Mrs. Otterstrom keeps occupied with continuing her studies there in the Swedish language, working with the Women's Club of Gothenburg, and with taking care of her family. She says they have had several American guests in the short year and a half they have lived there. Their address is Sotenasvagen 71, Svedalen, (Gothenburg) Sweden.

GEORGE E. OWEN, AB, BS Med., who was graduated from Cornell University Medical College in 1956, is now in service and stationed at Fort Ord, Calif. Capt. Owen recently was graduated from the military medical orientation course at the Army Medical Service School, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. His wife is living at 809 West Ash in Columbia, Mo.

EDWARD B. LANE, AB, is creative director of Halstead Associates, Inc., advertising firm, in Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Lane served as a public relations officer in the Air Force. He has been publicity director of the Carter Advertising Agency in Kansas City, and copy director for the Kansas City branch of the Beaufort & Holman Agency. Mr. Lane is the former CONSTANCE ANN GAMLIN, AB '59. Their home is at 4538 Penn in Kansas City.

REX M. WHITTON, JR., BS CF, and Mrs. Whitton, who was DORIS BUTLER, BS BPA, announced the arrival of a daughter, Julia Lynn, on August 7. Their son, Rex III, is two years old. Their home is at 8085 So Swan, Brentwood 17, Mo. Mr. Whitton is employed with Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in St. Louis.

PHILIP G. HESS, BS BA, Crystal City, Mo., completed his law degree at the University of Alabama and is employed at Monsanto Chemical Company in St. Louis, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. Hess and two daughters are living in St. Louis.

A. OVERTON DURRETT, JR., BS BA, is assistant dean of men at William and Mary College in Williamsburg, Va. He is also enrolled in the Marshall-Wythe school of law there. After three years in the air force, Durrett, a first lieutenant, was discharged recently.

JOHN R. WHITMORE, AB, after serving two years on active duty in the Navy, is now continuing his studies in the School of Law at the University. He is now a lieutenant, junior grade, in the Naval Reserve. His Columbia address is 15 West Parkway Drive.

ROBERT C. PACE II, BJ, is working in the advertising and sales promotion division of the Jewel Tea Company, Inc., of Melrose Park, Ill. Mr. Pace lives at 1535 Birchwood, Chicago, Ill.

LOUIS BEALER, BS Med., has completed his work in medicine, has served his internship at the Valley Forge Hospital in Pennsylvania, and has begun his practice in Centralia, Mo., early in September. He is an associate with Dr. ROBERT L. WARD, BS Med. '51, in Centralia. Dr. and Mrs. Bealer are making their home on South Jenkins Street in Centralia.

JOHN KOVAC, BJ, is on the editorial staff of the Fairchild Supermarket News of New York. Last summer Mr. Kovac was awarded a $50 semiannual prize by the Fairchild publications for a feature story on the growth of shopping centers and supermarkets on Long Island. His address is 45-14 60th St., Woodside 77-11, N. Y.

HENRY GORDON, BJ, is with the Cleveland Press in Cleveland, Ohio. On September 1 he completed a six months assignment as an undercover patrolman on the Cleveland police force, where he completed a 600-page diary which tells frankly of the good, and the bad, he found among policemen. The Cleveland Press terms his tour a "journalistic first," and has printed his story. Neither police nor newspaper friends knew of the assignment. Mr. Gordon's home is at 1671 Colonial Drive, Cleveland Heights 18, Ohio.

SUZANNE STRIBLING, BS Ed., has been in charge of the bookmobile program in University City, Mo., since it was started there three years ago. Aided by an assistant librarian in the winter months and a driver, Miss Stribling hands out as many as 12,000 books a week while the bus-and-trailer bookmobile makes its regular visits to 11 elementary schools, as well as four neighborhood stops. She is the daughter of Col. Charles R. Stribling, president of Missouri Military Academy in Mexico, Mo., and Mrs. Stribling, who was RUTH CAUTHORN, AB '21. Her brother is C. R. STIBLING III, AB '59, BJ '59. A feature story about Miss Stribling, "She is a librarian-on-wheels," was written by SUE ANN WOODS, BJ '52, and appeared in a recent issue of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Miss Woods is a staff writer for the Globe-Democrat.

RAMON D. GASS, BS Fore., has joined the Missouri Conservation Commission as a forester and is assigned to farm forestry project No. 11 at Ironton, Mo. Mr. Gass received his master's degree in forestry from Michigan State in 1957. He is married and has one child.
Mrs. Berdon J. Leach, who is the former BARBARA ENGLISH, BJ, of Columbia, Mo., is teaching in the personal appearance department of Stephens College in Columbia. Mrs. Leach has been working in St. Louis with the magazine, Women's Wear Daily. Mr. LEACH, former student who received his AB degree at Washington University in St. Louis, has returned to do graduate work at Missouri University. They are living at 303 Westmount in Columbia.

DOROTHY LONDON, BS Ed., of Columbia, Mo., on July 3 sailed for Europe, where she toured England, Holland, Belgium, Luxembourg, Germany, Switzerland, Austria, Italy, Monte Carlo, France and Liechtenstein. She returned to the States on August 15, and is now teaching senior high school at the Melvindale School in Melvindale, Mich., near Dearborn. Miss London has been living in St. Louis and teaching in the schools of the suburban area.

55  LYLE K. JONES, BS BA, is telephone company manager for exchange in Jefferson County and lives in Festus, Mo. Mr. Jones joined the telephone company as staff assistant in the St. Louis area in 1955, and has served in various assignments.

HAROLD L. MOMBERG, AM, who has been chairman of the biology department of Hannibal-La Grange College, is an instructor in zoology at the University this fall.

RICHARD P. WILKING, BS CE, is a construction engineer with Fruin-Colon Construction Company in St. Louis and lives at 320 Tacoma Drive, St. Louis 29, Mo. After serving as a lieutenant, jr., as navigator on an oceanographic survey ship out of Philadelphia, an cruising in the Caribbean, visiting Cuba, Trinidad, B.W.I., and Brazil, he returned to civilian life last spring.

PHYLLIS E. HARVEY, BJ, is working for Scope, Inc., a motion picture company in Greater Miami, Florida, as writer and "gal Friday." Miss Harvey's home address is 1228 Anastasia, Apt. 6, Coral Gables, Florida, and she would love to hear from any alumni in the Miami area.

COLLETT WILSON, BS CE, native of St. Louis, has joined the Trane Company, La Crosse, Wis., as a sales engineer. He is currently participating in Trane's specialized engineering program designed to bridge the gap between scholastic background and assignment in the field. The Trane Company is a manufacturer of air conditioning and heating equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan E. Clark of Rochester, N. Y., announced the birth of a son, Robert Earl, on August 31. Mrs. Clark is the former LUCY GINSBURG, BS Ed., of Columbia.

56  BARBARA MILLER, BS HE, is teaching special education in the elementary grades of Fayette, Mo., this fall. Her work includes the remedial teaching also. Miss Miller, whose home is in Fayette, taught in Kansas City last year.


Navy Ens. KARL D. STOUT, BS Agr., is undergoing advanced flight training in multi-engined aircraft at the Naval Air Station, Hutchinson, Kansas. PATRICIA LEYDEN, AB, is attending Chicago Theological Seminary and Mrs. Kittlaus is teaching fourth grade in Markham, Ill. She is the former GENIE HUNTS OF 106 Aldean in Columbia.

BILL SEASE, BS Ed., who continues to work toward a graduate degree at the University, is Director of Guidance and High School Counselor in the public schools of Lee's Summit, Mo., this year. Mrs. Sease is the former BETTY JEAN WORLEY, Ed.

PATTY LIEYDEN, AB, is an instructor in Spanish and French at Mary Baldwin College in Staunton, Va. Miss Leyden, of 507 High Street in Columbia, is a graduate of Stephens College in Columbia, and has completed work for her master's degree at Indiana University this past summer.

57  LYNN OVERSTREET, BS Ed., is teaching kindergarten in Kirkwood, Mo. Her home in Columbia is at 10 Brandon Road.

VIRGINIA ANNE BRICE, BS HE, is an assistant buyer for J. B. Ivice Company in Charlotte, N. C. Miss Brice's home is at 609 N. Main in Sedalia, Mo. She went to Charlotte early in August to begin her work there.

JOHN BRITTAIN, BS Agr., of Columbia, began his tour of duty with the Army at Ft. Sill, Okla., on August 15. He received his commission as a second lieutenant in June.

CHARLES A. DOBBINS, BS EE, has become a member of the engineering department of Monsanto Chemical Company's Inorganic Chemicals Division at St. Louis, Mo.

KENNETH R. HAMMOND, BS BA, is an assistant instructor in accounting at the University this year.

JAMES HALL, AB, of 501 Van Buren in Versailles, Mo., completed a summer in New York City where he was enrolled in the 1957 College Summer Service Group sponsored by the National Student Council of the YMCA and YMCA. Here he worked with social agencies which handle the problems of urbanization. The students work under supervision of trained social workers, living in group settings and participating also in a series of seminars conducted by outstanding religious, educational and social workers.

SARA JANE. (Sadie) Coad, BS, has joined the editorial staff of Successful Farming magazine, where she is assistant editor in the home equipment and home furnishings department of the Des Moines, Iowa, publication. A native of Marshall, Mo., Miss Coad was active in SGA, University Singers and journalism organizations. She was home economics editor of the College Farmer, vice president of AWS and president of the Judiciary board. A national vice president of the student YMCA, she was named to LSV, and to "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."

JANE HOWARD, AB, of 207 Westmount Ave., Columbia, spent the summer as an editorial assistant for the National Education Association Journal in Washington, D.C., and has gone to Evanston, Ill., to attend Northwestern University as a graduate student in journalism.
Marie Sanderson, '57

BYRON W. SHERMAN, BS EE, is an assistant instructor in electrical engineering at the University, and is working toward his master of science degree.

JAMES S. BERLIN, BS For., is assistant district Forestry Ranger with headquarters at Willow Springs, Mo.

Four graduates of the Class of '57 and one from '56 graduated from the University's Officer Candidate School at the Naval Station, Newport, R. I., and were commissioned Ensign, USNR, July 2. To earn their commissions, these officers had to complete an intensive 18 week course of study and indoctrination covering such subjects as navigation, engineering, seamanship, military justice and naval weapons. These July graduates were EDWARD FLETCHER McDANIEL, Jr., BS BA, of Kansas City; EUGENE T. WOESTMAN, AB, of Carthage; KENT K. SCHRIFTER, AB, St. Louis; HAL E. HUDGENS, BS BA, Rolla, and IVAN RICHARD DEE, BJ, of Chicago, III., class of 1956.

Dr. and Mrs. R. PHILIP AGUFF, AB '53, BS Med. '55, DM, are the parents of a son, Michael Edward, born August 30 at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas. Dr. Aguff is internning at Brooke General Hospital at Ft. Sam Houston. They have one other son, Philip, 1 year old.

BILLY C. BRANTLEY, BS AG-J., is a graduate assistant in journalism for the fall semester at the University. He will also be working on his master's degree while working in the news department of the School of Journalism.

EDWARD E. DUKE, BS ME, is an ensign aboard the U.S.S. Forrestal and is making a cruise on NATO war games to North Atlantic, with stops in Portsmouth, England, and Scotland. He worked for RCA after graduation as a junior engineering trainee, until he was called to duty on July 26. On the Forrestal Ens. Duke is division officer in charge of 85 men. His mailing address is USS Forrestal, (CVA-59), c/o FPO, New York, N. Y.

GEORGE F. NICKOLAUS, LLB, is associated with the law firm of GEORGE A. SPENGLER, '32, of Columbia. Mrs. Nickolaus, who was CHARLENE R. WILLSON, BS Ed. '52, is a teacher in the elementary schools of Columbia. Their home is at 149 Manor Drive.

MERRILYN TUCKER, BS Ed., of St. Louis, Mo., is teaching first grade at Eugene Field School in Mexico, Mo.

JULIA ELIZABETH REID, BS Ed., is teaching commerce in the public schools of Bowling Green, Mo. Miss Reid lives at 2005 Broadway.

E. R. (Dick) WENDELBURG, BS BPA, has accepted a position with Eli Lilly & Co., pharmaceutical manufacturers, in Indianapolis, Indiana. He is a methods and incentives analyst in the production incentives department, and has charge of the incentive plan for the biological and glandular finishing department. Dick lives at 4121 Meadows Drive, Apt. E-1, Indianapolis, Ind.

Paul Browning, BS Ed., is football line coach at the University this fall. He is also assisting in other sports. Mr. Browning, of East St. Louis, lettered three years in football and one in track, and was voted the "most valuable lineman of 1956."
weddings

ELEANOR LOUISE ROBERTS, BS Ed., AB, M. Ed. '51, of Gallatin, Mo., and SCOTT OLIN WRIGHT, LLB '50, on August 27 in Gallatin. The former Miss Roberts has been teaching in the Kansas City public schools the past three years. Mr. Wright is prosecuting attorney of Boone County and has offices in the Court House, Columbia, Mo. They are living at 355 Burnham.

DOROTHY VONCILLE LIEFORD, Graal, and RALPH JACOB SCHMELDAKE, BS Ed., on June 2, 1957, in Moberly, Mo. The bride has taught high school home economics and related subjects for three years in Iowa; vocational home economics for four years in Marceline; three years in Huntsville, and two years of general home economics at Bevier, Mo. The Schmeldares spent their summer in Lanark, Ill., with the Green Giant Canning Company, where Mr. Schmeldake has been employed for the fifth summer. He has spent three years in Army duty, including two years in the South Pacific. Prior to entering service, he taught in a rural school in Dent County, Mo., and has taught commercial subjects in Anutt and Jamestown, Mo. At present he is teaching his fourth year in this department at Pilot Grove, Mo.

BETTY LOU MARTIN, BS HE., of Columbia, and Robert Redman Martin in Chicago on August 24. Mr. Martin is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin. Both Mr. and Mrs. Martin have worked as buyers for Macy's stores, and on September 1 went to Victoria, Texas, to make their home. Here they have an interest in a ready-to-wear store.

DEANE POWELL, BS Nur., of Odessa, Mo., and DONALD W. CALDWELL, BS BA '55, of Columbia on September 7 in Columbia, Mo. The former Miss Powell has done graduate work at Wheaton College in Illinois, and at the University. She has been employed as an instructor at the University School of Nursing. Mr. Caldwell is employed by the Missouri State Department of Insurance and they are living in Kansas City, Mo.

Miss Joyce Leigh Hackett of St. Louis, and JOHN JOSEPH TENTOR, BS., of St. Louis County, on August 21 in Rolla, Mo., the former home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Tentor are living in St. Louis, where both are employed with Mallinckrodt Chemical Company there.

GEORGANNA MYERS, of Columbia, Mo., student in education at the University and SAMUEL HARGADINE IV, AB, of Bowling Green, Mo., on August 25 in Bowling Green. Mr. Hargadine is an assistant instructor in mathematics at the University and they are living at 2111 Ammonett St.

Miss Margarette Welgartner of California, Mo., and W. PAUL HARVEY, BS Agr., of Windsor, Mo., on September 7, 1957 in California. Mrs. Harvey, a graduate of DePaul School of Nursing in St. Louis, is a registered nurse at the University Medical Center in Columbia. Mr. Harvey is enrolled in the School of Veterinary Medicine. They are living at 901 Hitt in Columbia.

Miss Lucy Lovell Butler of Southwick, Mass., and JON R. PAINTER, BS CE, of Cincinnati, Ohio, on September 7 in Greenwich, Conn. The former Miss Butler, now a senior at Smith College in Northampton, has been in Orleans, France, where her father, Major Gen. Robert G. Butler, is deputy commanding general of the United States Communications Zone, Europe. Mr. Painter served two years in the Army Ordnance Corps.

Miss Annette Bosman of St. Louis and GERARD DUANE COORTS, BS Agr., of Linnueus, Mo., on September 16 in St. Louis. Mr. and Mrs. Coorts are living in Columbia at 860 Leawood Terrace. Mr. Coorts is an assistant on the staff of the horticulture department of the University while working on his master's degree.

PATRICIA ANN FULTON, BS Ed., of Malta Bend, Mo., and Daniel Joseph Riley of Burlington, Iowa., on August 24 in Marshall, Mo. They are living at 215 Chamberlain Place, Ames, Iowa, while Mr. Riley completes his work toward a degree in engineering at Iowa State College.

Miss Marcia Moulder, daughter of Congressman and Mrs. Morgan Moulder of Camdenton, Mo., and Lt. ROBERT JOHN RUBIN, BS BA, on September 11 in Camdenton. Mrs. Rubin is a graduate of Stephens College. They are making their home in Springfield, Mo., and Lt. Rubin is presently serving in the Air Force.

SHIRLEI BAILEY, BM, of Greenwood, Mo., and Major James Cronin on June 22, 1957, in Lee's Summit, Mo. The former Miss Bailey, a member of University Singers and of Carousel in 1954 and '55, is teaching fifth grade in an elementary school of Roswell, New Mexico. Major Cronin, of Detroit, Mich., and a graduate of West Point, is a navigator in the 509th Bomb Sqr., U. S. Air Force. They are living at 2105 N. Kentucky, Roswell, N. Mexico.

Miss Callie Lee Hicks and MICHAEL J. MYERS, BS Agr., both of Gorin, Mo., on August 4 in Gorin. Mrs. Myers attended Northeast Missouri State College at Kirksville, and has taught two years in the rural schools of Scotland County and three years near Fort Madison, Iowa. Mr. Myers taught two years, one in North Dakota and one at Eldon, Iowa. He is presently stationed with the Army at El Paso, Texas. When he finishes his term of service in December, he plans to return to Eldon as science instructor there.

ANN JANE MOREY, BS Ed., of Atchison, Kansas, and Dr. WILLIAM RICHARD HENRY, DVM '57, on August 24 in Kansas City, Mo. Mrs. Henry is teaching in the St. Louis school system and Dr. Henry is working in St. Louis. They are living on Route 3, P. O. Box 290, Florissant, Mo.

RUTH AGNES WEHRMANN, BS BA, of Columbia, and Daniel F. Lynch III, Nashville, Tenn., on August 13 at the Harlingen Air Force Base Chapel, Harlingen, Texas. Mr. Lynch is a graduate of DePauw University. They are living in Indianapolis, where Mr. Lynch
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DOROTHY ANN SELIG, BS Ed., of Wooldridge, Mo., and LT. BILL D. KRANBERGER, BS Ed., '55, of Stover, on August 15 in Wooldridge. Lt. Kranberger received his commission in the Marine Corps in 1955, attended Basic school at Quantico, Va., and Artillery school in Ft. Sill, Okla. He recently finished a tour of duty in Japan and Okinawa. Mrs. Kranberger taught last year at Riverview Garden in St. Louis County. They are now living at Twenty-Nine Palms, Calif.

NORA ANN BALDWIN of Pleauna, Mo., and Lt. DARROL DEAN CALDWELL, BS BA, Belleville, on September 21 in Plena. Mrs. Caldwell is a graduate of Stephens College in Columbia. They are living at Fort Bragg, N. C., where Lt. Caldwell is stationed.

Miss Connie Marie Bryxles of Monde­esto, III, and BILL MOBLEY, BS Agr., of Dansiphan, Mo., on August 10 in Dumas. Mrs. Mobley is employed with McDonnell Aircraft Corporation in St. Louis, and Mr. Mobley is employed by Midland Ford Tractor Company in Robertson, Mo.

Miss Chris Ann Burdon of Moberly, Mo., and DONALD EUGENE GUTE-KUNST, BS Ed., on September 8 in Moberly. Mr. Gatekunst is enrolled in Veterinary Medicine at the University this fall. Their Moberly address is 212 Epperson.

Marilyn Jane Waters, BS Nur., and Donald V. Youll, graduate of Wash­ington University on August 30, 1957. Mrs. Youll is currently teaching at the School of Nursing of the University and Mr. Youll is a senior in medical school. They are living at 1808 Sunrise Drive in Columbia.

Miss Virginia Lou Tate of Columbia, and ROBERT MILTON O’NEAL, BS Agr., on September 7 in Columbia. Mr. O’Neal is enrolled in the graduate school this fall and Mrs. O’Neal is continuing her work in the office of the Dean of the College of Agriculture.

LINDA CHARLOTTE KEMPER and BOB FRANKLIN GRIFFIN, BS BPA, both of Cameron, Mo., on August 18 in Cameron. Mr. and Mrs. Griffin are living in Columbia, where both are enrolled in the University. Mr. Griffin is a second year law student.

Miss Mary Louise Darling, graduate of Christian College, and CLARENCE WATT, Jr., BS Ed., both of Jefferson City, Mo., on August 18 in Jefferson City. They are living in Columbia and Mr. Watt is continuing his work toward a master’s degree.

Miss Phyllis Finger of Kannapolis, N. C., and WILLIAM CHARLES HEALEY, BS Ed., of Jefferson City, Mo., on August 18. They are living at 1107 Jefferson Street in Jefferson City. Mrs. Healey is teaching first grade at South School there, and Mr. Healey, a graduate assistant in the department of speech and dramatic art at the University, is continuing his work toward a master’s degree.

Miss Dorothy Anne seck, BS Ed., of Belleville, on September 27 in Columbia. Mrs. Healey is employed by the company, which manufactures Dreamo brand margarine, salad oils and shortening, in 1954, and continued in active management of the firm until he was injured in an auto accident in 1955. He continued to serve as chairman of the board. Following his graduation Mr. Blanton was attorney for the State Board of Agriculture for several years. He helped start a bank in Helena, Ark., at which place his firm operated a cottonseed firm there. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Dora Moulton Blanton, and a son, David A. Blanton, Jr., president of the firm.

Dr. Gerig had suffered a stroke last April. Born in Columbia, Mo., he had received his Ph. D. degree from the University of Nebraska. In 1937 Dr. Gerig received an honorary Litt. D. from the University of Rome. He joined the staff of Columbia University in 1960 as a lecturer in Romance languages. When he retired in 1941 he had been executive officer of the Department of Romance Languages and had been active in the establishment of two centers of foreign culture at Columbia. He was also a former teacher of Sanskrit. His home in New York was at 39 Claremont Avenue. Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Rosalie Edwards of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Ida Parker, Vallejo, Calif. Their parents were Franz Joseph Gerig and Caroline E. Gerig, many years residents of Columbia.

DAVID A. BLANTON, Sr., LLB ‘98, founder of the Blanton Company at 3400 North Wharf St., St. Louis, on September 18 of a heart ailment at his home, 5601 Lindell Blvd. Mr. Blanton started the company, which manufactures Dreamo brand margarine, salad oils and shortening, in 1954, and continued in active management of the firm until he was injured in an auto accident in 1955. He continued to serve as chairman of the board. Following his graduation Mr. Blanton was attorney for the State Board of Agriculture for several years. He helped start a bank in Helena, Ark., at which place his firm operated a cottonseed firm there. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Dora Moulton Blanton, and a son, David A. Blanton, Jr., president of the firm.

RAYMOND S. EDMONDS, BL ’09, LLB ’08, lifelong resident of Miami, Mo., on September 5, 1957. Mr. Edmonds was a practicing attorney, and was also a partner in the Edmonds and Bure Drug Store in Miami. He was a member in Company I, 5th Missouri Volunteers, of the Spanish-American War. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lizzie Hamner Edmonds, of Miami; two sons, Hamner of Kansas City, and Wilson Edmonds of Blue Springs, and a daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Klumpp, Independence, Iowa. There are seven grandchildren.

RILEY R. CLOUD, LLB ’09, deputy district attorney, Pueblo, Colo., recently following an illness of five weeks. Mr. Cloud, a resident of Pueblo since 1919, was a past president of the Pueblo Bar Association and had been admitted to practice before the U. S. Supreme Court. He had served under three district attorneys and was also a former county attorney there. Survivors include Mrs. Cloud, of the home at 218 West Evans Ave., Pueblo; and five children, E. Frances and Betty Lee Cloud, of the family home; Mrs. Lucille Purcell, Pueblo; Mrs.
of California.

GEORGE L. HAX, Mech Arts '35, on September 4 in Kansas City. Mr. Hax had been an accounting engineer for the Kansas City Southern Railway for 33 years. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Emma C. Hax, of the home at 7325 Tracy in Kansas City, and a son, David H. Hax, of 1903 West Seventy-eighth Terrace.

DR. ALBERT J. CAMPBELL, MD '04, veteran physician of Sedalia, Mo., on September 23 in Sedalia. Widely known in Missouri medical and Masonic circles, Dr. Campbell was honored three years ago by the Pettis County Medical Society for 50 years of practice there. Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Nannie Estill Campbell, of the home; a daughter, NANCY LEE YOUNG of Liberty, Mo., and Dr. A. J. CAMPBELL, Jr., of Sedalia.

Mrs. Frank Lee Holt, who was CARRIE BELLE BROWN, '08, at her home in Pasadena, Calif., on June 11, 1955, of a heart ailment. For the past 36 years she and her family have lived in the Los Angeles area and Mr. and Mrs. Holt have entertained the University Alumni Association of Southern California in their home. She is survived by her husband, FRANK L. HOLT, Arts '08, two daughters, a son, and five grandchildren. The Holt home is at 10311 Wentworth Avenue, Pasadena 5, Calif.

DR. LAWSON LOWERY, AB '09, AM '10, of 25 West 51st St., New York, N. Y. late in August. Further information not available at this time.

RAY CLIFFORD BARCUS, '12, former track and basketball star at the University, unexpectedly on August 17 in Excelsior Springs, Mo. Mr. Barcus retired in January, 1956, after 30 years in the feed business, the last 24 of which were with Nutrena Mills. He spent his entire life in the Braymer-Excelsior Springs area, and maintained his interest in sports throughout that time. Mr. Barcus, of the home on Golf Hill, Excelsior Springs, survives, also a daughter, Edna Mae Stump of Amarillo, Texas.

EDGAR C. JOHNSON, '14, formerly of Sibley, Mo., on September 17 in South Pasadena, Calif. Mr. Johnson had been employed by the Texaco Oil Company more than 30 years. Mrs. Johnson survives, also a son and a daughter, both of California.

WILLIAM L. TAYLOR, BS Agr. '17, AM '31, Callaway County farm planner for SCS, on September 19 in Fulton, Mo., following a lingering illness. Formerly a county agent at Poplar Bluff, Mo., and Council Grove, Kan., he joined the U. S. Soil Conservation Service in 1935, after several years with the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, and with state and federal relief agencies. Mrs. Taylor died in 1955. Mr. Taylor had retired last year.

FRANK W. (Bill) YALE, BS Agr. '38, formerly of Kansas City, on September 20 in Detroit, Mich. Mr. Yale was director of dealer relations for the Plymouth Motor Corporation. He joined the organization in 1936. His wife, the former Martha Downing, of the home survive, also a daughter, Mrs. Mary Frances Bolger of Media, Pa.

DAVID FREDERICK WALLACE, 20, an adjuster for the Colorado Highway Department and a brother of Mrs. Harry S. Truman, on September 90 in Denver, Colo. Mr. Wallace was a student of architecture at the University, and later had his offices in the Jackson County Court House. He moved to Denver 15 years ago, and except for a short time at Albuquerque, N. Mex., has lived there since that time. Mrs. Wallace, of the home in Denver, survives, also a son, Pvt. David F. Wallace, Jr., and two daughters, Mrs. Richard Brasher, Lakewood, Colo., and Miss Margo Wallace of the home.

JOHN LESLIE LAWING, AB '29, principal of the J. C. Nichols school in Kansas City, suddenly on September 8 in Kansas City. Born in Ozark, Mo., Dr. Lawing received his master's and doctor of philosophy degrees from Columbia University. He was superintendent of schools in Maryville, Mo., from 1924 to 1929. In the last 20 years Dr. Lawing has done soil plot testing and curing of grain experiments on the family farm at Carning, Mo., for the University. His wife, Mrs. Lillian Roselius Lawing, and a son, William Lawing of Carning, Mo., survive.

DENNIS L. MURPHY, AB '26, AM '27, employee in research, editing and salesmanship work for Standard Oil Company in Tulsa, suddenly in September while in Boston on a business trip for the company. Dr. Murphy, native Missourian and author of three volumes of poetry on Ozark lore and life, received his doctorate at the University of Iowa in 1926 and had taught at several Universities. Former resident of Cape Girardeau, Prof. Murphy and Mrs. Murphy were active in Community Concert work and music affairs of that area. Mrs. Murphy survives, also two daughters. Their daughter, Marcia Ann, is a student at the University.

MABEL SCHULTZ CHILDERS, BS Ed. '27, AM '28, on October 7 at the home of her daughter, DOROTHY CHILDERS HAYNES, AB '25, and Mr. W. S. HAYNES, AB '23, AM '25, of Salt Lake City. The Haynes residence is at 3921 Cascade Way, Salt Lake City 6, Utah.

Mrs. Amos Gurley, the former MARY JEAN SAXE, BS Ed., '30, of Monett, Mo., on August 17 in Chicago following several weeks illness. Her husband, Mr. AMOS GURLEY, AB '27, of the home at 2698 Glenlake Ave., Chicago, III.

OSCAR KIMBROUGH, AM '37, well known in the field of education and a former superintendent of schools for Henry County, from a heart ailment on August 22 at his home in Clinton, Mo. Born in Missouri, he moved thirteen years later with his family by covered wagon to Indian territory near Ada, Okla. There he worked his way through school and received his Bachelor of Science degree from the College at Ada. He had served as superintendent of schools in Uriah, Shawnee Mound, Lecom, Lowry City, and other towns of Henry County before becoming county superintendent in 1900. Mr. Kimbrough, who is a special education teacher in the schools of Clinton, survives.

GLEN POTASHNICK, BS '48, on August 7 at John Cochran Veterans Hospital in St. Louis following surgery and five months illness. Mr. Potashnick had been employed by the Biddle Company in St. Louis as a chemist since 1951. Formerly of Potosi, Mo., he was married to Miss Norma Logg. He is survived by his wife and a daughter, Rolyn Sue, who is nearly three years old. Mrs. Potashnick and Rollin are living at 10968 St. Catherine Lane, St. Ann, Mo.

Mrs. Frank F. Blum, who was VALERA HUGHES, BS Ed. '50, M. Ed. '53, on August 16 in Mexico, Mo., following a cerebral hemorrhage. Mrs. Blum taught in the rural schools of Audrain County many years, had taught at Mexico High school, Hardin Junior High school, and for the past year had been head of the remedial reading department at the Missouri Military Academy in Mexico for the past year. Mr. Blum, a sister and a brother survive.

1st Lt. HENRY RICHARD JONES, AB '56, formerly of Sullivan, Mo., was one of three men who lost their lives in a storm while fishing on a lake near Sainte Marie, Mich., early in August. His wife and their son, eight months old, survive.
Putting the Sell in the Title

This department is in the market for scintillating titles of Ph.D. dissertations. Surely we have some as interesting as those listed in the newsletter of the Oxford University Press: “Sex Expression in the Spinach” . . . “The Influence of the Motion of Fishes’ Tails on the Tides of the Ocean” . . . “Submergence Time of the Hippopotamus” . . . “The Bacterial Content of the Common Cotton Undershirt.”

The Perils of Publishing

Shortly after Charles Widmayer was honored for his twenty-five years as editor of the Dartmouth Alumni Magazine, he found himself refereeing a controversy among his readers. His publication featured a proposed new art center, and a subsequent issue was crammed with letters of protest from alumni disturbed by the modernistic architecture. One Dartmouth man relayed a cruel blow. He’d shown the architect’s drawing to a Harvard man, who inquired: “Is this to be a complete shopping center or only a supermarket?”

We are glad to note in later issues of the Dartmouth magazine that the letters are less biting and that support of the architectural design appears to be growing. However, we were intrigued by one dissenter’s description of the proposed art center as “a glorified turkey roost.”

At Last, a Literary Magazine

The campus is to have a literary magazine, Midlands by name. We look forward to its appearance and wish it good health. That is a strong wish, for even the best literary magazine is often wobbly and puny from a health standpoint. For the literary magazine deals in quality, and that cuts down its appeal right off the bat. No jokes, no girly pictures. Just quality. The literary magazine is a labor of love and pride. It serves as a vehicle of encouragement for promising writers, and it reflects credit upon a university. The founders will rely on the output of students in the University’s creative writing courses, and accordingly have placed copy hooks, pigeon holes and wastebaskets at strategic places. It is said that student writers produce enough good material to justify four issues a year instead of the two that are planned. Whether material by faculty members will be sought, we don’t know. Most professors, when they write, turn their pens to technical papers, speeches, and textbooks, and seemingly aim everything at colleagues in their own fields. Not so with student writers, who look upon the world as their audience and express themselves freely, unafraid of ambush by sharpshooters among their fellows. So, a hearty welcome to Midlands, and if Dr. William Peden and Bob Williams run into publishing problems, let them come to us for commiseration. We feel that whatever they encounter will be nothing new.

How Does the Queen Get In?

By the time this type meets inked roller and paper, Missouri’s 1957 Homecoming will be a fresh memory. As we write this, we understand there are some complications about the Homecoming Queen’s entry at Memorial Stadium. As any peon knows, a queen can’t just walk out onto the field; the grand entrance is a must. Traditionally she rides in a spic and span car, and her escorts ride in spic and span cars, usually donated for the occasion by local dealers. However, this year we have a new track at the Stadium, and it has been decided that cars may not travel over it. The last we heard, the enterprising Homecoming committee was planning to commandeer a helicopter to get the delivery job done. This makes sense. There are other possibilities. The Queen conceivably could be dropped on the 50-yard line by balloon. Or she could come in on a ski lift and descend to the ground by a ladder. Being shot from a cannon seems a trifle bizarre. At any rate, we trust the Queen arrived in diverting fashion, and that her subjects are not restless because those shiny new cars were banned.

Something to Remember By

Shortly before the Vanderbilt-Missouri game, we saw a sports item that started off by saying the Commodores would be out to avenge Tiger defeats in 1895 and 1896. It occurred to us that if the writer of the story had his dope right, it was reasonable to assume that for the last 62 years all sons of Vanderbilt have been in agony over those ignominious events. Here in Missouri we like to think that we are more philosophical about defeat; as an example, the Tigers were trounced 4-0 by the Kansas City Medics in 1897, but hardly a soul has said anything bitter about it lately. This sports story we read made us wonder: Four decades after the defeats, when the 1957 Commodores were coming into the world, were they subjected to their elders to a campaign of vengeance against the victorious Tigers? From infancy has it been dinned into their ears: “Remember ’95 and ’96—leave us vindicate the glory of Vandy.” We hardly think so. We suspect that the sports writer, hard pressed for an angle, thumbed far back into the record books and sank deep in his end zone to come up with it.
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