Four Picked For Induction Into Sports Hall of Fame

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Karl A. Kitt of the United States Air Force Academy, Colo., wrestler of the 1930's.
Grady Lewis of LaGrange, Ill., Bulldog basketball player of the 1930's.
Joe Bailey Metcalf of Hollis, head football coach in the 1950's and a SWSC alumnus.

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Death Takes Well-Known Newsman

Francis Thetford, long-time Oklahoma newspaperman and a 1940 Southwestern graduate, died of cancer on Dec. 3 in an Oklahoma City hospital. He was 53.

Funeral services were held on Dec. 5 in the Oklahoma City Westminster Presbyterian Church, and interment was in Memorial Park Cemetery, Oklahoma City.

Thetford, popular columnist for The Daily Oklahoman, had undergone surgery for the removal of an abdominal tumor several weeks before his death.

He was a native of Denison, Tex., but grew up in Altus, where he graduated from high school in 1934.

Before joining The Oklahoman staff in 1946, he had been employed by the Perry Daily Journal and the Ponca City News.

His “Dateline: Oklahoma” column appeared regularly for six years in the Oklahoman. He also was in demand as a speaker throughout the state.

Surviving are his wife, Lolita, and three sons, Larry, 4, Clint, 13, and Bill, 16, all of the home, 2909 Kerr Lane, Oklahoma City; two daughters, Mrs. Bill Ervin, Bartlesville, and Mrs. Dwight Claxton, Tulsa; his mother, Mrs. O. C. Touchstone, Pacific Beach, Calif.

Recall Southwesterners?

More than 30 years have passed since their "premiere" on campus, but the Southwesterners are still remembered by many former classmates.

Hazel Evans, Former Students Association president, recalls: "We heard Jessie Clarkson, the music instructor, was working overtime on a surprise assembly program, but never dreamed of what she had planned.

"One morning for an assembly she presented a vocal quartet, the Southwesterners--Steele Hutto, Joe Goodrich, Dixie Snodgrass and Virgil Singleton. The accompanist was Mary Alice Guess.

"They sang beautifully, and they were an instant success. It wasn't long before the district and the state knew about the Southwesterners.”

PRESIDENT IMPRESSED

Walter Isle, president of Southwestern from 1935 to 1939, was so impressed by one quartet that he sent them to represent the college at functions all across Oklahoma.

One of the Southwesterners' performances was at a memorial service in Oklahoma City for Will Rogers. The Oklahoma humorist had been killed a short time before in an Alaska airplane crash.

No event was too large or too small to rate an appearance by the quartet. They sang at teas and at conventions. "In my opinion, these men did more to advertise Southwestern than any of the best media of today,” Miss Evans said.

WHERE NOW?

What are the Southwesterners doing now?

Jessie Clarkson, the music instructor and quartet sponsor, is Mrs. Boyd Gilkey of 2965 S. Williams, Denver, Colo.

Hutto and his wife own Hutto's Men's and Ladies' Wear and Hutto's Poise 'n' Ivy Stores in Weatherford, where they reside at 611 N. Custer.

Goodrich is a retired Army lieutenant colonel living at 3900 Eisenhauer Rd., Apt. 103, San Antonio, Tex.

Singleton is a Greeley, Colo., insurance salesman. His address there is 2623 52nd Ave.

Snodgrass' home address is 358 E. 17th St., Long Beach, Calif. He is a former employee of Kaiser Steel Co.

Mary Alice Guess Evans is an elementary school teacher in Yuma, Ariz., and resides at 160 Lowell Dr.

Mayer Gets Doctorate

Awarded his doctor of philosophy degree last August from Utah State University was F. L., Mayer Jr., a Southwestern graduate.

Dr. Mayer is remaining on the Utah State staff.
JOHN AARON is on the job at the Houston Manned Spacecraft Center during an Apollo launch. Aaron, a Southwestern graduate, has been with the National Aeronautics and Space Administration since June, 1964.

Aaron Solves Apollo 12 Problem

Southwestern alumnus John Aaron (BS, '64) earned the reputation of being an "icy nerved" young man during the Nov. 17 launch of Apollo 12 from Cape Kennedy.

Aaron, on the job at the Houston Space Center as electrical power, environmental control and communications officer, made a quick decision that solved a near-emergency for the moon-bound astronauts -- Charles Conrad, Richard Gordon and Alan Bean.

Seconds after launching, protective switches on the spacecraft's three fuel cells popped open. Apollo 12, the first space mission launched in a rainstorm, was either struck by lightning or suddenly discharged static electricity.

POWER KNOCKED OUT

The main source of power was knocked out. In addition, the electrical disturbance caused false indications in the signal conditioning equipment.

United Press International quoted Aaron as saying:

"For the first 36 seconds, nobody got too excited. It is not too unusual to have a loss of data at sometime during launch."

But then we started to get all kinds of 'funnies' (things not in the flight plan), and the whole thing turned to 'worms.' The big fear was that the power loss could affect the booster. That would mean abort.

BOOSTER QUIET

"But I knew that wasn't the case when I didn't hear Booster (the man at the booster monitoring console) say anything about Saturn."

Aaron said a similar incident had occurred during a simulation exercise, and "I remembered it." To correct the problem, Aaron knew a switch had to be changed, and he calmly and confidently told the flight director, "SCE power to Aux (auxiliary)."

The flight director repeated this for the capsule communicator, and the Apollo crew made the switch change in about 10 seconds.

Employed by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration Manned Spacecraft Center since June, 1964, Aaron has worked in Mission Control for all manned Gemini and Apollo space flights.

MONITORS SYSTEMS

His job involves monitoring the electrical power, environmental control and communications systems from liftoff to splashdown. The monitoring insures the overall well-being of the spacecraft, management of spacecraft consumables (oxygen, hydrogen and water).

It is also his responsibility to recommend corrective action and alternatives for inflight system malfunctions.

He has counterparts on three other shifts at the center, but he won a position on the Gold Team -- or first team -- by demonstrating fast reactions and good judgment.

CRATER NAMED AARON

Aaron's popularity among persons in the space program was publicized in December, 1968, when the Apollo 8 crew named a moon crater for him.

Both Aaron and his wife, Cheryl, are from Vinson. She, the former Cheryl Hart, also attended Southwestern. They were married on Aug. 10, 1963, and have two children -- a 5-year-old daughter, Kim, and a 2-year-old son, John.

When he isn't on the job, Aaron enjoys electronics, fishing, hunting and bowling.

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Southwestern State College
Former Students Association

Dues: $2.00 Per Year

Name 
Address

City State Zip

Year(s) Graduated From/Attended SWSC Degree 

Mail to: Mrs. Millie Thomas, Treasurer
Former Students Association
724 N. Illinois
Weatherford, Okla. 73096

Dr. Creech Picked As New President Of State College

Dr. D. D. Creech, Oklahoma's state superintendent of instruction since 1968, began the New Year as president of Northeastern Oklahoma A and M College at Miami.

A 1938 graduate of Southwestern, Dr. Creech was superintendent of schools at Pryor when Gov. Dewey Bartlett selected him as the new state superintendent.

Before going to Pryor in 1960, Dr. Creech had served as superintendent at Arnett, Velma and Fargo. Earlier in his professional career he taught in Canton and Sharon.

He holds a master's degree from Oklahoma State University and a doctor's degree from the University of Oklahoma.

Dr. Creech and his wife, Dorothy, have three children -- Jan, Jim and Dan.
Missed Issue

Gentlemen:
I have not received my September issue of your wonderful bulletin.
I enjoy it so much. I was a member of the football teams and track teams of 1907-09, and I expect that there are very few of us left. I do not know what the dues are, but will be very glad to pay them.
Please add my box number, which is 95, and Zip Code 73014.
Edward Spear
Calumet, Okla.
(Mr. Spear, there is no charge for Echoes; we're pleased to send it to you. However, you may join the Former Students Association by completing the form published in this issue and mailing it along with $2 to Millie Thomas.)

Married

Dear Mr. Shelton:
I am writing this letter to inform you of a change in my name and mailing address for Echoes from The Hill. The name and address you have are Gale Elnora Rowland, Rt. 4, Weatherford. My married name is Mrs. Gale Elnora Moser, 724 38th St., Woodward.
I have been married since June 22, 1968, to Barry Mac Moser, who is an engineer here in Woodward. He attended Southwestern in 1962-63 and again in the spring of 1967. I received my bachelor of science in education degree in July 1967. This is my third year of teaching, my second as a first grade teacher here in Woodward. I really enjoy reading Echoes and would appreciate it if you could change the address and name for me. My parents have been receiving the paper and forwarding it on to me after they've enjoyed reading it.
Enclosed are a few names you may or may not have on your mailing list. All of these people attended SWS at some time or other...
I hope these names will be helpful to you. You may have most of these, but if you don't I know these people would enjoy receiving Echoes. I will be looking forward to receiving the paper at my new address. Thank you very much.
Sincerely,
Mrs. Gale Elnora Moser
Gale, your letter was real paydirt for us. Thanks muchly for those 11 new addresses; we already had the other 10 on our list. For your efforts, we're

 sending The Southwestern to you for two years. And belated congratulations to you and Barry.)

Drafted

Sirs:
Please change the mailing address of Bobby Wayne Dodd to Box 188, Ardmore, Okla.
He has been drafted, and is now in the Army. This is my parents' address, and by having his mail sent here, he is assured of receiving it.
Thank you very much.
Mrs. Bobby Dodd
Box 188
Ardmore, Okla.

In Germany

Sirs:
Please change Kenneth Edmiston's address to: Chaplain Kenneth H. Edmiston 0-3, 224-40-7454, 5th Bn., 517th Arty., APO New York 09189.
He returned from Vietnam this August and will be stationed in Germany for three years. His wife and four children are with him. I know he will appreciate receiving mail from home.
Thanks,
Mrs. L. L. Edmiston
1013 S. W. 51st St.
Oklahoma City, Okla.

Thanks, Sue
Dear Mrs. Thomas:
We have been receiving Echoes from The Hill via the Post Office, which has been kindly forwarding it to us. Please have our mailing address changed to: Mr. and Mrs. Bill (and Sue) Pittman, 4948 S. E. Princeton Dr., Bartlesville, Okla.
Bill works for Phillips Petroleum Co. as a computer programmer; I am teaching business classes for the second year at Barnsdall High School, Barnsdall, Okla. We both received teaching certificates from Southwestern in 1968--Bill with a BS in mathematics and business in May and I in business and English in July.
We certainly miss the college life at Weatherford. We returned this past summer for a brief look around town and were really surprised to see so many changes in less than a year.

I would like to give you some names of SWSC alumni who would like to receive Echoes from The Hill . . .
I would appreciate it if you send "... The Hill" to each of these people if they aren't already receiving it. Thanks.
Sincerely,
Sue Pittman
P. S. We lived in one of your duplexes at 815 N. Caddo in 1965; our daughter, Pam, is now 4 years old--she was just a baby when we lived there. We still have the pretty little red dress you and Clyde gave her. (Sue, we appreciate the four new addresses of alumni you provided for our mailing list. You sent us eight, but we were already sending Echoes to four of these people.)

Glad to Join

Hello, Mrs. Thomas:
I'm very glad to be able to join the FSA and am enclosing my check.
I think so often of my summer in Weatherford, and won't be quite satisfied until I come back again.
Southwestern's a great school! I hope the Oct. 18 Homecoming was a big success.
Sincerely,
Veda Jacobs
11 Ninth St. S., Apt. 31
Great Falls, Mont.

Dues Paid

Dear Mrs. Thomas:
Enclosed is your check in the amount of $2 to pay dues to the Southwestern State College Former Students Association.
My wife and I are both former students of Southwestern, years 1932 to 1936. My wife is the former Vinita Davidson from Vinson, Okla. I am now employed as a senior examiner for the Bureau of Federal Credit Unions. I never did finish the requirements for my degree but was able to pass and have my certified public accountants' certificate.
We have three children, the eldest, our son, Glennis M. Lovel, is a graduate of Texas Tech and has attended the University of Missouri where he lacks his dissertation for his doctor's degree. He is an associate professor of sociology at the Southeastern State College, Cape Girardeau, Mo. We have two daughters, the oldest is a graduate of Texas Tech, living now in Oregon; our youngest daughter will graduate from Tech this year with a major in home economics.
We received a copy of your quarterly publication from a friend and are looking forward to receiving our copy.
Sincerely,
Loyd E. Lovel
2120 55th St.
Lubbock, Tex.

Stop One

Dear Sir:
Would you please remove my name (Carolyn Dorsey) from your mailing list, as both my husband and I are now receiving Echoes from The Hill. Also please correct our address as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Dorsey, Box 341, Dumas, Tex.
Robert and I are both teaching here this year. Also, we now have an 11-week-old son (as of Oct. 30), Mike.
We enjoy reading Echoes.
Sincerely,
Mrs. Robert Dorsey

Helpful

Dear Ed:
Although I did not graduate from Southwestern, I have attended there at different times and I have the highest regards for the institution.
I sat next to some ladies at the recent OEA meeting in Tulsa, and they told me they attended SW in the early days. I asked if they received the Echoes; they said they did not. Enclosed are their addresses.
Your publication is very good.
Garvin A. Isaacs
Assistant State Coordinator
Area Vocational Technical Education
1515 W. Sixth Ave.
Stillwater, Okla.

In Kansas

Dear Sir:
I would like to say how much I enjoy Echoes from The Hill. I am a '69 graduate of SWSC. Upon finishing classwork in January, 1969, I married Vernita Givens. We now reside at Inman, Kan., where I teach foreign languages, debate, and I am part-time librarian.
Please note my address change to Box 14, Inman, Kan.
Sincerely,
Robert Garrett
'38 Grad

Dear Sirs:

I would like to be placed on your mailing list for the alumni newsletter, Echoes from The Hill. If you have extra copies of the October, 1969, issue, I would like to have a copy.

I graduated from Southwestern in 1938 with a BS degree and life certificate in history, home economics and elementary education. At that time I was Ruby Swagger.

The big house that used to stand just north of the Library was owned by Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher. They rented rooms to boys. Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher were my husband's grandparents.

Thanks so much, Mrs. J. E. Hobbs
Box 288
Erick, Okla.

Works in K.C.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing a change of address card. I graduated in 1968 with a BS in pharmacy. I am now a registered pharmacist in Oklahoma and Missouri. I work at Trinity Lutheran Hospital in Kansas City, Mo.

My husband, Neil (BS, '68), is a sophomore at Kansas City College of Osteopathy and Surgery. We have two children—Eric, five months, and Maria, 20 months. Two other Southwestern alumni are also students at the College of Osteopathy and Surgery—Jerry Gibbon (BS in Ph, '68), a senior, and John Gamble, a junior.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Judith J. Puzzo
1900 E. Farvin Rd.
Kansas City, Mo.

Good Reading

Dear Millie:

How good it is to read about old friends in the alumni paper, Echoes from The Hill. Here are some addresses:

Mrs. Alice Poole Clark, 7209 Deville Dr., Ft. Worth, Tex. Alice teaches primary at Richland Hills School in Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Pearlie Poole Russell, Sayers, Okla. Pearlie teaches Spanish in Sayers High.

Mrs. Mertie Eagon Eastham, Rt. 2, Box 229, Biloxi, Miss. Mertie retired this year after teaching 20 years in the Biloxi public schools. She is the widow of Forrest Eldon Eastham, who also graduated from SWSC. Forrest was instructor of radar at Keesler Field at the time of his death.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Tubb, Levelland, Tex. Nathan is dean of South Plains Junior College in Levelland. His wife, the former Fredda England from Carter, teaches in the Levelland schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Gano Tubb, Levelland, Tex. Gano has been football coach at Levelland for many years. He played for SWSC during the '30's. His wife, the former Goldie Curtis from Granite, teaches in the Levelland schools, also.

Sincerely,
Luella Jones Eagan
Arapaho, Okla.

Army Pharmacist

Dear Mr. Shelton:

I need to report a change in address. Dwight (BS in Ph, '68) is now serving in the U.S. Army as a pharmacist in Kimbrough Army Hospital at Fort Meade, Md. We are living at 605 Montgomery St., Laurel, Md.

I plan to teach this fall in Silver Spring, Md. I will have fifth and seventh grade science classes. This is my first year to teach, and I am really looking forward to it.

Thank you for sending Echoes. Mrs. Dwight McAnear (BS, '68) (Vickie Plunkett McAnear) (Vickie, thanks for keeping your address current, and we hope you are enjoying teaching.)

Sincerely,
Mrs. Judith J. Puzzo
1900 E. Farvin Rd.
Kansas City, Mo.

60 Grad

Dear Sir:

I have been receiving a copy of your newsletter from Mrs. Fern Bull (of Lefors, Tex.), a Southwestern graduate also. Please place my name on your mailing list.

I graduated from Southwestern in 1960. I have three children: Kathy, 11; Scott, 9, and Sally, 7. I live on a ranch, and am presently teaching English at Lefors, Tex.

I'm interested in locating the address of Audry Sykes, also a 1960 graduate. If anyone has her address, I would appreciate having it.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Sam Haynes
(Linda Looper Raines)
Box 149
McLean, Tex.

(Sorry, Linda, we can't help you with Audry's address. Perhaps a reader will provide it for you and us.)

Thoughtful

Dear Editor:

Enclosed is a check for $6 for dues to Echoes from The Hill. Please forward a subscription to each of the following: Capt. Jim Mitschke, HHB 108 Arty, APO San Francisco 96269, and Lt. Dale Hensley, SVE Btry 6/14th Arty, 456 60 7844, APO San Francisco 96318. Jim and Dale are both serving in Vietnam, and I feel this would be possibly the best Christmas present I could give each.

Many former graduates of Southwestern are now living in the Ft. Worth-Dallas area. Among these are Sig Taus Larry Ray, Les Scott, Jim Mann, Lindy Pickrell, Dave Lester, Pete Wood, Robbie Seamon and myself.

Since graduation I've lost contact with many former classmates and would appreciate addresses, and what easier and inexpensive way than through Echoes from The Hill.

Sincerely,
W. D. (Dub) Cromwell
106 Kay Lane
Ft. Worth, Tex.

(Dub, there is no charge for Echoes. We're using the $6 you sent to pay for subscriptions to The Southwestern for you, Jim and Dale. Could you send the addresses for those Sig Taus you mentioned?)

Corrections

Dear Sirs:

I would like to send address corrections for some of my friends. I don't know if they have notified you or not.

I am presently employed at Tinker Air Force Base as a supply assistant. This summer I served in the U.S. Air Force. I had an accident and injured my back, and have since received a medical discharge. The injury wasn't too serious.

I have a question about one of the terms used in Echoes. When the term "ex" is used before a year, does this mean the individual attended Southwestern but didn't graduate there? I will be looking forward to your answer.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Leon Estes ('69)
Rt. 1
El Reno, Okla.

(Neon: Thanks for the address changes and information about your friends and our graduates. And, yes, you are right about our use of the term "ex.")

Navy Man

Dear Mrs. Thomas:

I just received the October issue of Echoes from The Hill. In this issue I noticed the form for joining the Former Students Association. Even though I am now in the United States Navy, I am still interested in keeping up with developments at my alma mater. Therefore, I am submitting the enclosed form and $2 in order to join.

Sincerely,
Owen M. Davis Jr.
408 Holbrook Dr.
El Reno, Okla.
Coach
Dear Sir:
My wife, Kaye, my daughter, Traci, and I recently moved to the Altus area. We are employed by the Navajo School system. I am coaching the boys and girls basketball teams, and Kaye is in charge of the migrant program here.
Please continue to send us Echoes from The Hill at our new address.
Thanks.
Sincerely,
Terry Groce
Box 148-B, Rt. 2
Altus, Okla.

Kitawasa
Dear Millie:
I was a student 10 years ago, Millie, when I was in school at Southwestern I was a member of the Kitawasa Club. We sure did have a lot of fun meeting and parties. Are you still the sponsor of it?
The Kitawasa Club was or is a social and service organization. There should be one on every college campus.
Millie, I enclose $35 for my membership in the Former Students Association. I always like to read The Southwestern newspaper.
Here are the addresses of my two brothers who graduated from Southwestern: Larry Trentham and his wife, Janet Laufer, both Class of '63, 4105 64th St., Dodge City, Kan.
Linda Trentham went one year at Southwestern and three years at OU. She married Tommy E. Johnson ('64). They live at 1221 Highland Ave., Junction City, Kan.
Bob Cossey attended SWSC one year, and he lives at 345 Jay St., Mt. Home, Ark.

Our Pleasure
Dear Editor:
I’m enclosing a check for $2 for a subscription to Echoes from The Hill.
I wish also to say I appreciate so much the publicity about my last book, I’m Sooner Born. All of such things help sell the book, and I’m anxious for the book to succeed, as what I receive for this book goes to the young people of my church.
Most sincerely,

Chloe Holt Glessner
4032 N. W. 15th St.
Oklahoma City, Okla.
(Mrs. Glessner, we charge nothing for Echoes, so we’re adding your name to The Southwestern’s mailing list. We hope you enjoy it.)

From Lawton
Dear Sir:
Ron and I certainly enjoy receiving Echoes from The Hill.
We are beginning our fifth year in the Lawton public school system. This year Ron was named athletic director and head football coach at Eisenhower High School here in Lawton, I have taught fourth grade at Eisenhower Elementary for the past four years, and will return in January.
We have a new baby daughter, Shelly Renee’, born Sept. 18.
Sincerely,
Ron and LaDonna Polston
604 N. W., 53rd
Lawton, Okla.

Good Old Days
Dear Millie:
Often think of the good old days at Southwestern and also the ones spent in Beckham County... Maybe we can have a phone visit the next time I’m in Weatherford. I will start on my 27th year with Phillips Jan. 3. Have year from next June, then I hope to play more golf.
Your friend,
Herchel Fortune ('30)
1406 Phillips Ave.
Phills, Tex.

Disclosure Okay
Dear Echoes:
Thank you very much for sending Echo issues to us; we enjoy them tremendously.
Change of address: Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Pierce, Rt. 3, Independence, Kan.
Also, how does one go about getting addresses of classmates? If you are allowed to disclose this information, I would like the address of Jean Ann Jantz, who graduated with me in '65.
Thank you,
Joyce Pierce
Jean Ann’s address is 7414 N. W. 23rd, Apt. 5B, Bethany, Okla., and we’re pleased to pro-

Grad Reviews Years
Dear Mrs. Thomas:
Enclosed is my check for $4 for dues and membership in the Former Students Association. I certainly enjoy reading Echoes from The Hill and think it is a "great" publication. Echoes has stirred some fond memories within me, and has made me realize that I have been absent from the Hill far too long.
For the benefit of some of the "oldtimers" who may be interested, here are some personal statistics:
After leaving Southwestern in 1926 with a BS degree, I taught in high school for two years, then entered Kansas University and switched from math to chemistry. During the years that followed many things happened to me.
First and foremost, I lost my heart to a Kansas lass, and we were married in 1930. It was her moral and financial support that finally enabled me to get my master's and doctor of philosophy degrees in chemistry from KU. We both taught—she in high school and I in St. Joseph Junior College, and later in William Jewell College, until 1944, when I left the teaching field and was employed in the chemical research department of Phillips Petroleum Co. at Bartlesville. My wife, Louise, gained employment as a science teacher in the Bartlesville school system. We have been in our respective positions until retirement overtook us a few years ago. Since then, we have done quite a bit of traveling within the States and in Europe, and are not through yet.
Our family consists of two children and four grandchildren. Our son, George, is a graduate (PhD) of Kansas U. Presently he is head of the music education department at KU, having come there from the faculty of Michigan State University, where he and his wife resided for four years.
Our daughter, Patricia, and her husband, Dr. Norman Hoover, are now living in Northfield, Minn., where he is on the faculty of Carleton College and she is commuting to Minneapolis as an instructor in music education at Minnesota University. She is using her spare (?) time writing her doctor's dissertation, which she expects to finish during the year.

Sincerely,
George H. Duerksen
2213 Dewey Ave.
Bartlesville, Okla.
Over $500 Given To HEACO Fund

More than $500 has been contributed to the Higher Education Alumni Council of Oklahoma fund as the result of an appeal mailed in December to Southwestern State College alumni.

Money was continuing to come in at mid-January, Southwestern's share of the $30,000 council budget for 1970 is $1,950.

Faculty and staff members of the college have also made sizable contributions in a campaign conducted on campus.

Letters were sent by the Former Students Association to the almost 6,400 persons on the Echoes from The Hill mailing list.

Funds raised will be used by HEACO in its efforts to improve Oklahoma's system of higher education.

Making contributions through early January were:

- Brenda Hert, Oklahoma City;
- Ron and Ruth Teasley, Tulsa;
- Mrs. Vita Arndt, Lawton;
- Mrs. J. Gid Bryan, Paris, Texas;
- William G. Schmidt, Wichita Falls, Texas;
- Ruth Woods, Taloga;
- Leon Estes, El Reno;
- Kenneth K. Sweeney, Altus;
- Dr. Curtis B. Cunningham, Clinton;
- L. S. Hull, Cordell;
- Jess C. and Lillian G. Wesner, Cordell;
- Sp/4 Frank Brodt, Shawnee;
- Dr. J. B. Eskridge, Jr., Oklahoma City;
- Paul and Linda Sendhoff, Tulsa.

- Betty Grukey, El Reno;
- Cy A. Gorshing, Custer;
- Roy L. Tinney Jr., Mangum;
- Joe B. Metcalf, Hollis;
- Ed Spear, Calumet;
- Russell L. Dye, Oklahoma City;
- Mr. and Mrs. Horace L. Horwedel, Hinton;
- Perry Jones, Weatherford;
- Bob Randquist, Carnegie;
- anonymous donor, Weatherford;
- Harvey Reimer, Hobart;
- Dewey H. Adams, Carnegie.

- Marie A. Nelson, Arapaho;
- George W. Purvine, Fay;
- Zandra and Darrell Boucher Jr., Oakwood;
- Newman Baggett, Elk City;
- Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kirk, Elk City;
- Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Johnson, Hammon;
- C. C. Arney, Weatherford;
- Mr. and Mrs. Leonard E. Travis, Weatherford.

- Adrain Crabb, Corn;
- Jake Wright, Weatherford;
- S teryl F rrey, Yukon;
- Geraldine Carrick, Hollis;
- Everett and Geneva Wright, Oklahoma City;
- Ralph Crall, Weatherford;
- M. S. and Mrs. William E. Young, Clinton;
- Sherman Air Force Base;
- Mrs. Marvin Martin, Los Alamos, New Mexico.

- Margarette and Robert W. Kygar, Tulsa;
- Mr. and Mrs. Granville A. Pennington, Pasadena, Texas;
- Mr. and Mrs. Jeff L. Walker, Clarendon, Texas;
- Mrs. E. L. House, Elk City;
- Robert E. and Sue Fowler, Memphis;
- Mil vie Thomas, Weatherford;
- J. E. Stewart, Wellston;
- Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Clark, Oklahoma City.

- Thomas and Inge Jefferson, Dallas, Texas;
- Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Kilmer, Arkansas City, Kansas;
- Ruth E. and Nancy A. Craig, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania;
- Louis A. and Alice H. Miller, Kansas City, Missouri;
- Dorothy and Dana Thomas Hartley, Durham;
- Mrs. Gail Tate Wedel, Fairview;
- Lois F. Hubbard, Crawford;
- Harry C. Mabry, Los Angeles, California;
- Richard and Janice Harris, Cincinnati, Ohio;
- M. K. Reploge, Oklahoma City;
- Dr. A. L. Shuck, Elsberry, Missouri.

- Dr. E. Vann Greer, Oklahoma City;
- Joe D. Reynolds, Weatherford;
- Lt. Col. Gordon A. Goss, Sacramento, California;
- Hazel Evans, Clinton.

SWSC Needs Help

He's No. 1 Son

The headline reads "Engel Team Drafts New Player" on a recent birth announcement from "Managers" Gerald and Roseanne (Paciorek) Engel, SWSC alumni.

Michael Shawn, the Engel's "No. 1 Son," weighed eight pounds, 6 1/2 ounces and measured one foot, nine inches when he put in an appearance at 4:49 p.m. on New Year's Day.

"Come see the little pro play on any day at 1018 N. Sixth in Garden City, Kan.," the announcement invited.

He's No. 1 Son

A pharmacist for McAlester General Hospital, John William Ford ('69) lives at 615 W. Carl Albert. His wife, Harriett Lee ('69), is teaching in McAlester public schools.

President, Former Students Association

Happy New Year to all of you, as we move about in this busy world with thanks for a spirit of togetherness and the many blessings we have received through the past year.

Now is the time to think about our college — and to think about helping higher education through its crisis.

I am sure you have read about the great needs of Oklahoma's educational institutions, and I am equally sure you will want to do your part to see that our young people are not short-changed in these times when education is all-important.

We have decided to band together into an effective force to support colleges and universities of Oklahoma. In the past each institution depended upon a few staunch supporters and the goodwill of the Legislature. Since these institutions have had to compete with other functions of government which seem to secure a more adequate program, we have to turn to another method.

Many individuals of Oklahoma thought that a strong alumni council would encourage more support for our program from the Oklahoma Legislature. These friends have given generously of their time and efforts to secure adequate state support, and they have helped to organize the Higher Education Alumni Council of Oklahoma.

This organization is dedicated to the improvements of higher education in our state, and it will be working full time to develop understanding in breadth and depth of the needs for the improvement of every college and university. The Alumni Council has selected Dr. Bruce Carter as executive director.

For this council to be effective, it must have funds commensurate with the responsibilities it has undertaken. The council budget for 1970 has been set at $50,000. The only way we can raise this money is through the efforts of our alumni, faculty and staff and friends of Southwestem.

You have recently received a letter from the Former Students Association requesting your support for HEACO. If you have not mailed your contribution, I hope you will do so immediately.

I hope, too, that you who are not now members of the Former Students Association will join us. Many have used the convenient form published in each issue of Echoes from The Hill, and our membership rolls are growing. Even former students serving their country in Vietnam are signing up.

The $2 annual dues are being put to good use, mainly as a source of scholarships for Southwestem students.
Prock Is ‘Coach of Year’
For ’69 Record at Harding

John Prock (’55), head football coach at Harding College, Ark., has been named “Coach of the Year” in District 17 of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics.

For the 40-year-old Prock, the accolade must be especially sweet. Almost unanimously consigned to the cellar after a 2-8 record last year, the Harding Bisons upset the pre-season pollsters by winning seven and tying one to remain undefeated through eight games.

Only narrow losses in the final two contests knocked Harding out of the conference title.

That the “Coach of the Year” honors were voted to him by Prock’s fellow coaches was no great surprise. He is esteemed by those who know him as a “gentleman’s gentleman.”

Clifford John Prock was born on March 13, 1929, in Hollis. He played high school football at Southwestern State.

Prock graduated in 1955. He was an early-day Southwestern student, L. L. Dunn of Weatherford, has been honored for 32 years’ service as a director of the Federal Land Bank Association of Clinton.

Dunn was presented a plaque at an association December luncheon meeting at Clinton.

He recently resigned his director’s position with the Land Bank Association.

Jesse Ellis (’68) is interested in the Air Force, and his address is 446-46-5671, 3386 SQ, CMR No. 4, Box 14054, Keesler AFB, Miss.

JOHN PROCK

For a long time a number of us in higher education in Oklahoma have seen the need for a strong, active, vocal group on each college campus working together to promote our colleges in every way possible. A few months ago, some officials in higher education met and organized the Higher Education Alumni Council of Oklahoma.

Dr. Bruce G. Carter has been elected as executive director. Formerly a successful college president at Northeastern A and M College, Miami, Okla., he has the enthusiasm, the ability to work with different publications, and the desire to present to all Oklahomans the needs of higher education in our state.

Southwestern State College has affiliated with the Council, and Mr. Jake Wright, 415 Texas Avenue, Weatherford, Okla., has been appointed as our representative. Mr. Wright is eminently qualified to assume this responsibility and is willing to devote time that is needed to represent all of us.

Unless the alumni of our institution are willing to spend some time and energy to encourage support for the development and improvement of our college I doubt if anyone has a right to expect the alumni of other institutions to do this for us.

Interested alumni are in the best position to provide leadership and to disseminate information that will contribute to the betterment of higher education in Oklahoma, and especially to the betterment of Southwestern.

By now, you have received a letter from the officers of the Former Students Association asking you to contribute to our share of the budget of the Higher Education Alumni Council of Oklahoma, which is $1,950. We will be expected to contribute annually to this fund. If you will make your contribution without delay we can meet our financial obligation.

There just is no other source of funds that can be used for this purpose; however, I know you would want to contribute toward the improvement of your college even though there was another source of funds. We hope you will become a part of this great effort by sending your contribution to Miss Hazel Evans, Former Students Association, Southwestern State College, at your very earliest convenience.

Wishing you a happy and prosperous New Year!
Al Harris, President

Fowler Married?

Ronald Fowler (’69) is teaching high school and junior high music and high school history at Hartshorne, where his address is Box 377. At last report, he was to have been married last Thanksgiving Day to Judith Ruhl of Decatur, Ark.

Adamson at Baylor

Dr. David Adamson, former SWSC student, has been appointed head of the mycology section at the Baylor University Medical Center in Dallas, Tex.

Dr. Adamson received his doctor of philosophy degree last June from the University of Oklahoma.
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Cordry Leaves Graduate School, Enters Service

Art Cordry Jr. ('67) returned to his Army duty station at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., early this month after a two-week Christmas furlough.

Cordry is scheduled to begin Officer Candidate School at Ft. Sill in March.

Before entering the service last September, Cordry was working toward his master's degree in chemistry at the University of Oklahoma. He lacked one semester completing studies for the degree.

His wife, the former Sheri Frymire of Thomas, also is a graduate of Southwestern, having received her bachelor's degree in 1965 and her master's degree in 1967.

She presently is teaching in the Oklahoma City public schools, and the couple's home address is 901 S. W. 24th, Apt. 111, Norman, Okla.

Cordry's mother, Mrs. Zora Cordry, is employed in the SWSC registrar's office.

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Dr. George H. Ryden, chairman of the Southwestern division of education and psychology since 1961, will retire on May 31. He is to be succeeded by Dr. Earl A. Reynolds, currently chairman of the division of mathematics and physical sciences and a member of the college faculty for the past 16 years.

Dr. Ryden came to Southwestern after 15 years on the Oklahoma City University faculty. The native Missourian also has taught in a number of Missouri secondary schools.

Grigg Employed By Education Department

Jack D. Grigg has joined the State Department of Education as state-federal programs auditor.

Grigg received both his bachelor's and master's degrees from Southwestern. He has served as public school principal for eight years--five at Carter, two at Davis and one at Cushing.

Frans Have Son

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Well known across the state, Dr. Reynolds has been listed in American Men of Science and Who's Who in the South and Southwest.

He has served as chairman of the Oklahoma Commission for Teacher Education and Professional Standards Committee; field consultant for the Oklahoma Frontiers of Science, Inc.; educational television lecturer, and as a member of the state team to evaluate college teacher education programs, North Central Association team to evaluate high school accreditation and of a 1964-66 Board of Regents study committee.

The educator developed the elementary teachers science program at Southwestern, and he is chairman of the state committee to prepare the State Department of Education publication, "The Improvement of Science Instruction in Oklahoma, Grades 7-12, 1970."

Dr. Reynolds has directed 18 National Science Foundation Institutes for teachers at the college. He also has been director of grants on the Southwestern campus totaling more than $1 million.

His bachelor of science in education and master of science in education degrees in chemistry are from Western Illinois University, and he holds a doctor of philosophy degree from George Peabody College for Teachers.

Dr. Reynolds and his wife, Louise, and their five children reside at 810 N. Indiana in Weatherford.
Communication Is Aim of Division

By LINDA HEIDEBRECHT

The fostering of effective communication and understanding between people is the main objective of the English and language arts division at Southwestern State College, according to Dr. Eugene Hughes, division chairman. Students at Southwestern have the opportunity to master the art of communication in its various forms through classes in any of four departments within the division.

Staffed by 33 faculty members, the division is the largest on campus and contains four sections--English, speech and drama, foreign languages and journalism.

Dr. Hughes described the faculty members as "alert, eager and especially vital. They are not only interested in experimentation but, perhaps more important, have the background which enables them to carry out successfully new and different ideas and techniques."

CHANGES ARE MADE

Freshman composition classes have recently undergone a coordination of the philosophy and mechanics of teaching, a revised speech and drama program will be submitted to the administration for approval this year and the foreign language and journalism curricula are being changed to meet the needs and interests of the students at Southwestern.

In explaining changes made in freshman composition classes, Dr. Hughes stated, "We felt the need for coordination among the composition teachers. All were preparing students for the same thing, but were frequently using different techniques which resulted in difficulties for the student.

"While there must be room for individual personality in methods, there should be common ground on which all teachers can agree."

The revised speech and drama program includes plans for more flexibility in areas of specialization. Students majoring or minoring in this field would be introduced to all areas of speech in general education requirements, but would be given greater freedom in selecting their own area of specialization.

No major revisions have taken place in the department as a whole for approximately 20 years, the division chairman stated. The new program is presently awaiting administrative approval.

Four languages are offered at Southwestern--French, German, Spanish and Russian. The curricula are currently being studied in these areas, particularly in French and Spanish where an increase in interest has been indicated.

At one time Southwestern State had a strong foreign language department, Dr. Hughes said. However, interest decreased, and a major was not offered for an interlude of about 20 years.

Five years ago the program was revived and the first foreign language majors graduated last year.

A Listening laboratory was completed three years ago for the foreign language department. It contains 36 stations controlled by a console at the front of the room on which five different tapes can be played simultaneously.

AIDS PRONUNCIATION

The object of the lab is for students to hear native pronunciation of the language they are studying in order to improve their own pronunciation. This year Miss Marie Mativon, from Charenton-du-Cher, France, and Miss Marie Mativon, from Charenton-du-Cher, France, and a graduate of the University of Grenoble, is assisting advanced students in the laboratory with their pronunciation and vocabulary.

A lab for advanced students was built last year in a room adjoining the main laboratory. There are 12 sound-proof booths available to the students, each equipped with a separate tape recorder which can be used to record the individual's own use of a language.

At Southwestern students can obtain a minor in journalism which is keyed to prepare them for on-the-job demands.

"Our policy and belief up to this time is that we can offer a program to a student who plans to be a professional journalist which encompasses a broader field than the usual major program," Dr. Hughes said. He considers this policy to be a more realistic approach for what will be required of a graduate in the professional field. The theory of journalism is clarified but not overemphasized at Southwestern, and extensive specialization on the part of the student is not recommended.

DR. EUGENE HUGHES, a Southwestern alumnus, is chairman of the college's division of English and language arts.

Coggins to Receive Engineering Degree

Charles E. Coggins (BS, '67) will receive his master of science degree in nuclear engineering from Kansas State University this month.

He has been appointed supervisor of the process study group with the Babcock and Wilcox Research and Development Division in Lynchburg, Va.

From Woodward, Coggins was active in the student branches of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers and the American Chemical Society while at Southwestern.

Franklin D. Goodman (BS) received the master of arts degree in August from Adams State College, Alamosa, Colo.

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Four Selected for Hall of Fame

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A Hall of Fame banquet, only the fourth ever held at the college, is scheduled for 7 p.m., in the Memorial Student Center Ballroom. Tickets are $2,50 each and may be purchased at the business office. A ticket order form is published in this issue of Echoes from The Hill for persons desiring to place orders by mail.

Master of ceremonies will be State Sen. Al Terrill of Lawton, All-Collegiate Conference fullback on Metcalf’s 1957 championship team.

Craddock, Kitt, Lewis and Metcalf will join nine other sports greats in the Hall of Fame: Ralph Teague, Rankin Williams, Lee K. Anderson, J. E. (Jenks) Simmons, J. F. Jackson, Arnold A. Shockley, Joe Ross, Joe B. Milam and Marion H. Surbeck.

NEWS PUBLISHER
Editor and publisher of The Weatherford News since 1929, Craddock in his final season at Southwestern quarterbacked Coach Joe Milam’s 1926 Collegiate Conference Champion Bulldogs.

He had played the same position in 1923 and 1924 under Carl (Dutch) Voyles and in 1925 under Dewey Luster. Rankin Williams was an assistant football coach during this period, and three of Craddock’s teammates are already Hall of Famers: Simmons, Jackson and Shockley.

In his third year, Craddock also lettered as a wrestler, and he was selected as editor of the college yearbook, The Oracle, in the spring of 1927.

He left Southwestern that summer to accept a job as news editor of The Guthrie Leader, but returned to Weatherford to stay in November, 1929—this time as owner of the News.

OPA PRESIDENT
Craddock has served as president of the Oklahoma Press Association, lieutenant-governor of Division 17 Kiwanis International, which includes Oklahoma and Texas, and as Weatherford Chamber of Commerce president.

He was appointed to the original Southwestern Memorial Hospital board, and continues to serve in this capacity.

Craddock and his wife, Helen, live at 424 N. Sixth in Weatherford.

Karl Kitt, who received his bachelor of science degree from SWSC in 1937, won two Oklahoma Collegiate Conference wrestling championships while in college.

He lost a heart-breaking referee’s decision for a National Collegiate Athletic Association title in 1936, and a year later took third place in the national Amateur Athletic Union competition.

SERVED IN NAVY
Kitt majored in history and physical education, and his first coaching and teaching job was at Cleveland, Okla., High School. In 1941 he moved to Tulsa’s Daniel Webster High, where the following year his wrestlers won their first state title.

Service in the Navy came next, with Kitt signing up in 1942. He was on the staff of the physical instructor’s schools at Norfolk and Bainbridge, and was for a time assistant wrestling coach at the Naval Academy before going overseas.

He won the 1945 Pacific Ocean area’s 145-pound wrestling crown, and returned to the Naval Academy as assistant wrestling coach. The academy’s 1948 and 1952 teams won national service championships.

Kitt moved to the Air Force Academy in 1957 as varsity wrestling coach and physical education instructor in charge of combatives.

NATIVE TULSA
He has been secretary-treasurer of the NCAA Wrestling Coaches and Officials Executive Committee.

A native of Tulsa, Kitt is married to the former Katherine Handy.

All-time great basketball player Grady Lewis had an illustrious career on the courts. He was a member of the Bulldog squads as a freshman and sophomore in 1935-36 and 1936-37, and was an All-Conference selection.

While playing with the Phillips Oilers he was named to the AAU All-American team in two positions.

Lewis was on the 1940 U. S. Olympic basketball team, and following World War II service as a Navy lieutenant he led the Baltimore Bullets to two world cage championships.

PROFESSIONAL COACH
He later coached the professional St. Louis Bombers.

Lewis is a native of Ft. Worth, Tex., but most of his formal education was received in Oklahoma. He transferred to the University of Oklahoma after two years at Southwestern, and in 1941 was awarded the bachelor of science degree in business administration and economics.

Currently residing at 1220 Carriage Lane, LaGrange, Ill., Lewis is vice-president of Converse Rubber Co., with offices in Chicago. He joined Converse in 1950, and is a recognized leader in the sporting goods industry.

For the past two years he served as president of the Athletic Good Manufacturers Association. He also is on the executive committee and board of directors of the Athletic Institute.

Joe Bailey Metcalf was nominated for the Hall of Fame for his football coaching record at Southwestern from 1952 through 1957, the most successful football coach in college history.

A knee injury sustained in high school prevented Metcalf from playing football regularly in college.

COACH IN 1925
His coaching career began even before he finished college. After attending SWSC in 1923-24, he was employed as coach at his hometown of Hollis in 1925.

In the next three years Metcalf’s football team posted a 26-game victory streak.

In 1931 he left Hollis to become superintendent of Consolidated School in Harmon County, only to return to Hollis eight years later as junior high principal and assistant coach.

Metcalf was promoted to head coach in 1943 and consistently produced winning teams in both basketball and football, even though comparatively small Hollis was playing in Class A with much larger schools.

Hollis won the district football titles in 1946, 1947 and 1951 and went to the state playoffs in basketball three straight years—1945 through 1947.

RECORD IMPROVES
In his first year at Southwestern, 1952, Metcalf’s Bulldogs won three and lost six. Two years later they improved the record to 7-2 and tied with Central State for the conference championship.

The following season the mark was 6-3, good enough for a three-way tie with Central and Northeastern. A loss by three points to Northeastern (9-6) cost the Dogs the crown in 1956.

But they weren’t to be denied in Metcalf’s last year here, and the team claimed the trophy with seven victories, one loss and a tie.

NYC DIRECTOR
Metcalf went back to Hollis as superintendent of schools. He retired in 1967 and now is director of the Neighborhood Youth Corps for Jackson, Harmon, Greer and Kiowa Counties.

Two of the coach’s Southwestern players were picked as All-Americans: Truman Smith, tackle from Hollis, in 1954, and Leonard (Tex) Selvidge, Stinnett, Tex., center, in 1957.

ATHLETES
Among the athletes he coached while at Hollis were Darrell Royal, former University of Oklahoma gridster who now is the highly successful football coach at the University of Texas; Leon Heath, OU All-American; Ted Owens, University of Kansas basketball coach.

Metcalf and his wife, the former Iris Klizzar, live in Hollis.

Oklahoma Rites Held
For Mrs. Fairy Alvis

Last rites for Mrs. Fairy Jewell McCain Alvis, 61, were held on Nov. 3 in the Bridgeport Methodist Church. Burial was in Bridgeport Cemetery.

Mrs. Alvis, who attended Southwestern State College, died on Oct. 31 in Northeim, Tex. She was born on Oct. 11, 1905, in Bridgeport and grew up in that area. After attending Southwestern, she received a degree in special education from San Marcos State Teachers College, Tex., and taught school in Oklahoma and Texas.

Survivors include her husband, James C.; a daughter, Mrs. Edward Millican, Dallas, Tex.; three brothers, Ray McCain, Pueblo, Colo., Charles McCain, Funk, Neb., and Melvin McCain, Bridgeport; two sisters, Mrs. Viola Martens, Dodge City, Kan., and Mrs. Emma Harlin, Hydro, and five grandchildren.
Newssbits About Alumni

Steven Maassen ('68) is supervisor of the clinical laboratory at the Indian Hospital, Winslow, Ariz. His home address is P. O. Box 568.

Bill and Betty (Wilsey) Taylor (both '67) have recently constructed a new home at 10827 Sage Meadow, Houston, Texas. Bill is employed as a mathematician at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration Space Center in Houston, and Betty teaches high school mathematics.

Gary Abercromble ('64) is Clinton high school basketball coach, and lives at 1708 Modelle.

Donald Wilkinson ('55) is an engineer checker with Ball Brothers Research Corp. He lives at 1002 Atwood, Longmont, Colo.

An accountant with a private accounting firm, Bobby Ray Bruner ('68) lives at 815-1/2 N. 11th, Duncan.

Sibble Lee Thomas ('69) is a first grade teacher in Apache.

Chester Franklin Miller ('69) is a physics teacher at Ladue High School, Saint Louis County, Mo. He and his wife, Susan Jeanne Miller ('69), are living in Pevely, Mo. Susan is a seventh grade science teacher in Arnold, Mo.

Teaching in Russellville, Ark., is Lester Burr Merrick (ME, '69). He lives with his wife, Joyce Featherston Merrick ('69), at 1707 W. Third in Russellville.

Mrs. Archie Lee Mauck (ME, '69) is a biology teacher in Enid.

Teaching industrial arts in Anadarko is James Rex Matlock (BSE, '69).

John W. Lair (ME, '69) is currently high school principal at Indianhoma.

Coaching physical education at Bonham Junior High, Odessa, Texas, is J. T. King (ME, '69). His address is 1500 E. 23rd.

Euwell Dee Kelley (ME, '69) is coaching physical education at Bonham Junior High School in Odessa, Texas.

Lenora Faye Hart Holliman (GSE, '69) is teaching in Tulare, Calif.

A second grade teacher at Laverne is Carol Ann Hendrick Hoch (ME, '69).

Donald M. Hensley (ME, '69) is a high school counselor in Brownfield, Texas.

Leo James Wink ('69) is a registered pharmacist in Fort Worth, Texas.

A business and physical education teacher, Connie Marie Wright lives in Butler.

Teaching elementary reading and English at Longdale, Betty Jane Knapp Zeka ('69) lives in Canton.

Mrs. Joyce Eyleen Winkles ('69) is an elementary teacher at Mustang.

Principal at Fort Cobb is Donald Lee Wright (ME, '69).

Teaching high school and junior high school in Kendall, Kan., is Donna Coetta Rhoads Pearce (Class of '69).

Patricia Ann Wright Sprowls ('69) is teaching English at Cheyenne.

A pharmacist at Gessler Pharmacy, Wichita, Kan., Patricia Lyn Stantz lives at 109 N. Em- poria, Eldorado, Kan. She is a 1969 graduate.

Donald Ray Teague ('69) is teaching in Geary.

Marketa Louise Woods Stevens ('69) is an elementary teacher in Buffalo.

An Elk City English teacher, Janice Ladelle Smith Terry ('69) lives at 1501 W. First.

Timothy Leroy Terry ('69), 4012 N. Meridian, Apt. 5, Oklahoma City, is a retail management trainee for Montgomery Ward.

Teaching the seventh and eighth grades at Burns Flat is Carline Thomas ('69).

Ruby Imogene Brinkley Todd ('69), 1220 Crestview, Elk City, is teaching seventh and eighth grade language arts at Canute.

A management trainee with L. H. Kress and Co., Jesse Davis Webb Jr. ('69) lives at 4513 E. 51st, Tulsa.

Nadine Carlene Taggart Whitney is a high school English teacher in Fort Cobb.

Carson Willade ('69) is working at the Red River Army Depot, Texarkana, Texas. He lives at 412 S. Merrill, New Boston, Texas.

Mary Elaine Carden (ME, '69) is teaching English in Chickasha. She lives at 710 Idaho.

High school principal at Grandfield is J. Kenneth Bryan (ME, '69).

Harold Lee Briechle (ME, '69) is teaching high school English in Okenee.

Coaching and teaching drivers' education at Eisenhower High School in Lawton, Carrel Ross Bowman (ME, '69) lives at 2421 D St.

Edgar Duane Barker (ME, '69) is teaching in Carlsbad, N. M., public schools. His wife, Nita Lane, is a language arts teacher in Alta Vista Junior High.

Coaching basketball at Paducah, Texas, High School is Billy Ray Alexander (ME, '69).

Vernon Dale Wylie, Jr., (ME, '69) is a psychology teacher at Frederick.

Teaching junior high English at Altus is Mrs. Olive Alvira Tolliver.

Veda Raye Smith (ME, '69) is teaching second grade at Reydon.

Coach and principal at Red Rock is Alfred Lee Stinson (ME, '69).

Bernard Daniel Slater (ME, '69) is serving as counselor in Graham, Texas.

Perry Don Shepard (ME, '69) is teaching and coaching at Dover.

Teaching in Clinton is Juanita Likes Sauer (BS, '44), 301 S. Fourth.

Mary Maynard Page (BS, '62) is teaching the first grade in Gotebo.

Living at 1812 Prairie Chief, Clinton, and teaching third and fourth grades at Bessie is Norma Sue Cranfill McClain (BS, '64).

Head football coach for Elk City High School is Donny Dean McDonald (ME, '69).

Mrs. Zole Marie McCleland (BA, '53; BSE, '69) is teaching English in Weatherford Junior High.

Eunice Louise Wade Merryman (BSE, '66) is teaching first grade in Thomas.

A mortician at Brown Funeral Home in Chickasha is Jimmy Wayne Hartpence (BS, '69).

Ronnie G. Hartline (ME, '69) is currently athletic director and football coach for MacArthur High School in Lawton. He lives at 16 N. W., 56th.

Band director at Altus High School is Larry Alan Harris (ME, '69). His home address is 124 Cameron Dr.

David Alan Gwinn (BAE, '69) is an English instructor in Chickasha High School.

Peggy Marie Morgan Grissom (ME, '69) is teaching the third grade in Will Rogers Elementary, Burns Flat.

A second grade teacher in Oklahoma City, Earlisse Pheme Greene (ME, '69) lives at 5504 Everest Ave.

Jack Sedric Green (ME, '69) is teaching art in Lawton.

Currently vocal music instructor at Burns Flat is Howard Dwin Geis (BAE, '69).

Leonard Owen Garrison (ME, '69) is teaching the sixth grade in Hobart, and lives at 416 N. Hitchcock.

Teaching at an elementary school in Altus is Linda Ann Ellis (BSE, '69). She lives at 1101 Sycamore.
Mrs. Corlett Retires From Savings, Loan

Mrs. Anne Plumley Corlett, Southwestern ex, has retired after 29 years with the Local Federal Savings and Loan Association in Oklahoma City.

She held the position of treasurer and assistant secretary.

Born in Tennessee, Mrs. Corlett moved to Cloud Chief in 1913. She attended Southwestern, taught school in Washita County for three years and then moved to Oklahoma City in 1934.

Mrs. Corlett is a past president of the Junior Executives and Employees division of the Oklahoma Savings and Loan League and was one of the first persons in the nation to qualify for an Eight Year Graduate Diploma of the American Savings and Loan Institute.

She has been an active member of the Oklahoma City Metropolitan Board of Realtors, the Chamber of Commerce, Town Club and Business and Professional Women's Club.

The first loan in the state under the VA program was closed by Mrs. Corlett.

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T. Robert Martin (BS, '40), 1760 S. Erie, Tulsa; Fay Goss Carothers, 2500 Kalakaua Ave., Honolulu, Hawaii; Dr. Louis Morris (BA, '35), 423 N. Sixth, Weatherford; Anna L. Barnard Morris (BA, '35), 423 N. Sixth, Wolf CBS in Ph, '66), 6604 N. Carothers, 2500 Kalakaua Ave., Weatherford; Margaret K. McPhetridge (BS, '51), 214 W. Washita, Weatherford.

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A TALL, YOUTHFUL Grady Lewis stands behind his coach, Rankin Williams, in this picture of Southwestern’s 1937 basketball Bulldogs. Lewis will be inducted into the college Athletic Hall of Fame on March 14. His teammates, from left, and their hometowns are: FRONT ROW—Paul Gardner, Othel Owen, J. D. Norton, Oscar Renz and Charles Clark, all of Weatherford. BACK ROW—Carl Nikkle, Corn; Losey Witherspoon, Muleshoe, Tex.; Bill Railback, El Reno; Jack Huffman, Frederick, and Bob Smith, Weatherford.
JAMES S. AUCOIN

James S. Aucoin (BS, '69) has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Air Force upon graduation from Officers Training School at Lackland AFB, Tex.
Lt. Aucoin, selected for OTS through competitive examination, has been assigned to Chanute AFB, Ill., for training as a maintenance officer. He has served in Vietnam.

He is a 1958 graduate of Han- son Memorial High School in Franklin, La. His wife, Toni, is from Carnegie.

MICHAEL P. LASKO

Airman Michael P. Lasko of Blair has completed basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Tex., and is now assigned to Sheppard AFB, Tex., for training in the transportation field.
Lasko received his bachelor of science degree in 1969 from Southwestern.

HAROLD L. DENMON

Harold L. Denmon, Air Force senior master sergeant, is on duty at Takhli Royal Thai Air Force Base, Thailand.

An aircraft maintenance superintendent, Sgt. Denmon is assigned to the 355th Tactical Fighter Wing. The Korean Conflict veteran has more than 21 years of service.
He holds a bachelor of arts degree from Southwestern and also has studied at the University of Hawaii. From Atlanta, Ga., Sgt. Denmon and his wife, Ella, have three children — Michael, David and Bryan.

JESSE D. ELLIS

Airman First Class Jesse D. Ellis of Cy- ryll was among the thousands of personnel from Keesler Air Force Base, Miss., who joined the massive effort to help nearby communities recover from the devastation of Hurricane Camille.

Keesler was the center of airlift operations for giant cargo planes bringing in food, supplies and medicines, and for continuous shuttle missions by helicopters.

Airman Ellis received his bachelor of science degree in mathematics from Southwestern.

RICKEY D. ZIMMERMAN

Recently completing basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, was Airman Rickey D. Zimmerman of Carnegie.
He has been assigned to Ke- esler AFB, Miss., for training in communication electronics systems.

Zimmerman is a 1962 graduate of Mountain View High School and received his bachelor of science degree in 1968 from Southwestern.

LEWIS D. BALLARD

Playing a key role in the operation of one of the nation’s newest frontline defense facilities is Capt. Lewis D. Ballard (BS, '57) of Altus.
He is a weapons controller at the Back-up Interceptor Control III site that recently became operational at Tandall Air Force Base, Fla.

The captain was a member of the expeditionary force to the Dominican Republic and has served in Vietnam.

His wife is the former Patricia Hall of Hartsville, S. C.

GLENN E, GREEN

Capt. Glenn E, Green (BS, '60) of Cheyenne has received the U.S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Cape Dyer, Canada, for meritorious service as a computer programmer.

Assigned to a detachment of the 4603rd Air Base Group at Cape Dyer, Capt. Green is a member of the Aerospace Defense Command.

In receiving the medal, he was cited for his skill, leadership and job knowledge.

Capt. Green’s wife is the former Wanda Moore of Chattanooga, Tenn.

DARWIN K. PARKER

A-1c Darwin K. Parker of But- ler has been recognized for helping his unit earn the Aerospace Defense Command “A” Award.

Airman Parker is an automotive repairman in the First Fighter Wing at Selridge Air Force Base, Mich. The wing was cited for meritorious service during the past year.
Parker, who is married to the former Janice Johnson of Butler, attended Southwestern State College.

RALF M. MILLER

U. S. Air Force Maj. Ralf M. Miller is attending the Armed Forces Staff College at Norfolk, Va.

The five-month Department of Defense school is operated under the direct supervision of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and prepares students for positions in joint and combined commands that involve more than one country or military service.

Maj. Miller previously was assigned to Randolph Air Force Base, Texas.

A 1950 graduate of Norman High School, he received his bachelor of science degree in 1952 from Southwestern State.

He was commissioned in 1952 upon completion of Officer Candi- date School and has completed a tour of duty in Vietnam.

Maj. Miller is married to the former Mary Postelle of Houston, Texas.

Jack R. Armistead

A navigator, he flies with the 425th Strategic Wing at U-Tapao Airfield in Thailand.

Capt. Armistead holds a bachelor of science degree from Southwestern.

BOBBY E. WHITLEY

Recently promoted to sergeant in the Air Force was Bobby E. Whitley of Wichita Falls, Texas.

Sgt. Whitley, a communications specialist at Don Muang Royal Thai AFB, Thailand, is assigned to a unit of the Air Force Communications Service.

He received his bachelor of arts degree in 1967 from Southwestern.

JERRY O. TAYLOR

Sgt. Jerry O. Taylor of Carneg- egie has been named the outstanding airman of the quarter in his unit at Kimpo Air Base, Republic of Korea.

Sgt. Taylor, a communications specialist, was selected for his exemplary conduct and duty performance. He is assigned to a unit of the Air Force Communications Service.

He was awarded the bachelor of science degree in business administration in 1967 from Southwestern.

DONALD I. JOHNSON

The silver wings of an Air Force pilot have been awarded to Second Lt. Donald I. Johnson of Ardmore. The 1967 graduate of Southwestern received the wings upon graduation from pilot training at Craig AFB, Ala.

Lt. Johnson was commissioned through Officers Training School at Lackland AFB, Texas.
K. C. Sims Dies; Rites
In Watonga

After an extended illness caused by a kidney ailment, Kenneth C. (Catfish) Sims, 55, died at his Watonga home on Dec. 29. Services were held on Dec. 31 at the Watonga Christian Church, and burial was in the Watonga IOOF Cemetery.

Sims' family has established a gift memorial fund for kidney research at the Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation in Oklahoma City.

Weighing but 148 pounds, Sims was an outstanding football and baseball player at Southwestern, where he was selected an All-Conference guard as a senior in 1938.

He was born on Feb. 6, 1914, in Watonga and was a life-long resident of that city. He retired last January after 23 years as a partner in the Sims Service Station.

Sims served in the Army Air Corps during World War II, and was mayor of Watonga from 1956 to 1958. In the early 1950's he served as president of the Chamber of Commerce there.

He was a member of the Oklahoma Planning and Resources Board from 1959 to 1964.

Surviving are his wife, Onaja; a daughter, Mrs. Dale Swann, Watonga; one son, Nelson, Weatherford; two brothers, Elmo and Homer Sims, both of Watonga; a sister, Mrs. Ward Dennison, Watonga, and one grandson.

Payne Works Toward OSU Doctor's Degree

Ron Payne ('67), former instructional materials center director at Southwestern, is working toward his doctor's degree at Oklahoma State University.

Payne's wife, the former Karel Kay Humphrey ('69) of Canute, is teaching the fourth grade at Perry.

New Baby

Mr. and Mrs. Glen White Eagle, 102 Waco, Apt. 112E, Lubbock, Tex., are the proud parents of a son, Chaun Thomas, born Nov. 29. The young man weighed seven pounds and 13 ounces. Glen is a graduate of Southwestern, and his wife is the former Glenda Kay Sparks, the former Glenda Kay Sparks.

Bulldogs Repeat
As Loop Champs

Nationally ranked and Collegiate Conference champions for the second consecutive year, the Southwestern Bulldogs had a highly successful 1969 football season.

The team, rated by many as one of the best ever to play for SWSC, came within two points of an undefeated record.

Their lone loss was a 7-6 decision to Central State College at Edmond. Nine other opponents were convincingly overpowered in this order: Sam Houston, 31-0; East Central, 24-14; Northwestern, 21-0; Northeastern, 22-15; Southeastern, 40-7; Panhandle, 28-7; Tarleton, 52-7; Langston, 56-0; Eastern New Mexico, 66-0.

The Bulldogs, coached for the sixth year by Otis Delaporte, came within a single vote of being invited to the post-season National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics playoffs.

The disappointment was eased somewhat by a fourth-place national ranking in the final NAIA poll.

In basketball, Coach Jerry Jobe's Bulldogs were still very much in title contention at this writing. Through early January games the defending conference champions had won eight and lost seven.

In the Collegiate Conference, their mark was 3-2.

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HEACO Contribution

Miss Hazel Evans of Clinton, president of the Former Students Association, has recently contributed to the Higher Education Alumni Council fund for Southwestern.

A SWSC alumna and retired business instructor, Miss Evans said she wanted to be the first from FSA to make a contribution.

Master's Degree

Awarded to Kelley

Wayne Kelley ('54) is assistant superintendent of schools in Monte Vista, Colo., and has earned his master's degree at Adams State College in Alamosa, Colo.

His wife, Juanita ('61) is the reading resource teacher for the elementary schools in Monte Vista. Their address is Rt. 2, Box 91A.

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Catch 'Big Trout'

R. B. Tucker (MT, '40) is mathematics teacher at Wellington, Texas, and his son, Dougles (MT, '67) is director of science in Malibu, Calif. The two men spent a week recently in Canada catching "the big trout" of the rugged country.

Denneys Spending
Off-Duty Hours On Remodeling Project

Gene and Kay Denney, both SWSC grads, have purchased a 12-room, two-story house in Enid and are merrily involved in remodeling it.

A registered medical technologist, Gene is head of the bacteriological department at St. Mary's Hospital, and his wife is teaching in Enid's Longfellow Junior High School.

Discussing the house, Kay reports that they are "in the slow, painstaking process of fixing it up. We have re-pappered every room...remodeling the kitchen will have to come later, as we have no carpenters in the family."

They were "thrilled to see SWSC rated so high in national standings in football this year," and Kay declares that "Gene expects a Heisman Trophy winner in 1970."

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Hamm Tells About Life In Michigan

Dr. Donald Hamm, Southwestern chemistry professor, writes from Michigan that "the weather has been very kind so far" with "a pair of eight degrees and a five degree, all record lows for the dates."

Dr. Hamm is spending this academic year as "Distinguished Visiting Professor" at Michigan State University. His wife, Jean, and their five children are with him in East Lansing, where they reside at 241 Maplewood Dr.

"Instead of showers here, we have snow flurries," Dr. Hamm wrote, "and they occur pretty frequently, but we have had three to five inches of snow only three times."

His letter continued:

"It is snowing here this morning (Dec. 15), huge flakes coming straight down, like in some movies I have seen, so it seems very Christmasy here in Michigan. We live in sort of a 'semi-forest' in which about half of the trees are evergreens, and of course that helps, too."

He reported that temperatures on the average are 15 to 25 degrees at night and about 25 to 40 during the day.

"Come Christmas," he concluded, "we will have been here four months -- four down and eight to go."

Lt. Kenner, Family

Lt. Ronald P. Kenner ('64) is assigned to the Fifth Tactical Control Group with the Air Force in the Philippines, and just recently completed five weeks of studies in Hawaii.

His wife, Hazel, and son, Ryan, are in the Philippines with the lieutenant. Their address is Lt. and Mrs. Ronald P. Kenner, 5th Tac Cont Gp CMR, APO San Francisco 96274.

Kenner's mother, Mrs. Mary Kenner ('57) is teaching English in the Lawton public schools. She resides at 2108 Bell in Lawton.

MRS. JESSIE DUNCAN (left), retiring president of the Former Students Association, welcomes newly elected officers at the Homecoming luncheon. Miss Hazel Evans (center) of Clinton will serve the next year as FSA president. Mrs. Millie Thomas and Mark Mouse, both of Weatherford, were re-elected treasurer and secretary, respectively, and Jim Sweeney of Custer (not pictured) was named vice-president.

Dr. Dale Cabbiness

Research Scientist

With Ponca Firm

Dr. Dale Keith Cabbiness has joined the research and development department at Continental Oil Co., in Ponca City after receiving his doctor of philosophy degree in chemistry from Purdue University.

He is a research scientist in Continental's research services division.

A native of Binger, Dr. Cabbiness earned his bachelor of science degree in chemistry (1960) from Southwestern and his master of science degree from the University of Arkansas.

He is a member of Pi Mu Epsilon and Sigma Chi fraternities and the American Chemical Society.

Dr. Cabbiness and his wife, Loretta, have two children -- Darinda, 3, and LaDawna, 1. They reside at 1512 Potomac, Ponca City.

BRADLEY RE-NAMED PRESIDENT OF SWSC

Thirty-Year Club

Orin E. Bradley of Wayne, the newly re-elected Thirty-Year Club president, attended Southwestern over a period of 31 years.

Now retired from teaching, Bradley was in the profession for 46 years, and taught industrial arts, history and science.

During 38 of these years he also coached in high schools of southwestern and central Oklahoma.

Bradley recalls that he first came to Southwestern as a kindergarten student in 1908. He was awarded his Life Certificate in 1922, and received the bachelor of science degree in industrial arts in 1926.

Even after this, he continued to enroll for occasional courses at the college through 1939.

Re-elected as vice-president of the Thirty-Year Club during the Homecoming celebration was Ernest Kendall of Silver Spring, Md.

Mrs. H. A. Sappington, Weatherford, is the organization's new secretary, succeeding Frank Eaton of Weatherford.
James Sill Enters Basic Training At Ft. Polk, La.

In basic training at Ft. Polk, La., is Jim Sill ('66), who before being inducted into the Army was assistant district attorney at Shawnee.

Sill was awarded his juris doctorate degree at the University of Oklahoma last June and passed the state bar examination in September.

He is taking 19 weeks of basic training in the Army Reserve program.

Sill’s wife, the former Dian Francis ('69), is employed as medical technologist at the Mangum Hospital.

His parents are Dr. and Mrs. James Sill, both of the Southwestern State staff, Dr. Sill is philosophy professor and director of public services, and Mrs. Sill is the college nurse.

A daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Sill, Mrs. Roberta Rhodes, is teaching music and girls physical education at Harveyville, Kan., where her husband, G. W., is a mathematics and science teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes both hold bachelor and master of teaching degrees from SWSC, and he also is currently working toward the master of science degree at Kansas State College in Emporia.

Harkins Enjoy Life In 'Mile-High City'

Senior Master Sergeant and Mrs. Ted Harkins are thoroughly enjoying themselves as residents of the “Mile-High City.”

Stationed at Lowry Air Force Base near Denver, Colo., the Harkins report a “delightful spring,” “most joyful” summer and “beautiful wonderland” winter.

Mrs. Harkins is the former Helen Marie Susich (MT, ’61), and Sgt. Harkins attended Southwestern for a semester.

They spent the month of July in their camper on a vacation trip that took them to Florida, New Mexico, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Oklahoma and Kansas.

He is involved in training Air Force personnel for duty in Southeast Asia, and she teaches a fourth grade class of “26 lovely children.”

Their address is 1595 F Family Qtr., Lowry Air Force Base, Colo.

GETTING TOGETHER for the first time in many years were these men at the Thirty-Year Club Homecoming luncheon. From the left are Dr. Arthur Osborn, Cordell; Ralph Lockstone, Weatherford; Ray Harris, Weatherford; Lee K. Anderson, Oklahoma City; John F. Lance, Pittsburg, Kan.; Ronkin Williams, Weatherford; Oren Bradley, Wayne, and George Martin, Kiowa. Lance, Southwestern coach from 1918 to 1922, was a special guest at the luncheon.

Newsbits About Alumni

Sylvia Ann Richardson Scott (Class of '69) is a home economics teacher at Binger.

Ted Galloway, graduate of Southwestern State College and Clinton High School, is the newly elected president of the Chandler Chamber of Commerce.

Travis Elmer Pendley ('69) is currently a pharmacist in Broken Arrow.

William W. Querner ('69) is elementary principal at Grandfield.

Mike Butt ('69) is employed by the dental division of the Howmet Corp., 5101 S. Keeler Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Duncan at Ada

Roger Duncan ('64) is employed by Dicus Pharmacy in Ada.

Duncan and his wife, the former Ruth Schoelen (Ex), have one son Roger Oscar II.

Duncan’s mother is Mrs. Jessie Duncan, past president of the Southwestern Former Students Association.