Southwestern_News

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New News Schedule In line with the "new, improved" trend in

soaps, cigarettes and most everything else under the sun, you will be getting now a new, improved Southwestern News. It will

All Is Forgiven - Come Home Southwestern Homecoming October 19

If you still have nightmares about cutting classes and flunking quizzes, do not let the fear of confronting your ex-prof deter you. Come on back for Homecoming Day and enjoy the unique nostalgic pleasures which only a college reunion affords.

Chances are that professor has forgotten all about your sophomore symptoms and

junior delinquency. But he hasn't forgotten YOU. And if he remembers your growing pains, he only rejoices the more in your subsequent healthy maturity and successes.

It's remarkable how Southwestern's faculty members keep up with students whom they haven't seen in years.

The academic mind takes the long range viewpoint. The professor isn't interested only in seeing his student through college. The big pay-off comes when he sees his former student applying successfully the principles and the knowledge that he has worked to instill.

So it's always fun seeing your professors and, at Homecoming, there's the added joy of reunion with former classmates and other friends. It's sort of interesting, too, to see which campus big wheels have kept on wheeling and which shy violets have bloomed into full blown flowers of choice variety.

To some homecomers the day's biggest attraction will be the football game-Southwestern versus Austin College-and this promises to be a good one.

To others it will be the joint luncheon cosponsored by the Southwestern Men (and Women) of Memphis. Respective presidents, Barney Gallagher and Martha (Mrs. Charles C.) Sullivan, will announce detailed plans for this later. It suffices now to say that several hundred alumni will be there and it's always one of the year's best occasions.

Before noon you will have strolled around the campus to see the new buildings and the fraternity and sorority lawn decorations always clever and amusing. William Dorr, vice president of the Southwestern Alumni Association in charge of the reunions, heads the decorating contest and will name prominent local judges. Awards will be presented to the winners by president Oscar Hurt, Jr., at the dance that night.

Also during the morning there will be a brief program, educational but not TOO educational, presented by Dr. Alfred O. Canon, dean of alumni, and Dr. Jameson Jones, academic dean (they're both alumni, too) in the Adult Education Center.

Following the football game, there will be open house at all the fraternity lodges (Continued on Page 3)

be published quarterly, in October, January, April and July, instead of approximately bimonthly as before. It will be a little thicker-

and folded once instead of twice to facilitate both handling and reading. Hope you like it.

HISTORY REPEATS WITH DOUBLES-In 1932 Eva Gene Bruce wore a freshman bonnet. Nov Mrs. Carey Gaines Bringle, Eva Gene sends her twin daughters to Southwestern.

Parents Are Invited For Day of College

November 16 will be Parents' Day.

This event, inaugurated last year, unfolded as one of the most mutually satisfying occasions ever held at the college.

The college administration and faculty, students, and their parents who came from hundreds of miles around, all were delighted with the full day of activities and informal getting-to-know each other.

As Dr. Peyton N. Rhodes, president, put it to the luncheon assemblage," I don't know why it took us 108 years to get around to this."

Parents' Day is now on the books as an annual event.

Dr. Robert P. Richardson, vice-president in charge of the Office of Development, who originated the event and serves as its chairman, says the program for this year will closely follow last year's pattern.

Papas and Mamas will be urged to come

early in the morning and attend whatever classes they like with sons and daughters, meet their favorite professors and faculty advisors.

There will be a morning coffee breakvisiting in the residence halls-strolling around the campus-browsing in the library -doing the arboretum trails — and many other campus pleasures to fill the daytime hours

One of the best football games of the year, Southwestern versus Sewanee, will be the afternoon attraction on Fargason Field, and more entertainment in the evening.

In short, parents of all students will be invited to taste and sample a typical Southwestern day-to see their sons and daughters in their own campus setting-to know the parents of their friends-to share the flavor of their college experience.

These Gave . . . To The 1956 Southwestern Alumni Fund

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parade, which occurs at least twice annually. Every precaution is taken to avert the professorial goof.

Plotting of the event takes place in faculty committee, with John A. Rollow, the college engineer, giving the yea and nay to the practical side of arrangements involving seating, public address systems, path of procession, etc. For special oceasions like dedications, Professor MacQueen synchronizes things to the last digit. Faculty marshals, John Henry Davis, Joe O. Embry and Jack A. Russell, govern the actual parade. Even the president himself gives serious attention to the coordination of every detail.

But when the big day comes, the only one around who can be depended on to keep her head completely is Erma Reese, secretary to the president.

So Erma takes over.



Miss Reese

Stationed in the robing room, she calmly and efficiently deals with fouled up hoods, recalcitrant mortar board tassels, broken buttons, and nervous visitors—dispenses safety pins and Scotch tape—locates lost dignitaries and their misplaced regalia.

Erma brooks no compromise with regulation academic dress (Dr. John Henry Davis excepted. He's a law unto himself.) among her erratic charges. Finally, out of chaos pours an ordered line of perfectly attired academic conformists, comme il faut as all get-out—and on time.

Erma's not sure just how or when she became procession arbiter. Like many other miscellaneous responsibilities which she assumed in the early years of Southwestern at Memphis as secretary to Dr. Diehl, it was just a natural development.

Like many other good things at Southwestern, it simply couldn't happen without Erma.

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Intramural Quips

Wise and Witty

It has seemed for a long time a pity that so many good quotes remain strictly intramural. Pearls of wisdom and humor dropped on the campus go down the drain of memory

Another First At Southwestern-Memphis Assembly March 21-23

Southwestern joins hands with the American Assembly to sponsor the first municipal assembly for the discussion of international policy and problems.

The Memphis Assembly will be held March 21, 22, and 23 in the Adult Education Center, patterned after the American Assembly, which was started by Dwight D. Eisenhower while he was president of Columbia University and has been carried on by the university's Graduate School of Business Administration.

Each year a group of leading thinkers state department and diplomatic personnel, educators, military leaders, businessmen and government representatives—is invited for a residence session and spends several days discussing some phase of American policy and problems.

The findings are condensed into a final report, which is made available to government offices for their study and to the general public for its information.

Dr. Peyton N. Rhodes was a member of the 1956 assembly at Arden House, Harriman, N.Y.

Regional assemblies have also been held during the past few years and two members of the Southwestern faculty, Dr. Ross Pritchard and Prof. David M. Amacker, participated in the Southern Assembly at Biloxi, Miss., this winter.

The March meeting at Southwestern will be the first on the local level and may set the pattern for similar meetings in 15 or 20 other cities. The topic for discussion will be "Representation of the United States Abroad."

Ten distinguished panelists with technical competence in world affairs or world trade will be invited from the outside and about 25 Memphians will be asked to participate.

In addition to the Memphis advisory committee and the faculty technical committee, two groups of students will assist during the conference, giving them the opportunity to observe the process and affording the visitors an acquaintance with Southwestern's student body.

without ever being shared with the outside world.

This department's nomination for champion phrase maker is your college president, Dr. Peyton N. Rhodes.

Two typical ones came to light in this month's snooping. In one, he called a college budget a "calculated irresponsibility."

Again, he was writing a congratulatory letter to a friend who had been named president of another college. "You are now the final recipient of the ultimate buck," he told him.

Other eavesdroppings:

Dr. Llewellyn Queener, in a conversation about new books: "I'm reading a book now which I believe will last." It was the Iliad.

Then there was the staff member who suggested calling the News Service the Southwestern Informary.

And the venerable faculty member who offered a name for the Adult Education Center which could be easily identified by its initials. The name—Ivory Tower (for) Continuing Humanistics.

Edward R. Barrow

"Civic undertakings in Memphis have lost a source of strength in the death of Edward Robertson Barrow. As a member of the executive committee of Southwestern and of the Hospital for Crippled Adults his work was especially prominent," so read in part an editorial in The Commercial Appeal for December 12.

Mr. Barrow, who retired in 1954 as vice president and secretary-treasurer of Barrow-Agee Laboratories, Inc., was an outstanding civic leader for more than 50 years. He was a vestryman of Calvary Episcopal Church for 38 years; was past president of Memphis Rotary, a 33rd degree Mason and Shriner; had headed the local Red Cross work for disaster and preparedness; was a patron of music and a leader in the field of business.

With the death of Ed Barrow, Southwestern has indeed lost a valued friend.

Perpetual Scholarship Honors Joseph A. Fowler

Joseph A. Fowler, long time friend of Southwestern and father of two Southwestern alumni, was honored last month by a \$10,000 memorial gift to the college from the Memphis Scottish Rite to establish a permanent scholarship for needy students.

Mr. Fowler, a 33rd degree Mason and for many years chairman of the Scottish Rite educational committee in Tennessee, became interested in Southwestrn even before it was moved to Memphis.

He was a continuous supporter through the years, worked on the initial funds drive when the college came to Memphis and on subsequent annual fund campaigns during its early years here.

His electrical firm, the Fowler Electric Co., installed much of the electrical work in the original college plant.

Mr. Fowler was a charter member of the 1,000 Club to promote Southwestern athletics.

His daughter, Betsye Fowler (Mrs. W. Edward French) was in the class of 1939 and his son, Morgan Fowler, in the class of 1943.

Mr. Fowler was for many years executive director of the Memphis Housing Authority and president of the Tennessee Masonic Cathedral.

He died in January.

Scrambled Eggs, Big Brains Meet At Council Breakfast

According to a recent poll, almost 76.16 per cent of Southwestern's male graduates prefer their eggs scrambled.

Poached eggs is the choice of 19.04 per cent of them and the remaining 4.76 per cent like them fried. Now these are rather loose figures. Dr. MacQueen and other mathematical perfectionists would undoubtedly point out that there's a missing .04 per cent. But these figures are close enough to satisfy our pollsters and save you the trouble of reading a longer series of figures.

Polls are very stylish—and Southwestern likes to keep right up to the minute. But there was another reason, too, for this particular poll.

When the President's Council met in January, Dr. Pete Richardson invoked an old Chinese custom to bring them together that of a combination business-social breakfast.

So cards went out to the 23 Ambassadors for Southwestern who comprise the council, asking each of them two questions—would they come to breakfast and how they like their eggs.

Two were out of town. The rest came. And the above statistics were simply a byproduct of the query.

The President's Council, which is also a counsel, is a select group of Southwestern's own who meet occasionally with Dr. Peyton N. Rhodes, Dr. Richardson, and others of the college staff, to talk over various issues and programs and to keep informed on activities of the college.

In addition to acting as an advisory group to the president, they call themselves "Ambassadors of Southwestern" and undertake, in their daily routine, to perform the various functions for the college which are associated with ambassadorship. They are the college's diplomats, interpreters, and extenders of good will in their own particular spheres.

All are men who have achieved distinction in their careers, in church, civic, or social work and whose sound endorsement of their own college adds up to a substantial sum of prestige for their alma mater.

They do a terrific job and, like all good ambassadors, seem to enjoy it.

The President's Council is another channel in the growing network of communication between Southwestern and its alumni by which both the college and its graduates will profit.

It will be enlarged and will ultimately include some non-alums as well.

Promising Spring Sports Offerings In The Making At Mallory Gymnasium

With the basketball season on its way out, practice for spring sports at Southwestern is scheduled to begin soon. All teams are bolstered by returning lettermen. The track and tennis squads should be especially strong when play begins with the return of warm weather.

The basketball squad, under coach Frank Horton, while on the short end of the won and lost record so far, has played good ball against such opponents as Tulane and Mississippi State. The Lynx have also come up with two top scorers in Bill Young and Morton Waller, a Sophomore transfer. Both boys have averaged better than 18 points a game all season and Young is on the verge of breaking several all time scoring records for Southwestern. He already holds the record for most points in a single game (40) made against Birmingham-Southern and before the season is over he should break Buster Carlisle's season scoring record of 426.

Coach Derrick Barton will have tennis lettermen Tommy Buford, Eric Mount, George Morris, Walker Wellford and Jack Biedenharn back, plus several promising newcomers. The Southwestern netters have never had a losing season under coach Barton.

The track team should be one of the best in years. Coached by Dr. Ross Pritchard and Freeman Marr, the Lynx runners will miss all time top point getter Bob Jackson, but should have back outstanding distance man Mike Cody, a wealth of lettermen including John Kopsinis, Dick Brankstone, Bob Welsh, Bill Carrell, C. D. Kilpatrick, Charles Ames, Bob Sanford, and Julian White. Freshmen and transfers who may turn the cardinal and black thinclads into a real powerhouse are Whitehaven boys Finis Carrell and Sidney Peek and Richard Vollmer from LSU.

The Lynx golfers can look for the return of three-year veteran Bill McLean and John Mostellar from last year's squad. Lewis Bledsoe will give additional help and several freshmen are expected to turn out when links practice begins.

Coach Frank Horton will have practically all of last year's baseball team back but pitching and fielding strength must be added to improve on last season's baseball record. Outstanding pitcher Bob Rose is the only hurler available at the moment. Jim Breazeale will again be behind the plate and Joe Weeks is available for first base duty. Other varsity players returning from last season are Joe Boals, Gene Maddux, Andy Gandy, Bill Young, Red McMillion, Jack Rockett, Jettie Bowen, John Dunlap, and C. D. Kilpatrick.



Basketball squad (left to right, bottom row) Coach Frank Horton, Joe Boals, Captain John Maxwell, co-captain Bill Young, Jettie Bowen, manager Pete Hale; (center row) Fred Bertrand, Morton Waller, Bill Harris, Larry Fury, Frank Splann, Finis Carrell, (top row) Red McMillion, Jerry Peters, John Hixon, Jimmy Breazeale, Stony Maxwell, Robert MacQueen, Randy McCloy.

Twin Honors Come to Southwestern in Dual Appointment

When the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, U.S., meets April 25-30 in Birmingham, Southwestern will be represented with distinction.

Dr. Peyton N. Rhodes, president, was elected a commissioner by the Memphis Presbytery at its January meeting to serve a two year term. Dr. Rhodes is an active layman at Idlewild Presbyterian Church. Dr. Robert P. Richardson, vice-president in charge of development, just a few days previously had been named a commissioner by the North Mississippi Presbytery. His term of office is one year. Dr. Richardson has a long record of service as minister and missionary.

Both will attend the Birmingham meeting.

King-size Scientist Makes Happy Impression



Dr. Gustavson

One of Southwestern's most delightful gifts in years came in a king-size package just before Christmas—Dr. R. G. Gustavson, one of the original guides in the University of Chicago research project in atomic energy.

A great, genial man of massive form, he seems to generate a substantial amount of energy of his own and has the happy focus of a wide-angle lens on life which seems to see everything and place it all in healthy perspective.

Here is a distinguished scientist who believes that the hope of a better world lies in the study of the humanities with their emphasis on values.

Ŝcience is constantly revealing technological wonders, and Dr. Gustavson is as excited as anybody about these.

But, he points out, "Man learned long ago the basic conditions that have to obtain if human beings are going to live with each other. Technology has made our social structure increasingly complex and it becomes increasingly difficult to apply these principles. Consequently, the study of humanities today is of tremendous importance because how to live together is our basic problem."

Dr. Gustavson, who came through the courtesy of the Phi Beta Kappa United Chapters, spoke at the Phi Beta Kappa Alumni Association's annual dinner.

He spent three days on the campus, charming everyone in sight with his casual utterances of pure philosophy and science couched in gentle humor and sound common sense.

More than any books, contact with this type of man teaches students the greatest gains of true education—the good life, the well-rounded personality, and the ability to contribute to society.

Are You A Friend?

A visitor to Burrow Library recently came away excited about his new "Friends of Burrow Library" card. He had not known that for a minimum annual contribution he could become a Friend and enjoy the privileges of the library.

This courtesy, of course, is extended especially to alumni.

HAVE YOU A FRIEND YOU'D LIKE TO SEND?

Southwestern is interested always in attracting the most promising students.

Those who have been to Southwestern know best the quality of students who will have most to offer the college and stand to profit most from its distinctive advantages. Your recommendation will be helpful both to the student and the college.

Perhaps you know a high school boy or girl who will be thinking of college in a year or two. If there's someone that you would especially like to see attend Southwestern, send in the name on the blank below. If there are additional prospective students, write the necessary information below on a sheet of paper. The admissions office will be glad to hear from you and will put your students on its mailing list.

I RECOMMEND FOR SOUTHWESTERN ...

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Southwestern Singers -----

North Parkway to Basin Street . . . With Music All Along the Way

Dr. Burnet C. Tuthill, who is "Papa Tut" now to 17 years of Southwestern Singers, returned early this month with 45 happy voices from the annual choir tour. Assistant director is Jack Funkhouser.

The itinerary took the group this year to New Orleans and back with two concerts in the Crescent City, one in Bogalusa, Louisiana, and others in Mississippi towns—Greenville, McComb, Vicksburg, Yazoo City, and Clarksdale, affording them a brief week-end of sight seeing in New Orleans.

All along the way they were graciously received and entertained by their sponsoring churches and high schools.

Sharing the fun all the way was their regular bus driver, Bill Oakley, their good friend and best critic, whose choir seniority is second only to Dr. Tuthill's. This was his 11th trip.



Treasure Room Acquires Two Indian Paintings

Two of the paintings from the lively and interesting show of modern Indian art which was visited by hundreds in the Treasure Room during January, have become a permanent part of the Clough-Hanson fine arts collection at Southwestern.

Miss Etta D. Hanson, curator of the collection who arranged the loan exhibition from the Museum of New Mexico, has announced the college's purchase of "Horse Dancer" and "The Dakota Riders," both by Oscar Howe.

Mr. Howe is a Sioux Indian who learned first the traditional Indian approach to painting and later turned his talents to commercial art. His fame and success have resulted from his own particular genius in blending the two in a lively and forceful way.

The artist is currently enjoying a one-man show at the Museum of New Mexico at Santa Fe.

The entire Indian show, the first loan collection shown in the Treasure Room, was enthusiastically received in Memphis. Nine of the 40 odd paintings were sold, two to the college and seven to Memphians, Mid-Southerners, and Southwestern students.

The Rev. John Frist, class of 1929, and his daughter, Charlotte, who is a freshman on the campus this year, have reason to be proud of wife and mother, Betty Frist, who is author of the book, "No Wings in the Manse." Telling of "life



and laughter under the preacher's roof," the book presents a wife's-eye view of the pastoral calling its trials, responsibilities, and amusing incidents.

Not only is Mrs. Frist a Presbyterian minister's daughter who married a Pres-

Charlotte Frist byterian minister, she is also a Southwestern-er's wife whose daughter is a campus co-ed. Could it be Southwestern is furnishing material for another book? Could be.



Dr. Homer M. McLain, loyal devoted friend and alumnus of Southwestern, class of 1901, and distinguished minister who served as superintendent of Home Missions for North Mississippi Presbytery before his retirement, died January 16, 1957, in Oxford, Mississippi.

Burial was in Clarksville, Tennessee.

CLASS OF 1929

"Gratz" Brown, vice president and senior trust officer of the National Bank of Commerce which he has served since 1927, recently was elected to membership in the Memphis Rotary Club. He will be in charge of the club's hospital endowment fund.

Colonel Donald D. Bode, accompanied by his wife and son, stopped in Memphis for a few days on his way to Heidelberg, Germany, for a new assignment as Chief Chemical Officer, United States Army Europe. For the past three years he has been commanding officer of Dugway Proving Ground, Utah, a testing center for chemical, biological and radiological warfare. Colonel Bode entered the Army in 1941 after five years of teaching at the University of Tampa. He received his Ph.D. degree in 1934 at the University of Virginia. The Bodes have a daughter, Barbara Ann, who will finish her sophomore year at the University of Utah before joining the family in Europe. She plans to transfer next fall to the Technical Institute at Zurich, Switzerland. Donald, Jr., expects to enroll at the University of Heidelberg.

CLASS OF 1931

Do you remember when Jeff Davis was captain of the football team, president of the Honor Council, a member of ODK, and on the Student Council? Well, he has gone on to the top in his career too. Jeff is now general counsel for Southern Bell Telephone Company, the highest legal position in the company. He went with Southern Bell in 1947 as attorney, was promoted to general attorney in 1949 and to general solicitor in 1952, in which capacity he has served until his latest appointment in December. Those who returned to campus last year for Alumni Day will remember that he was guest speaker for the occasion, and that he enthralled his audience with demonstrations of electronic wonders in the communications field. Married to the former Jerdone Kimbrough and the father of three children, he lives at 70 Montgomery Ferry Drive, NE, Atlanta, Georgia.

It won't be surprising if the Ross C. Butlers don't see much of their new daughter, Susan Elaine, who was born September 27. The baby girl has three grown sisters.

CLASS OF 1932

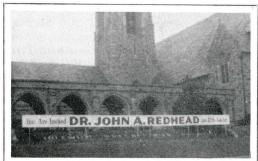
Dr. John Davis Hughes, who is a specialist in internal medicine, is the new president of the Memphis and Shelby County Medical Society. Past president of the Memphis Heart Association and Memphis Academy of Internal Medicine, he is also assistant professor of medicine at U.T., and an elder at Idlewild Presbyterian Church.

CLASS OF 1934

Home Builders of Memphis have elected Jack Renshaw first vice president of the association. At the time of the election a plaque was awarded to Memphis Builders by the national association for outstanding work in home building.

CLASS OF 1935

Charles R. Sherman, senior member of the law firm of Livingston, Vineyard & Sherman, and a



Idlewild's greeting

A member of the class of '26 who has achieved national prominence is Jack Redhead (Dr. John A.), who returned to Memphis in January to deliver a week's series of sermons at Idlewild Presbyterian Church. Listed in Who's Who in America, Jack has been seen and heard by millions on radio and TV-on the National Radio Pulpit, the Protestant Hour and on the television series, Man-to-Man, of the National Council of Churches. He has written numerous magazine articles and several books, among them "Getting to Know God" and "Learning to Have Faith." An outstanding speaker of the Presbyterian Church, U.S., he is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Greensboro, North Carolina.

member of the Memphis, Shelby County, Tennessee, and American Bar Associations, is among the new members of the Memphis Rotary Club, and will hold the classification of "Title Attorney." He and his wife, **Rebecca (Laughlin**, '38) live at 4208 Tuckahoe Road.

CLASS OF 1936

While working on his dissertation for the Ph.D. in history, J. Winfield Qualls holds a teaching fellowship at Vanderbilt University.

CLASS OF 1937

Educator and businessman are terms equally applicable to Adrian E. Stockard. Principal of Glenridge Junior High School in Winter Park, Florida, he has the fascinating avocation of growing orchids for the commercial market.

Working with boys is one of the chief interests of **Rick Mays** as witnessed by his coaching of the Southwestern team and his work with the Boy Scouts Chickasaw Council. Football is over for this year but the work of the Scouts continues without season, with Rick elected Scout commissioner at the annual business meeting of the council held in December. As commissioner Rick will oversee activities and handle special services for units in the council. This will involve work with troops from parts of three states.

Don Owens is newly elected president of the Whitehaven Country Club. In case you think you don't know the Chief

In case you think you don't know the Chief Scientist for Signal Corps Research and Development—you do. He's **Dr. Craig M. Crenshaw**, formerly Director of the Physical Sciences Division, Evans Signal Laboratory, Fort Monmouth, N.J. When he received his Ph.D. degree in nuclear physics from New York University, his data was adapted as world standard for low energy end of

"Outstanding Young Man of the Year" is Ed Boldt, class of 1945. The Junior Chamber of Commerce of Memphis announced his selection February 1.

Ed, who is assistant vice president of the Crosstown branch of 1st National



Bank, also served as chairman of the 1956 Heart Fund Campaign; as director, treasurer and member of the Medical Advisory Committee; and was a state Tennessee Heart Association director. He is a leader in the Sales Executive Club,

Ed Boldt

publicity chairman for the 1957 Memphis-Shelby County Community Chest, and vice president of the 1956 Memphis Cotton Carnival Association.

In addition to the plaque presented to him by the Jaycees, Ed received a "key to the city" from Mayor Edmund Orgill.

nuclear Range-Energy relation. Author and coauthor of numerous scientific and technical articles, he is the Army member of the Panel on Radiological Instrumentation (Armed Forces Special Weapons Project). A top-flight scientist right in the class!

CLASS OF 1938

Double congratulations to Dorothy (Sharpe, '48) and Jim Carey. It's twins, a son and daughter, born December 19, which is the 14th wedding anniver-sary for the Careys.

CLASS OF 1939

Long overdue news of Chester C. Carden is that he is attending Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky.

CLASS OF 1940

There are two class babies to report this time: Daughter, Sheryl Lee, born 11-19-56 to Dora Mae and Paden Page.

Son, Robert Spencer, III, born 5-26-56, to Nancy (Wood) and John Alden Pond. Friends of the Ponds will remember that Robert Spencer's granddaddy, Dr. R. S. Pond, was a former member of the college faculty.

CLASS OF 1941

Professor and Mrs. William Coy Kirkpatrick, Jr. (Peggy Corcoran Houston) and daughters, Patricia Ann, 11, and Peggy Kathleen, 11/2, are now living in Whittier, California. Professor Kirkpatrick is in charge of music in four schools in, and near

St. Charles Church, New Orleans, was the scene of the marriage of Joye Fourmy Thompson, class of '42, to Oliver P. Cobb, Jr., '32. Among the members of the immediate families attending the ceremony were Marion and Rockne Lee, '56, the groom's son-in-law and daughter.

The bride, who is instructor in modern dance at the college, attended Southwestern and was graduated from Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, where she was a member of Alpha Omicron Pi sorority. Mr. Cobb, a member of the American Bar Association and partner in Oliver P. Cobb and Co., certified public accountants, is an active alumnus, serving at the present time as vice president in charge of finances for the Alumni Association.

Whittier, while writing his dissertation for the Doctor of Education degree at the University of Southern California.

CLASS OF 1942

Elder Shearon, Jr., former assistant zone manager of Studebaker-Packard Corporation, has been named executive vice president of Southern Company, hydraulic lift distributor. The Shearons (Mary Elizabeth Harsh, '41) live at 2429 Union.

The only class baby reported this issue is Beverly Bland Cleveland, born July 31, 1956, in Cleveland Heights, Ohio. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Cleveland (Katherine Walker).

CLASS OF 1943

A daughter, Sallie Christine, was born January 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Julian Nall in Nashville where Julian is completing work on a Ph.D. in physics which he expects to receive in September from Vanderbilt University.

CLASS OF 1944

The youngest of the three little Foxes is Jean Fredrika, born December 7 to Dr. and Mrs. David Fox (Sallie Moore). She is the only new baby in the class reported this time.

CLASS OF 1945

There is a single new baby reported for the class. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Cannon, born November 7 and named Henry Kevin

CLASS OF 1946

The only news from the class concerns two new babies, one boy and one girl: Son, Robert Edward Whitsitt, born 12-26-56 to

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Whitsitt, Jr. (Ann Turner, `53).

Daughter, Louise Wilbourn, born 10-14-56 to Mr. and Mrs. John Collier (Louise Wilbourn).



area is none other than Betty Bynum Webb Utter, '46, who is the local Channel 11's "Ann Alden," hostess of a popular Monday through Friday afternoon television show. Betty's husband, Bob, has his own TV

Betty Utter program, Tricks and Treats, on WBAP-TV, the local Channel 5.

CLASS OF 1947

Squid boiled in its own ink, banana chips and cafe cabana are delicacies of the past for Margaret Walthall. After an exciting two years with the U.S. Embassy in Cuba where she was secretary to Ambassador Gardner, she is headed for a new post with the Embassy in Manila, Philippine Islands. Margaret, who enroute to Manila stopped in Memphis several months this winter to visit her family, was enthusiastic about her recent job. She was in the political section of the Embassy where she met all visiting dignitaries, including Vice President and Mrs. Nixon, Secretary of Agriculture Benson, senators, and diplomats from other countries, and often attended the receptions given by Ambassador Gardner in their honor.

CLASS OF 1948

The Navy now has Jane (Phelps, '49) and Dick Arnold living in Chestnut Hill, Massachusetts. Dick is doing graduate work in aeronautical engineering at M.I.T. and will have his Master's degree in June. All of the Arnolds, including Scott, who is not quite two, have had fun getting acquainted with snow.

Three baby girls swell the ranks of the children of '48-ers, two of them twins.

Twins, Louisa May and Susan Paden, born 11-30-56 to Dr. and Mrs. Gene R. Page (Ella Howard Pickens, '52).

Daughter, Mary Margaret, born 10-15-56, is the fifth girl for Mr. and Mrs. Noble Hicks (Virginia Anne Withers).

The class of 1949 has a new recording artist. Clifford E. Tucker, organist and music director of Calvary Baptist Church in New York, has a new long play record, "Songs to Live By," released recently. It features the Calvary Radio Choir of Calvary Baptist Church and may be obtained from the Church on request, accompanied by a voluntary contribution.

Clifford's musical career was threatened last year when he developed rheumatoid arthritis which crippled his talented fingers and forced him to take a leave of absence from his duties in New York. Six months of medical treatment, combined with Clifford's refusal to accept defeat and his tremendous faith, worked what has been considered a miraculous recovery. In August he returned to New York, where he resumed his duties at Calvary Church.

CLASS OF 1949

Latest news from Bill Hatchett is that he's teaching English at the University of Tennessee in Knoxville, and the father of a son (see below).

The Air Force which keeps Paul Snodgress up in the air piloting Globemasters, has also upped his rank to Captain. Paul has a regular Air Force commission. Stationed at McChord Air Force Base, Washington, he covers both East and West with numerous flights to Korea, Japan, Europe and Africa.

When it comes to babies '49-ers aren't taking sides this time. It's two new baby girls and two baby boys.

Daughter, Florence Patrice McCarthy, born 11-7-56 to Commissioner and Mrs. John T. Dwyer (Leona DeMere).

Daughter, Elizabeth Ann, born 11-13-56 to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boswell.

Son, Douglas Edward, born 11-7-56 to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bryant (Marjoree Russell, '53).

Son, Lawrence Mabry, born 5-8-56 to Mr. and Mrs. William Hatchett (Carmen Roper). The editor's apologies to the Hatchetts for inadvertently neglecting to announce the arrival of Lawrence Mabry in an earlier issue. We hope little Larry herewith accepts our tardy, but sincere good wishes.

CLASS OF 1950

Bill Brown was married to Sara Lee Ford, a senior at the college, in a ceremony in Zion Presbyterian Church in Columbia, Tennessee, on December 21. Officiating was the bride's father, who is pastor of the Zion church, and Dr. W. J. Millard, pastor of Evergreen Presbyterian Church, Memphis, and giving the bride in marriage was Dr. R. P. Richardson, vice president in charge of development at Southwestern. Bill is associate pastor of Evergreen Church.

Don Ellis is attending Western Carolina Teachers College and preaching in five neighboring churches. He and his family live in Webster, North Carolina.

Rowell D. Waller is now librarian of Joseph L. Sweet Memorial Library at Attleboro, Massachusetts. Prior to his new appointment he was assistant in the reference department of the public library at Providence, Rhode Island.

The "Premiere Performance" of Elizabeth Hill Cobb, soprano, was on October 22, 1956. The tiny prima donna is under the "management" of Mr. and Mrs. James V. Cobb.

Announcement of two other baby girls and one boy has been received.

Daughter, Laura Leigh, born 12-18-56 to The Rev. and Mrs. George King Comes, Jr.

Daughter, Marsha Jeanne, born 11-26-56 to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall P. Scott (Thelma Ragland, '48).

Son, George Gunther, Jr., born 1-27-57 to Mr. and Mrs. George G. Clarke (Mary Ann Ramsey). Mary Ann, whose husband graduated from Se-wanee, says "Southwestern can have the girls. Boys will like mountain air.

CLASS OF 1951

New director of music at Union Avenue Methodist Church is William Akins. His wife, Helen (Coker, '53), is church organist. Bill, who was in charge of music at Messick High for five years, is now director of choral music at East High.

Among the November weddings was that of Stanley Taylor, Jr., to Jean Montgomery on the 10th at the Methodist Church in Tunica, Mississippi. They are making their home at 154 St. Agnes Circle here in Memphis.

The Rev. R. Christy Morgan has left East Liberty Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh, where he served as assistant minister for the past two and a half years in order to accept a call to the First Presbyterian Church of Covington, Tennessee. It was orange blossoms and marriage vows for

Ann Thomas Lile on November 18. Ann, now Darrell Duane Hunt, lists her new address Mrs. as 1211 South East 16th Avenue, Rochester, Minnesota.

Texans Mike Ouinn and his wife have moved their allegiance from Dallas to Houston, where he is now with Humble Oil and Refining Company, in the public relations and advertising section. Mike, whose new address is 231 Portland, says he talks occasionally to Bill Crisamore ('52) and plans to get together with him soon.

Losing bachelor status this year is Bill Brazelton, Jr. Married November 23 to the former Peggy Goodall in a beautiful ceremony at Bellevue Baptist Church, he and his bride went flying down via Pan Am Clipper to Montego Bay, Jamaica, for a honeymoon at Bay Roc Hotel.

There are three birth announcements from the class:

Daughter, Beverly Louise, born 11.7.56 to Mr. and Mrs. Woody Morriss.

Daughter, Carolyn Anne, born 11-26-56 (her mother's birthday) to Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Klinke (Marie Anne Storn).

William Holt, born 9-14-56, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Hall (June Holt). Little Bill has a brother, 2, and two sisters, 4 and 5.

CLASS OF 1952

Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Francis, Jr. (Margaret Ruth Kelly, '55), exchanged marriage vows at St. Mary's Episcopal Cathedral on January 12. Seen in the wedding party were several Southwestern ers: matron of honor was Mrs. Robert Lipscomb (Elizabeth Ann Carter), while Dr. William Metzger, Dr. Threlkeld, William Hamilton Smythe, William C. III, and William B. Brazelton, Jr., were ushers at the beautiful ceremony. After the reception in the Parish hall, the couple left for a wedding trip to Tower Isle and Montego Bay, Jamaica.

Keeping the office of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company in Syracuse, New York, running on greased wheels is the job of Frances R. Freeman, who is now office supervisor for the company.

John Gratz, Jr., who studied music under "mod-Paul Hindemith, Roger Sessions and Aaron erns' Copland, may now be saying kinder words about the melodious strains of Lohengrin. On November 17, he was married to the former Sarah Polk Burch in a beautiful ceremony solemnized in the presence of members of the immediate families at "Riverwood", the home of the bride's grandparents in Nashville. They will live in Memphis where John, already recipient of a B.A. degree from Yale and a master's in music from University of California, is going for an M.D. He is in his second year at the University of Tennessee College of Medicine.

Having completed 30 months military service as a 1st Lt. in the Army. Edward L. Rucks recently was employed by the city as a fulltime assistant attorney. He received his law degree from the University of Mississippi.

Henry Peters, Jr., who recently graduated from Southern College of Optometry, has opened his own office of optometry at 1430 Poplar.

Jim Ratcliff has been transferred to shore duty in Yokosuka, Japan. Prior to the new assignment he was stationed in Sasebo, which is not far from Nagasaki. He spent Christmas with missionaries in Kobe, finding them "a wonderful bunch of

people." A tip of Dr. Diehl's green hat to Jim for forwarding news of other Southwestern-ers. He says Fred Link is teaching freshman English part-time and writing his thesis at Boston University. Dhane Basom is working in Oakland, California, and is Lloyd B. Smith, both '50, are in Chapel Hill; while he believes Walter Lazenby ('51) is teaching in Houston, Texas.

Remembering Thanksgiving Day 1950, his first in America, Gerhard Opel is looking forward to Thanksgiving, 1957, when he will again be in this country. Not at Southwestern, but at M.I.T., where he will be research assistant in aero-thermodynamics next year. Gerhard graduated from the Vienna Institute of Technology on December 7 with the degree Diplomingenieur, which is equivalent of an M.S. in this country. Until his departure from Wien in August he will study more math and physics and do research in Thermodynamics. His aim is the D.Sc. (similar to our Ph.D.) and then employment here in our aviation industry

Baby announcements indicate four of the five are boys:

Son, Lee Jackson, born 11-25-56 to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Wills.

Son, Edward Lindsey, born 12-13-56 to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rucks (Betsy Ross). Son, Lester Rose, III, born 9-21-56 to Dr. and

Mrs. Lester Graves (Barbara Flippin).

Son, John Barkman, born 8.9.56 to Dr. and Mrs. John D. Ross (Lucy Hay).

Daughter, Carolyn Jane, born 12-25-56 to Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Genette, Jr. (Carolyn Jane Mc-Spadden); the best of all possible Christmas gifts.

The Alumni Office enjoyed a visit in January from the Rev. J. Ray Dobbins, class of '43, and his two sons, Michael, 10, and Donald, 7, who look like promising Southwestern prospects for years not too far distant.

Ray and his family, who have been living in Louisville for the past eight years, were visiting in Memphis en route to Miami, where he will assume an administrative post as superintendent of missions for the Miami Baptist Association.

He was looking forward with eagerness to his new field of activity, which will be primarily organization of new churches to meet the needs of a city in "an amazing period of growth."

He is former pastor of the Beechmont Baptist Church in Louisville.

Ray's Memphis friends will have the opportunity to hear him preach when he appears in a revival at Eudora Baptist Church April 7-14.

After Southwestern Ray got his master's degree from Southern Seminary at Louisville but came back to claim a Memphis bride-the former Doris Vaughn. They visit Memphis about once a year. (There's also a daughter, Sherry Kaye, 10 months.)

Ray always comes out to see what's new at Southwestern. The last time he had a nice visit with Dr. John Quincy Wolf, chatting about old friends in Batesville, Arkansas, and took the boys over to see the art show in the Treasure Room.

CLASS OF 1953

Catherine (Coleman, '55) and David Alexander are finding that England is far exceeding their best expectations. David is working on his thesis and Catherine is trying to take a class and attend lectures while keeping house. They planned to go to Geneva for the holidays and we hope they did. Christmas in the Alps seems ideal to us.

The four babies to be announced this time were all born in December.

Son, John Mitchell, born 12-23-56 to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Don Morgan.

Son born 12-22-56 to Dr. and Mrs. William E. Metzger, Jr.

Son born 12-17-56 to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Daniel, Jr., (Betty Blackburn Martin).

Daughter. Jane Louise, born 12-13-56 to The Rev. and Mrs. Robert Stewart (Wade McHenry 54), and Bob couldn't be prouder.

CLASS OF 1954

Larry Bone is in charge of Memphis' newest library, the Randolph Branch, which was dedicated January 5. Larry, who received his master's degree in library science at Western Reserve in 1955, operates the 16,000 volume library with a staff of five assistants and three part-time workers. He began his career as a page in Cossitt Library in 1949.

Top man of his class at University of Tennessee College of Medicine was Dr. Thomas E. Strong, Jr., who was graduated September 24. Finishing with a grade point of 93.66, Dr. Strong made better grades over the four-year course than any of his 49 classmates.

When Elizabeth A. Price was married to Hugh Richard Johnson, Jr., of Columbia, Mississippi, her cousin, Dr. R. P. Richardson, who is vice president in charge of development at Southwestern, officiated at the ceremony. The wedding took place in Jackson, December 22.

A transfer to the Far East Network has Bob McClure assigned to the Tokyo Radio Station of the U. S. Armed Forces Radio and Television Service. He is an engineer and master control operator for the network. Allan Bernstein, Paula Richardson's husband, worked for the same outfit as a newscaster and was there when Bob arrived.

Elizabeth Ellen Walker ('55) and William Jacoway Hughes chose December 21 for their wedding at St. John's Methodist Church. They are living in New Haven, Connecticut, where Bill is completing studies at Yale Divinity School. Elizabeth, who is working part-time in the registrar's office, plans to audit some courses whenever she can work them in.

In a few months Sp3 Wiley Umphlett will be "a free man," which is the best news he had for the News. At present he is in Germany with the Army Air Force.

Gene Douglass McFarland is married to Benjamin Porteous Moore, III, of Nashville. The groom is a graduate of Montgomery Bell Academy, Nashville, and is in his senior year at Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn where he is majoring in horticulture. He served in the Army in Germany for three years.

St. Peter, Prince of the Apostles, Church in San Antonio, Texas, was the setting, November 4, for the wedding of Viola Deavours to James Ed-They are making their home in ward Powers. Cincinnati, Ohio.

Douglas Marsh is now counselling at The Sunny Glenn Home for neglected and dependent children in San Benito, Texas, and preaching at Churches of Christ in the Rio Grande Valley. His new address is The Sunny Glenn Home, P. O. Box 1373, San Benito, Texas.

Tommy Cunningham has been giving the News a merry chase all over the far East. One copy caught him in Hong Kong, another in Japan, and the last in the Philippines where he spent the Christmas holidays and where he saw Lee Weed at the Officer's Club while Lee was there with his squadron on TAD (temporary additional duty) out of Hawaii. Tommy is enthusiastic about his cruise aboard the Essex and the additional experience of a 22,000 mile flying tour of the Far East during the entire month of July. He expects to be back in the States by the time this goes to press, probably stationed in the San Diego area.

Emily Fran, the new little girl of Mr. and Mrs. Bland L. Whitsell (Emily McKay) just missed seeing Santa this year. She was born December 29, 1956.

CLASS OF 1955

Christmas week was especially significant this year for Dot Henning ('56) and David Kaylor who were married December 28, in Birmingham. There were many Southwestern ers at the wedding, including Truman Nabors, who was best man; Nancy Howe and Mary Frances Forbes, who were