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Bulldogs Go After Triple Crown!

With two championships already tucked neatly away and the third a distinct possibility, Southwestern State College is enjoying one of its greatest years in athletics in a long, long time.

The football Bulldogs won six out of seven Oklahoma Collegiate Athletic Conference games to lay claim to the gridiron title, and the basketball Bulldogs finished their season with a 15-5 loop record to bring home another crown.

As this issue of Echoes was being put to bed the baseball Bulldogs were determinedly leading the OCAC western division with only two conference losses.

For Athletic Director and Head Coach Otis Delaporte the football victory was sweet indeed, coming as it did only a year after Southwestern had had to forfeit several games for using an ineligible player.

In 11 engagements, the Dogs triumphed seven times while amassing 220 points to 145 for their opponents. The scoring difference was even more pronounced in the conference — 164 to 55.

Only East Central, the perennial gridiron favorite, was able to beat Southwestern in conference play. The score was 10-6.

It was a tough fight right down to the wire for Coach Jerry Jobe's basketball squad. The cagers started the season with 10 straight wins, and for a time no other teams were in the title chase.

A pair of losses to Oklahoma Baptist and another to East Central tightened things up. Late defeats at the hands of Central State and Langston caused sadness on the Weatherford campus, but upsets elsewhere in the league helped to pull the Bulldogs through.

The Jobemen polished off Central in two straight games to decide the district representative to the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics tournament in Kansas City, Mo.

In KC, Southwestern beat Yankton, S. D., 100-91 in a first-round bout, then fell to Elizabeth City, N. C., 88-81.

For the season the cage record was 23-8, with point totals of 2,406 to 2,249. In the OCAC the Dogs tallied 1,537 points to 1,440 for their foes.

Coach Cecil Devine, in his second season here, has several "ifs" to contend with as the baseball squad tries to make 1968-69 the year of the triple crown.

Finding replacements in the field and at the plate for several players who graduated and others who signed with the majors is Devine's big problem. But in late April the Bulldogs were atop the conference standings.

Mrs. Brumley Wins Honor

Mrs. Lucille Brumley, English Instructor at Lenapah Junior and Senior High Schools, was named "Teacher of the Year" in 1968 by the Nowata County Education Association.

She holds a bachelor of science degree from Southwestern State College.

In her present position for the past 22 years, Mrs. Brumley is the wife of Lenapah High School Principal Yakima Brumley.

In addition to her teaching duties, Mrs. Brumley has --- in her words --- "done the usual class sponsoring, play production and essay contest sponsoring."

Lenapah schools had first-place winners in the Rural Electric Co-operative essay contest in 1966 and 1967, and also a winner in the Masonic Lodge and State Chamber of Commerce essay contests last year.

Professionally, Mrs. Brumley was a classroom teachers representative for the Nowata County OEA unit in 1966 and a National Education Association delegate in 1961.

In a recent letter to Echoes, Mrs. Brumley wrote, "I am delighted that we have at least seven of our graduates attending Southwestern now."

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POsing HANDSOMELY in their striped jerseys are members of the 1905 Southwestern football team, and Echoes desires to know how many of these athletes are still alive. Their names and hometowns are (left to right):

Seated --- Walt Campbell, Weatherford; Robert Campbell, Caseyon, Texas; William Whitaker, Weatherford; William Preston Keen, Redmond, now living in Clinton; Nash Clay Hix, Conyon, Texas. Standing --- Carroll Abe McBurney, Thomas; William Young, Cheyenne; Ernest Ramey, Weatherford; Professor Whitcomb, the coach; Nove Earle Alkire, Weatherford; Charles Combs, Thomas.
President Al Harris Says:

Let's Keep in Touch

It is our belief that you deserve to receive information concerning your college. For a number of years we have been thinking that Southwestern State College needed an alumni publication, and this issue of our newsletter is Volume 55, No. 1. Echoes from The Hill is an endeavor on our part to keep you informed of the progress and accomplishments of your alma mater. More than 5,400 copies of this issue of Echoes from The Hill are being mailed. Many of the issues are sent to both man and wife, so it is likely that this newsletter is read by approximately 8,000 former students and graduates of Southwestern.

Four years ago, we had fewer than a thousand names and addresses on our former student lists. A number of individuals on the campus work almost daily to add to our alumni roster, but as more and more names and addresses are secured the problem of adding other names and addresses to the list becomes more challenging.

Frequently, alumni fail to advise us of their changes of address, and so are lost from our mailing list. We can understand this failure to notify us, for many of the persons receiving our newsletter do not realize that their names have been sent to us by their friends. The newsletter is printed quarterly, and due to the infrequency of publication some are not really aware that it is our official means of communication.

We would be the first to admit that the initial newsletters do not have as much news as we would wish. If you will send us information about yourself, your family, and your position, it will help us make our newsletter more interesting and newsworthy for everyone. You can also assist by sending us names and addresses of any of your former students who are not receiving the newsletter. We have reason to believe that many of Southwestern's friends have had no contact with the institution for a number of years, and have little or no idea of the status of their college.

On occasions, alumni of the college visit in Weatherford and fail to come to the campus, believing that we would not have time to visit with them personally. We hasten to dispel this idea, for most of us are very gregarious and enjoy conducting tours of the campus for those who have not visited us for a number of years.

We believe you would be agreeably surprised if you had an opportunity to see inside our buildings and to assess the quantity and quality of the equipment used for instruction. The fine instructional equipment is only surpassed by the superior quality of our staff. In my judgment, our instruction will compare favorably with that of any college or university in the nation. You would be pleased to meet and visit with our faculty and see the caliber of our students. We are proud of the quality of the students we are attracting.

No doubt, on many occasions you have an opportunity to visit with high school seniors who are seeking information regarding which college to attend. If you have not done so, why not recommend that they attend Southwestern State College? Why not suggest that they visit the campus, for very seldom do students visit us who do not choose to attend Southwestern.

Many of them say, "I never dreamed that a higher educational institution of this type and quality existed in Oklahoma." If you have not visited us recently you may conclude this is an overstatement, but I assure you it is not. Please come and see for yourself what your college now offers.

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Weatherford, Oklahoma

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Two Accounting Graduates Quickly Get Their CPA's

Two recent Southwestern grads have joined an elite group.

Mrs. Elaine L. Fransen (BS, '68) and Mrs. Marseda Kappel Kirby (BS, '67) passed examinations qualifying them to become certified public accountants on their first try.

Not more than five per cent of the persons taking the exams are able to accomplish this feat, according to Dr. W. W. Ward, chairman of the SWSC division of business and business education.

Mrs. Fransen, employed as an accountant at Oklahoma General Hospital in Clinton, lives with her family at 1301 Avant in that city.

Her husband, Douglas L., is a 1964 Southwestern graduate and is employed as a technician for the State Highway Department. They have three children—Diane, 7; Scott, 6, and Brenda, 4.

Mrs. Kirby is a junior executive with a large accounting firm in Anchorage, Alaska. Her husband, Ron J., graduated from SWSC in January, 1967, with a degree in teacher education, and is employed in Anchorage by the Magabar Corp.

The Kirby's reside at 1345 Cherikof Court, Anchorage.

Teaching science at Thomas is Denzie Minyard (Class of '61).
Art Department Is on the Move

An overall description of the art department at Southwestern State College can be expressed in one word — expansion. Larger, better-equipped facilities, a growing faculty and an increasing number of students have all added to the department’s growth in recent years.

A complete face-lifting of the former library building this year has provided the art department with greatly enlarged and improved facilities. Specially equipped classrooms are now available for sculpture, ceramics, commercial art and painting. Remodeling has also included the construction of approximately 20 offices in the Art Building for various faculty members.

GALLERY FOR DISPLAYS

The new building also houses a large exhibition area and gallery used to display student and faculty works. Currently on display is a faculty show including ceramics, linoleum block prints, sculptures in wood and metal and paintings of many varieties. Each of the six faculty members contributed to the show.

Art is on exhibition at all times in the gallery, according to Richard H. Taflinger, chairman of the department. Collections are changed at intervals ranging from two weeks to a month.

In addition to the Art Building display, the department continues to supply the college Library and offices and a local restaurant with student exhibits. Many paintings and sculptures created by faculty members and students are also entered in art show competition from time to time.

AUDIO-VISUAL ROOM

Improved classroom facilities include a large audio-visual room which accommodates 75 to 85 people. Blackout drapes facilitate the use of a projector in classes such as art appreciation, art history and elements of art where film strips and slides are used as teaching aids. Large, well-equipped sculpture and ceramics studios, a painting studio and a commercial art room provide students with more working space and equipment than ever before.

The painting studio accommodates 25 to 30 people, with an individual easel for each. A new rack has also been constructed for storage of unfinished paintings.

Special tables and tanks for air brushes are two of the conveniences supplied for students in the commercial art classroom where advertising and layout design are taught.

HERE SINCE 1947

Classrooms include expanded facilities for graphic drawing and a specially constructed metal design room which doubles as a classroom for applied design. Since 1947, when Taflinger first came to Southwestern State as an art instructor, the faculty has grown from two men to six.

Teaching art at Southwestern this year for the first time are Frederick A. Olds and Gene Richardson. Two-year “veterans” are Ronald Williams and Warren Waggoner.

E ENROLLMENT JUMPS off

George E. Calvert is now in his fifth year at Southwestern.

The number of students majoring in art education and commercial art showed a marked increase during the eight-year period from 1960 to 1968. Figures shot from 155 in 1960 to a total of 821 last fall.

Thus, expansion—one of the underlying elements of progress in Southwestern’s art department—is evident in the growth of facilities, faculty and students.

Pearl Burcham Is First-Grade Teacher

Pearl Burcham (BA, ’39), taught at SWSC nine years and is now a first-grade teacher for Weatherford schools.

Originally from Mangum, she has attended the University of Hawaii, received her master’s degree from Colorado State, and has taught at Appalachian State College, Boone, N.C.

In 1967 she was elected Custer County teacher of the year.

Pearl has five sisters, three brothers, two sisters-in-law, one brother-in-law, eight nieces and nephews who have attended SWSC.

Two Southwestern State College School of Pharmacy graduates, Neil Leatherwood and J. Tom Gibson Jr., have joined Eli Lilly and Co. as sales representatives in Texas.

Leatherwood is employed in San Antonio and Gibson in Longview.

Born in Lamesa, Texas, Leatherwood received the bachelor of science degree in pharmacy at Southwestern in 1963.

Before joining the Lilly firm, he was employed by the Medical Center Pharmacy in Odessa, Texas. He is a member of the American and Texas Pharmaceutical Associations.

Gibson is a native of Fort Worth and took his degree in pharmacy from SWSC in 1964.

He was formerly employed by Moreland Drug Co. in Fort Worth. He holds membership in Kappa Psi, professional pharmacy fraternity.

Gibson and his wife, Gerogeanna, live at 309 Richardson, Longview.
Are Your Classmates on Our List?

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If Not, Send Us Their Addresses...

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Bill Banker, 716 N. 16 St., Lawton, Okla. 73501; Donald G. Barker, Conrad Marr #2, 1215 E. Lockheed Dr., Midwest City, Okla. 73110; Kenneth Darrell Barker, 311 Gay, Mangum, Okla. 73554; Chuck Barnes, 4825 Eastman Dr., Oklahoma City, Okla. 73122; Larry Barber, Bowlin Drug, Mulberry, Ark. 72947.

James F. Barnes, 4208 N. W. 31 Terrace, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73112; Johny W. Barnes, 820 Kelly Dr., Watonga, Okla. 73772; Mildred L. Barnes, 328 N. Hitchcock, Hobart, Okla. 73651; Walter Ervin Barnes, 914 N. Market, Watonga, Okla. 73772; Calvin Barnett, 2227 N. Flower, Santa Ana, Calif. 92706.


Louise Barney, Geary, Okla. 73040; Nina F. Barney, Box 321, Vici, Okla. 73858; Vivian W. Barnhill, Box 15, Lookooba, Okla. 73053; Berdine Barr, Putnam, Okla. 73659; Fred Barr, 421 S. 24 St., Clinton, Okla. 73601.

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Mark's Drug, Guthrie, Okla. 73044; Evelyn Pennington Baker, Fay, Okla. 73646; Joseph Steven Baker, General Delivery, Lookeba, Okla. 73053; Nikki J. Baker, 26 N. 28 St., Lawton, Okla. 73501.

Newman Baggett, 411 W. 2nd, Elk City, Okla. 73644; Bob James Bailey, Box 33, Gracemont, Okla. 73042; James Bailey, Rt. 1, Box 268, Cordell, Okla. 73632; Ensign John Roger Bailey, 38 Morton Avenue, Newport, R. I. 02840; J. T. Bailey, Box 268, Cordell, Okla. 73632.

Elizabeth Baber, 211 S. Boone, Elk City, Okla. 73644; Ronald Babione, 1600 N. Hudson, Altus, Okla. 73521; Mrs. Meryl Wade Babione, 402 N. 48 St., Lawton, Okla. 73501; Mrs. C. Eloise Bagby, 116 W. Huber, Weatherford, Okla.

Noah B. Baker, 909 Susan Lee Lane, Modesto, Calif. 95350; Pauline Baker, c/o E. D. Wells, Lookeba, Okla. 73053; Richard E. Baker, Box 475, Satanta, Kan. 67870; Thomas A. Baker Jr., Box 4, Durham, Kan. 67438; Glenn Carl E. Baird, 104 N. Main, Fairview, Okla. 73737; Clarence Beaty, AFM DC, CMR, Box 2361, Holloman, AFB, N. M. 88330; Mrs. Merle (Elsie) Beaucamp, 1108 N. College, Cordell, Okla. 73652; Edward Beck, Fay, Okla. 73540; Tony G. Beadles, McDonnell Aircraft Corp., Box 316, Saint Louis, Mo. 63166.

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Newsbits About Alumni

R. Doyle Simpson (pharmacy, '63) and William B. Frizzell (pharmacy, '54) are partners in the Frizzell-Simpson Pharmacy and Drug, 111 South Sixth, Brownfield, Texas. Bill lives at 1319 East Repino, Brownfield, and Doyle, wife Emily Sue Blackstock and daughter live at 72 Shinnery Lane, Brownfield.

Mrs. Lucille (Ward) Patton (BS, '41) is assistant professor, teacher education of distributive education in OSU's College of Business, Lucille, formerly of Erick, and husband, R. L. of Hollis, live at 18 Canyon Rim Place, Stillwater.

A senior and majoring in accounting this year at Southwestern, Jerry D. Jones has been employed as office manager at Southwestern Memorial Hospital, Weatherford. Originally from Roll, Jones is married to the former Sherry Briggs of Cheyenne, who is in her sophomore year at SWSC.

M. and Mrs. Doyle Warren have moved a long way from home. They and their son, Brandon, now reside at 2911 32nd Street, Oklahoma City. Their address is 502 W. 50th St. N., Oklahoma City. Mr. Warren is employed in the dispensary and she as a secretary. Their address is P. O. Box 3638, 1315 South Claudina Street, Anaheim, Calif. After several years as financial manager of Graybar Electric Co., Inc., at Knoxville, Tenn., he was transferred in 1966 to the same position at the Graybar branch in Anaheim.

Mr. William H. Wellman (BA, '40) is a third grade teacher in the public school system there.

Edward Arnold Gilliland (Class of '68) holds a position as science teacher at Blooming Grove High School, Blooming Grove, Texas.

Protection, Kan., is the home of Charles Edward Furgason (Class of '68). He is a seventh grade science teacher.

Having received her master of teaching degree in 1968, Mrs. Margaret Wilson Friedrich is a junior high reading teacher in Clinton.

Bill Virgil Flurry (Class of '68) teaches in the Hinton High School.

Mrs. B. B. (Ruth) Fisher (Class of '68) is a reading teacher in Siskiyou County, Yreka, Calif.

In Littlefield, Texas, Wilson D. Elliott (Class of '68) holds the dual position of teacher and coach.

Blanche Burcham Cox (MT, '58) is a second grade teacher in Mangum.

Teaching science in Cochranville, Pa., is Allen B. Cook Jr. (Class of '68).

Junior high science and athletics teacher in Moriarty, N. M., is Joe W. Chaver (Class of '68).

In Ardmore, Marvin Q. Candle (Class of '68) is a science instructor for Douglass High School.

Mrs. Christine Bicket (Class of '68) teaches the sixth grade in Garfield Elementary School, Lawton.

Former assistant professor of biology at SWSC (1930-33), Elbert L. Little Jr., is now a research worker for the U. S. Forest Service and has been a dendrologist in Washington, D.C. since 1942.

George Fencerik (Class of '68) is employed as a junior accountant for the Hess Oil and Chemical Co., Perth Amboy, N. J.
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Dr. George N. Beckloff (Class of '55) is a general practitioner at the medical clinic in Stratford.

Director of the Upward Bound program at SWSC is Joe D. Reynolds (Class of '29).

Don G. Ward (MT, '60) is presently the principal at Hobart Junior High.

Mrs. John (Mary Olive) Alban, daughter of former SWSC President James B. Eskridge, resides at 244 Wedgewood Drive, Shreveport, La., and is on Echoc's mailing list.

Living at 23216 Avenue 20-1/2 in Madera, Calif., is Mrs. Clara Craig, a Southwestern grad.

C. L. Hostetter (BA, '22) is farming and raising cattle now, after being employed for many years by the Oklahoma State Employment Service. A son and also a SWSC graduate, C. L. Jr., is teaching at Reydon. C. L. Sr.'s address is 501 South Eighth, Clinton.

Melvin L. Wells (Class of '42) holds a position with the 66 Muale Co. in Altus.

Gordon Keith Allen on July 1 became assistant to the executive secretary of the State Board of Regents. Formerly internal auditor at Central State College, the Southwestern graduate is serving as a liaison between the Regents for Higher Education and Regents for Oklahoma Colleges.

In Custer, L. Margaret Frymire (Class of '68) is a school counselor.

Teaching junior high students in Duncan is James N. Goreham (Class of '65).

Counseling vocational rehabilitation participants in Midwest City is the occupation of Joe Wyatt Hill (Class of '68).

Linda Smith Loewen (Class of '68) teaches high school English in Burns Flat.

A first grade teacher at Davidson is 1968 graduate Mrs. Alice Jayne Loftin.

Eldon Sheperd (BS, '57; MT, '68) serves as principal in Bessie.

In Hugoton, Kan., Stanley Leon Stephenson (Class of '68) is employed as a high school instructor.

Elementary reading and math are subjects taught by Carnegie teacher Paula Squires (Class of '68).

Teaching mathematics to Fairview elementary students is Robbie M. Summers (Class of '68).

Shirley Sue Parker Williams (BS, '66) is an instructor of economics at the Coffeyville Community Junior College, Coffeyville, Kan.

Wayland K. Bonds (BS in Ed, '65) teaches school in Olustee.

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Leroy E. Morrison (Class of '68) is a teacher in Lubbock, Texas.

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Teaching English and speech in Davidson is Mrs. Jack (Lena) Martin.

Social studies teacher and coach at Fairview Elementary School is Don Eldon Birdwell (Class of '67).

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Rev. Bobby Sunderland pastors the Emmanuel Baptist Church in Enid.

Instructing third graders in Hinton is the present occupation of Janet L. Teague (Class of '68).

Esther Strickland (Class of '36) is a fifth grade teacher in Erick.

Inspector of ninth grade science at Jarman Junior High, Midwest City, is Marice Seversen (Class of '68).

Remedial teacher for the first through eighth grades at Hollister is Mrs. Bobbie Nelle High.

Jerry Jameson (Class of '55) is an auto dealer in Weatherford.

Holding the position as coach and teacher at Mountain View is Reece Richard Boone III (Class of '66).

Kinney Cook (Class of '67) is presently a law student at Oklahoma University.

Mrs. Gladys Gilmore (Class of '27) teaches a fourth grade in Clinton.

Mrs. Goldie Lawter Hays (BS, '38; MT, '56) is a second grade teacher in Weatherford.

Bank auditor for the First National Bank of Oklahoma City is Harold Dean Ingram (Class of '62).

Working as a chemist in the research department of Phillips Petroleum Co. in Bartlesville is W. R. Janzen, a 1930 graduate.

Teaching English and speech in Davidson is Mrs. Jack (Lena) Martin.

Social studies teacher and coach at Fairview Elementary School is Don Eldon Birdwell (Class of '67).

K. B. Cornell, 1922 graduate, is a public accountant in Clinton.

Also an accountant is James A. Akins of Yukon (Class of '66).

Garland Hollars (Class of '51) is the superintendent of schools at Cyril.

Jack T. Shannon (BS in Ed, '61) is associate director with the Extension Division at Oklahoma University.

Aude Thomas (Class of '40) is project director for Operation Mainstream. He is presently residing in Gotebo.

Teaching team John Mac (MT, '66) and Donnie Ruth Strom Wilson (Class of '65) are presently employed in Midland, Texas.

James J. Duffy (Class of '67) is an accountant in Clinton.

A 1950 graduate, Mrs. Dee G. Liston, is a second grade teacher in Martha.

Mrs. L. L. Males (Class of '35) is presently a collector of folklore of Cheyenne-Arapaho Country.
James D. Sill (Class of '66) and his wife, Dian Francis, are presently in Norman where he is a student at Oklahoma University.

Mildred Duncan-Williams is presently with the Arthur Murray Dance Studios in Wichita.

Bill Hubbard (BS, '63) was employed by NASA MSC, Houston, Texas, four years and has now returned to school to work on his master's degree in aerospace engineering at the University of Texas. He and his wife, Norma Lynn Tullos, live at 3107 B Grandview, Austin.

Andrew Koban (Class of '66) is presently stationed at Wurtzville AFB, Mich. He is a master sergeant in the Air Force.

Teaching science at Okarche is Harold Edward Laubach (Class of '68).

Pharmacist at Jameson's Pharmacy, Dallas, Texas, is Bobby J. Mink (BS in Ph, '68).

In Boulder, Colo., Wanetta Landel (Class of '63) and Leland Forrester (Class of '61) are teaching school.

Two '68 grads, Paula Jean and Phillip Barry Dedmon, are teaching school in Sentinel where Phillip is also a coach.

Michael J. Villarreal, a former SWSC student, is a Spanish specialist in Belmont, Calif.

Bobby K. Culpepper (BS, '63) was employed by NASA MSC, Houston, Texas, four years and has now returned to school to work on his master's degree in aerospace engineering at the University of Texas. He and his wife, Norma Lynn Tullos, live at 3107 B Grandview, Austin.

Joyce (Beck) (Pharmacy, '64) and Lyle Walton (pharmacy, '63) now live in Oklahoma City where she is employed by Presbyterian Hospital and he by a drug company. Joyce, formerly of Coffeyville, Kan., and Lyle, of Kingfisher, and son Mark, live at 3322 Northwest 8th in the City.

Capt. Kenneth H. Edmiston (BA, '60), formerly of 1013 Southwest 51st, Oklahoma City, recently completed a military chaplain orientation course at the Army Chaplain School, Fort Hamilton, N. Y. His wife, Elizabeth Ann, resides at Ft. Carson, Colo., where he was last stationed.

Dick Horn (Class of '68) is teacher - principal at Elgin.
In the Service

GEORGE C. REYNOLDS
Capt. George C. Reynolds (BS, ’66), in Vietnam since last December, would like to “hear from, or get the addresses of, my classmates at SWSC.”

Commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army soon after receiving his degree in physics and mathematics, Capt. Reynolds attended schools at Fort McClellan, Ala.; Indian Head, Md., and Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

Then after completing the explosive ordnance disposal school he was immediately assigned to Korea, where he spent 14 months. Following a 30-day leave at home, Capt. Reynolds was sent to Vietnam. He is stationed at Cam Ranh Bay, 190 miles northeast of Saigon.

His address is: Capt. George C. Reynolds 05422495, EOD Section, HHC, 191st Ordnance Battalion (Ammo), APO San Francisco 96312.

CARL C. TURNER
Maj. Gen. Carl C. (Casey) Turner (BS, ’39) has been given a new assignment by President Richard M. Nixon.

The Army provost marshal general since 1964, Gen. Turner has been appointed as the new chief U. S. marshal.

Gen. Turner is a native of Altus and a veteran of 28 years in the Army. He was principal speaker last May at Southwestern’s spring convocation exercises.

The general and his family live in Springfield, Va.

GLEN C. BURNS
Glenn C. Burns (Class of ’67) was recently named “Airmen of the Month” for the 6314th Security Police Squadron in Korea. His home is in Freder-

Airman Burns, according to the letter nominating him for the honor, “performed most commendably with the sentry dog section, having shown initiative in every duty endeavor. He is well versed in his career field and especially in sentry dog team tactics. He possesses a keen sense of responsibility toward the security police and is never idle, but seeks continuously to further his proficiency in his field.”

The letter described Burns as “truly an excellent airman” who is “a credit to himself, the squadron and the United States Air Force.”

GARY L. HALL
Sp/4 Gary L. Hall of Clinton was “Outstanding Soldier of the Month” for March at Fort Sill.

A 1966 graduate of Southwestern with a degree in education, Hall is in the Officer Candidate Brigade at the Lawton Army Post.

Before entering the Army in January, 1968, Hall taught driver education and social science at Dexter, Kan., High School.

DONALD J. EVANS
Commissioned a second lieutenant after graduating from the Army Officer Training School at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, was Donald J. Evans.

Lt. Evans holds a bachelor of science degree in psychology from Southwestern.

The lieutenant and his wife, Margarita, now reside in Denver, Colo., where he is in training as an avionics officer at Lowry AFB.

LEROY POWERS
Working as a supply inventory specialist after graduating with honors from the Air Force technical school at Sheppard AFB, Texas, is Airman Leroy Powers (BS, ’67).

Powers, from Carnegie, is assigned to a unit of the Strategic Air Command at Carswell AFB, Texas.

The graduate of Carnegie High School is married to the former Verna Unruh, also of Carnegie.

KENNETH N. LEGGETT
T-Sgt. Kenneth N. Leggett (BS, ’66) of Smackover, Ark., has retired from the Air Force after more than 20 years of service.

Sgt. Leggett, who received his degree in accounting, was an administrative supervisor in a Strategic Air Command Unit at Offutt AFB, Neb., before his retirement.

He previously served at U-Tapao Air Field, Thailand.

DARWIN K. PARKER
After recently completing basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, Airman Darwin K. Parker of Butler has been assigned as a vehicle maintenance specialist with an Air Defense Command unit at Selfridge AFB, Mich.

Parker holds a bachelor of science degree from SWSC.

His new duty station is Wheeler AFB, Hawaii, where he is serving with the Pacific Air Forces.

RODNEY A. BASSEL
Airman Rodney A. Bassel, who holds a BA degree in political science from Southwestern, recently completed a training course for Air Force medical records specialists at Sheppard AFB, Texas.

Bassel is now back in Oklaho-

A communications specialist, Taylor earned the bachelor of science degree from Southwestern. He was honored by his unit for exemplary conduct and duty performance.

The airman’s wife is the former LaVonna Mullennix of Sayre.

LARRY E. RAY
Recently assigned a medical supply specialist at Altus Air Force Base was Airman Larry E. Ray. He holds a BS degree from Southwestern.
Shults Report
Southwestern State College
Department of Public Relations
Weatherford, Oklahoma

Mr. Shelton:
I am not sure that anyone will be greatly interested in ancient history, but, be that as it may, I went to school in the early thirties and re-entered and finished in 1941, along with a few others here and there.

But to bring things up to date: I married Chiquita Matthews, 1936, then a voice instructor at Southwestern. We have three children: Dee, living here and working at University Sound (LTV); Judy, living in New York and singing with the New York City Center Opera Co.; Llewellyn, who attended Southwestern until the summer of 1964. She is now married to a Midwest City boy and lives here.

Chiquita and I both teach in the Midwest City school system, she at East Side Elementary School and I at Carl Albert High School. She is a music specialist and I teach distributive education. I have my master's degree from the University of Oklahoma. We see many old friends from Southwestern, many of whom are teaching in our school system.

My sister, Mary Nelle Hutto, and her husband, Steele, are former Southwestern students and live in Weatherford. Mary Nelle operates the Poise 'n Ivy Shop on the campus, and Steele operates Hutto's Ready to Wear downtown. My other sister, Sammie, and her husband, Arnold Cox, both graduates of Southwestern, live in El Reno. Arnold is superintendent of education at the Federal Reformatory and Sammie teaches an elementary grade in the El Reno public school system.

For the record—I believe I have never missed a Southwestern Homecoming since 1920 (I lived in the town)—with the exception of one year when I was attending Texas Western at El Paso. We plan to be back this year as usual.

We have two sons: Jerry, a sophomore in college, and Charles, a junior in high school. Charles is the athlete—defensive end and kicker, basketball and javelin and shot in track. So we enjoy sports again through him.

We are in the timber division on a tree farm where high lead logging is done. If any Okies head this way, the welcome mat is out and a tour of the tree farm can be arranged. Just call the home phone in advance.

Ralph has been with Crown Zellerbach Corp. for 20-1/2 years—since May, 1947—first in the accounting section and in personnel and safety since 1956. We have lived in Vernon, Ore., and Seaside, Ore., and were transferred to the tip of the Olympic Peninsula in September, 1964. We are practically in the Rain Forest, for our area got 115 inches of rain in 1967. It takes lots of rain to grow big hemlock, spruce and cedar.

We are about as far away as one can get from The Hill, but it was fun to read every line looking for names we knew.

I just wanted to get off a short note to you, to let you know how much I welcomed the alumni newsletter.

I am presently an aviation electronics technician in the Navy, but I definitely plan to return to SWSC and finish my education as soon as my enlistment is up.

Again thanking you for your interesting publication, we remain,
Sincerely yours,
Leonard R. Quattlebaum
300 Fillmore
Wichita Falls, Texas

Echoes Receives Letters

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Thanks again for the letter—we will look forward to all forthcoming ones.
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Route 2, Box 17
Sekiu, Washington 98381

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Dear Staff:
I ran across your September newsletter in the office of the principal where I now work as a teacher's aid.

I attended Southwestern two years, and my husband, Bill Dryden, was one of the "Big Four" on the baseball team at that time. He received his BS there in '56. He is now the high school basketball coach here in our hometown.

We would appreciate it very much if you would add us to your mailing list.
Sincerely,
Mrs. Billy A. Dryden
Box 185
Rush Springs, Okla.

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Rewarding
Dear Millie:
It was a most rewarding and pleasant surprise to receive the January issue of Echoes from The Hill. I was rather busy, when I received the paper, but just couldn't resist the temptation of sitting down and reading the entire issue before returning to work.
I am currently the catalog sales manager for Sears at 4400 South Western in Oklahoma City. My home address is 2601 North Vermont.
Reading about old acquaintances sure brings back pleasant memories. Keep up the good work.
Sincerely,
Paul Nuzum

Add to List
Sirs:
Would you please add Mrs. Carol Farmer Furlong to the mailing list? She was formerly a member of the business faculty. Her address is 3955 Ames, Des Moines, Iowa.
Thank you kindly. I enjoy reading Echoes from The Hill.
Sincerely,
Bessie Lee Blackwell
Frederick, Okla.

We All Make 'Em!
Dear Mr. Shelton:
It seems I've made a terrible mistake about Mr. Ed Allen. In the letter that you printed in the last issue of Echoes...I'm terribly sorry if I have caused you or Mr. Allen any trouble as a result of that letter. I offer my apology to you both.
I'm working as a pharmacist in a downtown drug store.
Sincerely,
Nancy (Sanders) Tardy
BS in Ph., '67
Scenic Drive Marlin Hills
Bloomington, Ind.

Surprised!
To the Editor and Staff:
What a pleasant surprise it was to receive my first copy of the alumni newsletter. Some kind soul must have sent in my name and address. As I want to continue receiving this publication, I am writing to give you my change of address.
I was graduated from SWSC in 1957, married an Air Force pilot and have moved around considerably in the past 10 years. It isn't often I get back to Oklahoma, so I surely have enjoyed reading about past friends and acquaintances.
For personal information, since I didn't receive a form to fill out, I have two children: a boy, Eric, 8 years, and a girl, Kristin, 6 years. I have managed to keep my hand in the education business by either teaching or substituting from Dover, Del., to Alabama, Texas, and Washington state. We have just completed a move to Anchorage, Alaska, where once again I will be teaching (junior high school) and will also be working on and receiving my master's degree in education with a specialization in guidance and counseling from the University of Alaska. My new address is: Mrs. Lloyd J. Jacobson, 21-334 B Lemon Avenue, APO Seattle 98742.
Once again, thank you for sending the newsletter. It has given me a great many pleasurable and nostalgic moments!
Sincerely,
(Mrs.) Janice Brady Jacobson

Moved to Indiana
Dear Echoes:
Greetings from Indiana...
Have enjoyed receiving past issues of Echoes. Having just moved to our (hopefully) permanent address, I wanted to pass it on to you.
I'm enjoying living here in the college town of Bloomington, where my husband is director of employment for Indiana University (enrollment, 28,000). I'm working as a pharmacist in a downtown drug store.
Sincerely,
Nancy (Sanders) Tardy
BS in Ph., '67
Scenic Drive Marlin Hills
Bloomington, Ind.

Bleak and Lonely
Dear Sir:
We enjoy reading Echoes from The Hill when we are in Weatherford visiting my parents, but would enjoy receiving a copy of our own.
Orvil, 10-year-old Michael and I (Jane Sappington) live at 4507 East Frank Phillips Boulevard, Bartlesville, Okla. Orvil is a medical technologist for Drs. Green, Russum and Cochran in the Price Tower. After teaching 8-1/2 years, Jane is now substituting.
Naturally, we enjoy returning for Homecoming, but Orvil and I find it a bit bleak and lonely without a Tri-J breakfast and a Beta Tau Beta reunion. After all those many years, you must realize that there are quite a number who belonged to these two organizations, and it just doesn't seem like a real Homecoming without a chance to get together with these old friends.
We noticed that you were seeking new addresses, so here are a few that you may not have...
(Thanks, Jane. You provided us with four new ones, plus some street changes. For these, you get a subscription to The Westerner.)
Mrs. Orvil Meaders

You're On!
Dear Echoes:
Through the courtesy of a friend, I recently read and enjoyed a copy of Echoes.
I would like very much to be added to your mailing list, since I, too, am a Southwestern graduate.
Mrs. George W. Peeler (Carrie Lee Hill Peeler)
105 East Second
Elk City, Okla.

Teach in Texas
Dear Editor:
Please enter our name on your mailing list for Echoes From The Hill. We both are 1956 graduates of Southwestern, having attended 1952-56, and secured B.S. degrees.
I was formerly Helen Faye Patterson, and my father, Gordon Patterson, is an "old-time" graduate of SWSC. He now is director of secondary education for Mangum, Okla., and will retire at the end of the 1968-69 school term after teaching 41 years in Oklahoma.
Please change our address to 1211 Childress, Wellington, Texas. We enjoy receiving the Echoes from The Hill, and we would like the alumni to know that we are both registered pharmacists.
Sincerely,
Mrs. Eddie Seyler
1536 Sweetbriar
Wichita Falls, Texas

Change Is Noted
Dear Editor:
Please correct my address as follows: Phil A. Cook, Secondary Education Department, Arizona State University, Tempe, Ariz. 85281.
I enjoy hearing news from Southwestern State. Homecoming is almost an impossibility because of distance, however, my thoughts go back to those good days of yesteryear.
Sincerely,
Phil A. Cook
Associate Professor of Education
BA, '48

Address Change
Dear Sirs:
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Charles graduated in 1967 and Judy in 1969, and Charles is employed by Parson Drug, Wellington. Judy works relief for the drug stores in Shamrock, Texas, and also in Wellington...
Thank you,
Charles and Judy Carter
Maurene Stuckey Named
Custer Teacher of Year

Teacher of the Year in Custer County is Miss Maurene Stuckey, Weatherford.

A Southwestern graduate, Miss Stuckey will represent the county in the Oklahoma Teacher of the Year contest next fall.

Wood Picked For Clinton Post

A. G. Wood (BS, ’66) of Cordell has been appointed assistant administrator in charge of administrative services at Oklahoma General Hospital, Clinton.

Wood was promoted to his present position from administrative assistant in accounting.

After graduating from SWSC, he served with the Army until January, 1968, when he was employed by the Clinton hospital.

New office manager for Public Service Co. in Clinton is Duane Ferrell (BS, ’69) of Leedey.

Ferrell and his wife have three children, and they are continuing to reside in Weatherford while Mrs. Ferrell completes studies at Southwestern toward a degree in secondary education.

Leverett Promoted By Mobil Corp.

Lynn A. Leverett, SWSC graduate of 1961, has been promoted to resala area manager for the Mobil Oil Corp, Houston District.

A native of Duke, Lynn was graduated from Altus High School. He and his wife, the former Paula Brock of Hobart, have two children.

Is Your Address Complete, Correct?

The addresses of many persons on Echoes’ mailing list are incomplete, even though delivery is still being made.

Please check your address on this issue. If your name is misspelled, or if the address does not contain your street number or Post Office box number, advise us so that corrections can be made.

SOUTHWESTERN CHEMISTRY Professor Dr. Donald Hamm points out a section of his new book to Dr. Al Harris, SWSC president. “Fundamental Concepts of Chemistry” is the second book by Dr. Hamm, who has been chosen to serve the next school year as “Distinguished Visiting Professor of General Chemistry” at Michigan State University.

Riley Head Cage Coach

Murrell “Buck” Riley, III, former Southwestern student, has completed his first season as head basketball coach at Licking Heights High School in Johnstown, Ohio.

In addition, he is assistant football coach and teaches social studies and physical education.

Riley, who lives at 76 Yardner in Johnstown, is the third son of M. P. Riley Jr. of Upper Sandusky, Ohio, to become a head basketball coach. Both of his brothers, Pat and Mike, and a sister, Mrs. Sarah Wayland, hold degrees from SWSC. Their father also attended here.

Pat (’62) guided Northridge, Ohio, to a Central District title in 1968, and Buck was his assistant there. Mike (’60) is head coach at Bellefontaine and had over 100 victories in seven seasons.

Mrs. Wayland received her degree from Southwestern in 1967.

Wright Is Leaving Verden School Post

Donald R. Wright, superintendent of Verden Schools for the past three years, has resigned effective at the end of the current term.

Holder of a bachelor of science degree from Southwestern, Wright has not announced his future plans.

Mask Buys Store

Connie W. Mask, 1964 graduate of the Southwestern School of Pharmacy, has purchased the Sanger Drug in Sanger, Texas.