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The raising of Ouachita's four flags opened the university's Centennial Year observance, from Founder's Day, Sept. 6, 1985, to Sept. 6, 1986. Gay Anthony, Student Senate president, and Ken Lovelace, senior class president, assisted with the American flag; Lynn Worthen, pastor of Arkadelphia First Baptist, and Dr. M. G. (Bud) Fray, chairman of Religion and Philosophy, with the Christian flag; Arkansas Secretary of State Winston Bryant and political science Professor Emeritus Dr. Bob Riley, with the Arkansas flag. Dr. Daniel R. Grant, president of Ouachita and son of Dr. J. R. Grant, president from 1933-49, and Frances Crawford, employee of the university for more than 50 years as president's secretary, registrar and Former Student secretary, presented the Centennial flag.

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\$500,000 challenge announced by Hickingbotham

Ouachita Baptist University received a strong boost for its Centennial Advancement Program with a half-million dollar challenge grant from the Frank D. Hickingbotham Foundation announced on Friday, September 27. The gift is designated for one of Ouachita's major centennial goals, a two million dollar library improvement project involving construction of a new wing, renovation of the existing Riley Library, strengthening library holdings, and a cooperative project for automation and an electronic link with the nearby H.S.U. library.

Frank D. Hickingbotham, president and chairman of the board of TCBY Enterprises, Inc., the Arkansas-based national frozen yogurt company, presented a check for \$100,000 to President Dan Grant and specified that the additional \$400,000 would be given after the remaining \$1.5 million required for the project has been raised. Mr. Hickingbotham attended Ouachita in the mid 1950s and stated that he had always hoped he would be able to make a significant contribution to the school that provided both academic and spiritual challenges to him. "I am pleased to have a part in strengthening Ouachita and the things for which it stands," he said.

Fall enrollment up 1% over 1984

Fall semester enrollment at Ouachita is 1,414, an increase of one percent over last year, according to Mike Kolb, OBU registrar.

Undergraduate enrollment is 5.9 percent lower than last year, but a record enrollment of graduate students caused the overall increase. The full-time equivalent enrollment is down slightly from last year, said Kolb, as is the size of the entering freshman class, reflecting the continued decline in the number of students graduating from high schools.

Qualitatively, the entering freshman class averaged significantly higher in ACT scores, according to Dr. Mike Arrington, assistant dean of the School of Arts and Sciences, with an increase of more than one full point over the average for the last three years.



Virginia Queen instructs Sherry Hendrickson, junior from Rogers, Ark., in a fine point of the score she is playing.

Funded by Judge and Mrs. Edward Maddox

Virginia Queen appointed to music chair

The Board of Trustees of Ouachita Baptist University approved the appointment of Virginia Queen, professor of music at OBU, to the Addie Mae Maddox Endowed Chair of Music, President Daniel R. Grant announced following a board meeting Thursday, October 10, in Arkadelphia. The endowed chair was funded recently by a gift from Judge and Mrs. Edward Maddox of Harrisburg in honor of his mother Addie Mae Scruggs Maddox.

Dr. Grant said of the appointment, "We are very fortunate to have a teacher-scholar-performer of Virginia Queen's experience and reputation to be the first holder of this endowed chair of music. She is held in high esteem both in the Ouachita community and among her professional peers in Arkansas, and the trustees unanimously approved the recommendation as 'a natural.' We are grateful to Judge and Mrs. Maddox for making this appointment possible."

Queen has been a member of the music

faculty at Ouachita since 1946. She received her bachelor of music and bachelor of arts degrees in music at Ouachita and received her graduate training at Peabody Teachers College, the American Conservatory and the University of Colorado. She also has studied piano under Norman Shetler in Vienna, Austria.

Queen received the "Federation Service Award" from the Arkansas Federation of Music Clubs (AFMC) in 1982, and was named "Outstanding College Teacher" by the Arkansas State Music Teachers Association (ASMTA) in 1979. She also served as state president of the ASMTA from 1981-83, and state president of AFMC from 1956-58.

Judge Maddox serves as Municipal Judge in Harrisburg, where he practiced law from 1935 until the mid-70's. He also served as Municipal Judge in Trumann from 1979 to 1982, was Juvenile Judge in Poinsett County from 1976 to October 1,

1985, and is currently on the Board of Trustees at Ouachita Baptist University. A former mayor of Harrisburg, he was Circuit Judge from 1961 until 1963 for the Second Judicial District and has engaged in extensive farming operations.

He and his wife, Kathryn, previously contributed significantly to the Maddox Public Affairs Center at Ouachita. They are the parents of two children and reside in Harrisburg.

Dr. Charles Wright, dean of the School of Music at Ouachita, said, "I am very pleased that Virginia Queen has been selected to hold the Addie Mae Maddox Chair of Music. For many years she has been at the forefront of music education in Arkansas and at Ouachita Baptist University. It would be impossible to enumerate the many significant contributions made by Virginia Queen to the School of Music and to Ouachita."

Ouachita prepares to host ABSC meeting Nov. 18-20

The largest undertaking of the Ouachita Centennial observance is the hosting of the annual meeting of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention and its accompanying activities, November 18-20, on the university campus. The ABSC, which has met only six times in Arkadelphia since it was organized in 1848, last came here in 1938.

"Strengthening Missions" is the theme of the 1985 session which will be held in the Ouachita Physical Education Center, and "Fire in My Bones" is the theme of the Pastor's Conference which precedes it.

Nilson do Amaral Fanini of Rio de Janeiro, known as the "Billy Graham of Brazil," will speak at both meetings, as will Calvin Miller, pastor and author from Omaha, Neb. The host of program personalities includes Dr. Robert Naylon, retired president of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, and Joe Ford, associate vice president for evangelism for the SBC Home Mission Board.

Dr. Jon Stubblefield, president of the state convention and pastor of Central Baptist Church, Magnolia, Ark., will preside at the ABSC meetings, and Nick Garland, pastor of Second Baptist Church, Hot Springs, will lead the Pastor's Conference.

Dr. Wayne Ward, holder of the Joseph Emerson Brown Chair of Christian Theology at Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, will lead the Bible study. Dr. John Maddox, pastor of Wynne Baptist Church, will preach the convention sermon, and Dr. Don Moore, executive director of ABSC,



will speak Wednesday morning. A number of other pastors are included in the proceedings.

Music will include the Ouachita Band, the Ouachi-Tones, the Music Men/Singing Women of Arkansas, Southern Baptist College Singers, the OBU Choir, the adult choir of Second Church, Hot Springs, plus soloists, ensembles and congregational singing.

Ferrell Morgan, director of missions for Concord Association and president of the ABSC Executive Board, will lead in the presentation of reports of the various agencies of the state convention. Ceremonial

moments, including the parade of flags of the nations, and interspersed business sessions will highlight the event.

Arkansas Baptist Minister's Wives, under the leadership of Mrs. Carolyn Byrum of Scott, will hold their annual meeting on Tuesday in Evans Student Center. The Arkansas Baptist Religious Education Association will meet Monday evening and Tuesday morning at First Baptist Church, Arkadelphia.

The Directors of Missions and the Church Extension Division of the State Missions Department will hold dinner meetings

Tuesday evening preceding the opening session of the convention.

Dr. Ed Coulter, OBU vice president for administration, has coordinated the work of 28 committees preparing for the arrival of the ABSC messengers and visitors.

Churches of the Red River Association, Ouachita students, faculty, staff and the people of Arkadelphia have mobilized to welcome the Arkansas Baptist State Convention, parent body of Ouachita Baptist University, to their school, their homes and their community in this year of Centennial.

1985 HOMECOMING SCHEDULE

Friday, November 22	
6:30 p.m.	Reunion Buffet, O's, 5's and Football Teams, ESC
Saturday, November 23	
8:30 a.m.	'34-'38 Athletes' Breakfast, DeGray Lodge
10:00	Parade
10:45	Student-Alumni Get-Togethers
11:45	Alumni Buffet, ESC Banquet Room
1:30 p.m.	Pregame, A. U. Williams Field
2:00	OBU vs. HSU
4:30	After-Game Reunion Suppers
6:00	EEE 60th Anniversary Dinner, ESC
7:30	SELF Concert: Russ Taff, Mitchell Hall



PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Happy birthday, Ouachita

by Marianne Morrisett Gosser

Happy birthday to you, happy birthday, dear Ouachita. I love birthdays and birthday parties. With five children and one husband there have been 154 birthday celebrations at the Gosser household over the past 25 years. Now this year we get to celebrate a very important birthday for Ouachita. I hope you are making plans to help with birthday parties in your area, and also I hope you are making plans to visit the campus for some of the celebrations.

There is so much excitement and festivity

on the campus. I attended the Centennial Flag Raising Ceremony September 28 and swelled with pride as I looked around and saw that Ouachita was clothed in her party dress. Flowers were blooming everywhere, the grounds were immaculately trimmed, music coming from all areas of the campus and friendly people milling around.

Ouachita, we sing thy praises — the Queen of the College World, Happy Birthday.



Dr. Eileen Southern (right), Harvard University professor, delighted Ouachita students John Hossler, Benita Charles and Patti Thorn during her stay on campus as the opening lecturer in the Birkett Williams series on September 16. She spoke on "Musical Practices of the Black Church: Hymns, Spirituals and Gospel Songs."

Birkett Williams, Second Century grants

Academic department awarded funds for self-study, other projects

Birkett Williams Centennial Grants and Second Century Planning Grants that were awarded at Ouachita last spring embody the Centennial slogan "Our tradition . . . our vision" with a forward look in academic programming.

The annually funded Birkett Williams Lecture Series will also continue this year. The lecture series began in 1978 under the sponsorship of Birkett L. Williams, a deceased Ouachita alumnus from Cleveland, Ohio. Guest lecturers include Dr. Alvin Plantinga, professor of philosophy at the University of Notre Dame in South Bend, Ind., on November 7, and Dr. Martin Rosenberg, vice president for Biopharmaceutical Sciences at Smith, Kline and French Laboratories in Philadelphia, Penn., on April 3. Harvard University's Professor of Music and Afro-American Studies, Eileen Southern, spoke on September 16.

The Birkett Williams Centennial Grants are providing speakers and consultants during the Centennial celebration of the 1985-86 academic year. Last spring Dr. Ken Macrorie of the Breadloaf School of English at Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo, Mich., visited the Ouachita English Department, and Dr. Marvin Alvin, Chairman of the Department of Information Systems at Western Kentucky University in Bowling Green, conducted a workshop in the Division of Business and Economics.

Psychology

The fall semester included evaluations in

the Psychology Department by Dr. Charles Brewer, professor of psychology at Furman University in Greenville, S.C., and the Carl Goodwon Honors Program by Dr. Patricia Pinson of the Union University, Jackson, Tenn.

School of Music

Miss Shirlee Emmons of Boston University, Mass., and Mr. Stanley Sonntag of Manhattanville College in New York City performed a recital and conducted master classes for School of Music students October 10-11.

Chemistry

Dr. Arthur Fry of the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville is a consultant in the Chemistry Department in November. Dr. Francis Paul Prucha, professor of history at Marquette University in Milwaukee, Wis., and a leading specialist on the history of American Indians, will be on campus visiting the Department of History in March.

Philosophy

A Birkett Williams Conference, "Teaching Philosophy at Baptist Colleges," will be conducted April 17-19 with Dr. Robert Baird and Dr. Elmer Duncan of Baylor University and Dr. John Newport of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Tex.

The School of Music will research and plan the structure for computer-aided in-

struction (CAI) in the department through consultation with an expert in CAI programs and a faculty visit to North Texas State University in Denton, Tex., to observe one of the largest and most successful CAI music programs in the nation.

Political Science

Ouachita's department of political science will conduct a self-study in preparation for a February departmental evaluation by Dr. John Jackson, dean of liberal arts at Southern Illinois University in Carbondale and a '62 Ouachita alumnus.

The department is also planning activities for the Maddox Public Affairs Center at OBU in the areas of conference programs, internships and denominational service opportunities for students of political science.

Business and Economics

In the Business and Economics division, faculty members will be attending the Southwest Federation of Administrative Disciplines (SWFAD) Convention March 12-15 in Dallas, Tex.

Riley Library

Ouachita's library will utilize the Second Century Planning Grant by funding travel for a library committee to view model libraries in the St. Louis, Mo., and Dallas/Ft. Worth, Tex., metropolitan areas. According to Dr. Ray Granade, associate pro-

fessor of history and director of library services in Riley Library, the objective of the trips is to determine "features and facilities we would like to see in the addition to and renovation of Riley Library."

The Department of Psychology faculty is planning to attend a conference on "Teaching Psychology," sponsored by the University of Illinois for information and integration of the findings from Dr. Charles Brewer's earlier visit.

Dr. Arthur Holmes, Chairman of the Philosophy Department at Wheaton College in Wheaton, Ill., is invited to evaluate Ouachita's Department of Philosophy March 10-12. Also, faculty members will visit three other philosophy departments of small liberal arts colleges.

Natural Sciences

Ouachita's Division of Natural Sciences will evaluate its own Health Professions Program and Student Advising Program, as well as visit other campuses to examine various programs.

The Department of Chemistry will conduct a year-long study of the curriculum in chemistry at Ouachita. The department will be compared with the standards of the American Chemical Society, and faculty members will travel to other schools to take an in-depth look of other curricula. A faculty retreat is planned to develop five- and ten-year plans to improve the department's curriculum.

Dr. Ed Kiser commutes from Springdale to teach business at OBU

by Terry Melson
OBU Senior

Dr. Ed Kiser saunters into his Business Management class each Tuesday and Thursday and greets his students with a sonorous "Good morning, class." His eyes are keen, but his gentle manner could deceive the unwise into thinking him unobservant.

In one of his Tuesday class periods he told the students that he had just been to a weekly prayer meeting in the cafeteria. He even hinted that it would not upset him very much to open each class period with prayer.

On the first day of class Dr. Kiser talked about the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville where he had been teaching for the past 21 years. He noted that at Ouachita teachers and students are not ashamed of their Christianity and practice it openly, a fact that played a major part in his decision to teach at OBU.

One specific thing that impressed him was when a teacher opened the faculty meeting he was attending with a word of prayer.

"If that had happened at Fayetteville," he said, "half of the faculty would have raised up an arm and said, 'I'll sue.'"

Dr. Kiser had just retired from the University of Arkansas and was trying to decide what to do with his leisure time when Dr. Tom Turner, vice president for academic affairs at Ouachita, called him and



asked if he would be interested in a job.

Dr. Turner made arrangements for him to fly down from Fayetteville and take a look at the school. After seeing the open display of Christianity among the faculty and students, Dr. Kiser decided to join the staff "for a year or maybe more."

It would have been interesting to see the look on Dr. Turner's face when Dr. Kiser told him, "You don't have to pay me anything. Use my salary for scholarships or to buy books for the library." They later negotiated a deal in which Dr. Kiser would be

flown down to Little Rock from Springdale each week and given meals and a place to live.

Dr. Kiser has a mini-apartment in Cone-Bottoms dormitory. Teasingly, he says that all the male students are jealous because he gets to live so close to the girls.

Although Dr. Kiser is a gentle and saintly looking person now, his past was not quite so peaceful. During World War II he was a fighter pilot in the Pacific, credited with shooting down 15 planes, qualifying him as a "Triple Ace."

After about a year in Australia he was permitted to return to America. Two weeks later he married a young lady whom he had met in San Antonio. The Air Force next sent him to a training base in Florida to instruct other fighter pilots.

A couple of years later he was sent to Europe where he was a member of the first group of Americans to reach Omaha Beach during the Normandy invasion.

From there he went to Paris and began flying missions to support General George Patton's Army. He also took part in bombing bridges, oil deposits and factories inside Germany.

In September 1944 he returned to America and decided to reenter college. Before joining the Air Force he had attended Samford Baptist College in Birmingham, Ala. Once he was back home, however, he decided to go to Stanford University in California. In 1947 he received his BA degree in

business administration and a year and a half later, his MA degree from the University of Texas at Austin.

Dr. Kiser worked for a chemical company for the next six or seven years and then returned to the University of Texas. In

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1955 he received his Ph.D. in business administration.

He has worked with several companies and taught at three universities since then and has become a distinguished personality in his field. Dr. Kiser has had several magazine and newspaper articles written about him including a story in "Life" magazine.

So why did he choose to come teach at a small, private university like Ouachita?

He says, "It's a different world here than where I've worked in the secular world, and I feel that God led me here."

Paul and Virginia Henry academic grants announced for 1985-86

The Paul and Virginia Henry Academic Enrichment Grants have been awarded for the 1985-86 academic year at Ouachita with a total of \$7,380 being offered "to stimulate creative approaches to teaching," said Dr. Randy Smith, chairman of the grants committee.

This is the tenth year that the University and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Henry of Batesville have jointly endowed the program, directed toward student-related activities rather than faculty research.

The proposals are submitted by faculty members on a competitive basis for innovative programs including off-campus experiences for the students, supplementary equipment purchases and interdisciplinary studies.

The proposals are reviewed first by the awards committee, including Dr. Thomas Turner, vice president of academic affairs, with final awardment left to OBU President Dr. Daniel R. Grant. Recipients of the grants are expected to submit reports of completed projects to the committee.

An award of \$750 was given to Dr. Tom Auffenberg to take the Carl Goodson Honors Program students to Ft. Worth, Tex., for a fall retreat, Nov. 8-10. They will travel in the University bus and visit the Dallas Museum of Fine Art, the Kimball Museum, the Amon Carter Museum of Western Art, Dallas Museum of Natural History, and the Ft. Worth Symphony Orchestra.

Dr. Mike Arrington was awarded \$1,200 to take military science cadets and history majors on a study tour of the Virginia battlefields and historical sites during the 1986 spring break. They will visit Appamatox, Yorktown, Williamsburg, and Washington, D.C.

A grant of \$1,200 was given to Mrs. Pam Arrington to take several early childhood education majors to the Southern Association for Children Under Six regional meeting in Orlando, Fla., March 20-24. They will attend panel discussions and conference sessions.

Gene Ellis was awarded \$500 to buy novels and rent films for his new honors course dealing with the relationships between the two mediums. The course will be offered in the spring semester.

Dr. Richard Mills was awarded \$715 to fund the development and publication of the directory of social services available to Clark County residents. This directory is the semester project for his research problems class.

A grant of \$1,000 was awarded to Dr. Everett Slavens to take history and political science students to the Midwest Model United Nations in St. Louis, Feb. 18-21.

Dr. Kathy Whipple received a \$1,200 grant to take students to the Convention of the American Speech Hearing Association in Washington, D.C., Nov. 22-25.

Dr. Randy Smith received an \$820 grant to take students to the Southwestern Psychological Association Convention in Ft. Worth, Tex., April 17-19.



Autograph party scheduled

Dr. Michael E. Arrington, assistant dean of the school of arts and sciences and associate professor of history, held an autograph party at the Centennial Showcase on campus September 28 introducing his book, "Ouachita Baptist University: The First 100 Years." A double autograph party is scheduled for Homecoming morning, Saturday, November 23, in the Evans Student Center Lobby, immediately following the parade at 10 a.m. and preceding the alumni buffet at 11:45. Dr. Arrington and Dr. William E. Downs, chairman of the department of communications and public relations director, who joined with Dr. Arrington in the production of a pictorial version of the more scholarly history, will be available to sign the hardback and softback editions of this book. Mrs. Betty Jo Grant, wife of Ouachita president Dr. Daniel Grant, will autograph copies of the Centennial edition of her cookbook, "Expressions of Love from B. J.'s Kitchen," at the same time.

When you're on campus, please sign register

Two Centennial Guest Registers have been prepared for "Alumni" and "Friends" who visit the Ouachita campus during this historic year.

Bound in purple Morocco and embossed with the Centennial logo in gold, they are displayed at campus events for any and all to sign, under the two categories. Alumni includes all of those who have attended Ouachita, graduates, former and present students. Friends include family members, Trustees, Development Council, or whoever else feels an interest in Ouachita.

The Alumni register is tabbed by decades so that returning Ouachitonians can see at a glance who of their college era has signed.

Between outings at large campus events, the twin registers stay in the office of the Former Students Association on the first floor of Flenniken Hall, available for signatures during any working day.

Dr. Grant reappointed regional chairman of Truman panel

Dr. Daniel R. Grant, Ouachita president, has been reappointed as Chairman of the Nashville, Tenn., Regional Review Panel for the Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation, according to Malcolm C. McCormack, executive secretary of the foundation in Washington, D.C.

The Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation is a permanent education program, designated by the Congress of the United States, to provide opportunities for outstanding college and university students to prepare for careers in public service.

To be eligible for the scholarship, which provides up to \$5,000 annually for four years, a student must be a college junior, project an outstanding potential for leadership in government, have a grade point average of at least a 'B' and be in the upper fourth of his or her class.

The Nashville regional review panel, of which Dr. Grant is chairman and which does not include Arkansas in its jurisdiction, is composed of prominent scholars and public officials who review and recommend state winners to the Harry S. Truman Scholarship Board of Trustees for consideration as recipients of the Truman Scholar honors on a national basis.

Southwestern Bell switching system helps Ouachita

Ouachita is benefitting directly from a \$2.4 million investment Southwestern Bell Telephone Company has made recently in the Arkadelphia area, designed to encourage new industry.

The company has installed a digital exchange network known as #5 Electronic Switching System (SESS), which is the most technologically advanced of its kind in the world. Only two such systems are operating in Arkansas.

Ouachita now will be able to hook into electronic libraries and data banks to send and receive virtually any information needed in any form desired.

In recent years Southwestern Bell Telephone has contributed more than \$40,000 directly to Ouachita.

32 companies make matching gifts

The following companies made matching gifts to Ouachita Baptist University in the fiscal year ending May 31, 1985, in response to gifts made by employees of respective companies. Some of the companies matched dollar for dollar, some matched two for one, and some even three for one. Furthermore, those with an asterisk made gifts to Ouachita over and above matching gifts of employees.

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- Cities Service Oil & Gas Corporation
- The Dow Chemical Company
- Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States
- Exxon Corporation
- The Firestone Tire & Rubber Company
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- Mrs. Lloyd Anthony by Mr. and Mrs. James C. Sanders and Family
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- Miss Hillary Kirkham by Mr. and Mrs. James M. Conard
- Miss Florence E. Marler by Mrs. J. O. Hobgood
- Mr. Paul Meers by Mr. Nelson Eubank
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- Dr. and Mrs. Marion "Bud" Fray
 - by Mr. and Mrs. James C. Sanders and Family
 - Dr. Tom Greer by Pulaski Heights Baptist Church, Little Rock, Arkansas

Roger Harrod: A tax credit better than a deduction

Dear Alumni and Friends:

If your gift to Ouachita is postmarked December 31, 1985, or earlier, and if you pay Arkansas Income Tax, you are entitled to a credit on that tax. A credit is much better than a deduction in that it actually reduces the amount of tax owed. A deduction only reduces the amount of income on which tax is paid.

THIS CREDIT WAS MADE AVAILABLE FOR GIFTS TO ARKANSAS COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES by Act 30 of the First Extraordinary Session of the Arkansas Legislature, 1985; but unless reenacted, it is only available in '85 and '86. So, please act in '85 and again in '86. Gifts for athletic purposes are excluded.

It works like this:

—Couples Filing Jointly:

Gift of \$606.00 X credit of 33% = maximum credit of \$200.00

Gift of \$100.00 X credit of 33% = credit of \$33.00

(If your gift is \$606.00, you can actually deduct \$200.00 from taxes you would otherwise pay to Arkansas. If your gift is less than \$606.00, simply multiply your gift by 33% to determine the amount you can subtract from your tax.)

—Taxpayer Filing Individual Return:

Gift of \$303.00 X credit of 33% = maximum credit of \$100.00

Gift of \$100.00 X credit of 33% = credit of \$33.00

(If your gift is \$303.00, you can subtract \$100.00 from your Arkansas taxes. If your gift is less than \$303.00, simply multiply your gift by 33% to determine the amount you can subtract from your tax.)

—Corporations:

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The appropriate form to attach to your Arkansas Income Tax return will be mailed by Ouachita to Arkansas residents in January. If you live out of state but pay Arkansas income taxes, please notify the development office for certification of your gift.

Sincerely,
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Direct mail ads win national award

Last year's annual fund mailing, the three installment "talking computer," won an Award of Excellence in the Direct Mail Campaign category from the National Advertising Agency Network. Cranford Johnson Robinson Associates of Little Rock designed the winning pieces for OBU's library campaign.



Don Ross, a former student of the '40s whose father was a professor of military science at Ouachita from 1934-38, examines his collection of West African artifacts which he loaned recently for display in the library and student center showcases. Ross, retired as a petrophysicist and living in Arkadelphia, was a training coordinator for Mobil Oil in Nigeria and an advisor to the Norway State Oil Company. He continues his international interest as a representative of American Intercultural Student Exchange (AISE).

Betty Jo Grant to autograph 'B.J.'s' cookbook

A recipe book entitled "Expressions of Love from B.J.'s Kitchen" compiled by Mrs. Betty Jo Grant, wife of Ouachita President Dr. Daniel R. Grant, is now on sale with the proceeds going toward a project sponsored by the OBU Women's Club.

The 197-page cookbook carries an assortment of recipes and entertainment hints gathered from Mrs. Grant's personal collection, her family and friends.

The books were intended originally as 1984 Christmas gifts for family and friends. In the process, Mrs. Grant personally paid for commercial printing of 400 extra books for sale by the Women's Club with proceeds going to the organization. The books were a sellout, and the second edition of 1,000 copies, issued recently in honor of OBU's Centennial year, may be purchased by the public for the cost of \$7 by mail and \$6 if purchased on campus through the University bookstore or the OBU Former Students Association office.

The Women's Club is considering several projects to further highlight the goals of Ouachita's 100th birthday year, now in progress. Mrs. Grant will autograph copies of the cookbook on Saturday, November 23, in the foyer of Evans Student Center at OBU from 10:45 to 11:45 a.m., following OBU's Homecoming parade through downtown Arkadelphia. Persons desiring to order a cookbook may write or contact Mrs. Agnes Coppenger, administrative secretary of the OBU Former Students Association and Placement Director, at P.O. Box 3762, Arkadelphia, AR 71923, or by calling (501) 246-4531, ext. 576.



Mrs. Grant in her kitchen

12 new faculty members announced for 1985-86

Twelve new faculty members have joined Ouachita for the 1985-86 academic year, according to Dr. Thomas Turner, vice president for academic affairs and dean of the School of Arts and Sciences.

Eladio P. Bolanos, appointed as Assistant Professor of Spanish, has a B.A. degree from Cedarville College, B.D. degree from Bethel Theological Seminary and M.A. from the University of North Carolina.

Thomas L. Bush, who holds both the B.A. and M.A. degrees from Harding University, has been appointed as an Instructor in Education.

Dr. Marion G. Fray has been appointed

as Professor of Religion and Director of the Center for Christian Ministries. He holds B.A. and D.D. degrees from Ouachita and a Th.D. degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Scott Holsclaw, Instructor of Speech and Drama, has a B.A. degree from the University of Kentucky at Lexington, and the M.R.E. degree from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Dr. Ed Kiser has joined the faculty as Visiting Distinguished Professor of Business Administration. He holds a B.A. degree from Stanford University, an M.B.A. degree from the University of Texas at Austin, and a Ph.D. degree from UT-A.

Captain Michael McGuire has joined the faculty as Instructor of Military Science. He is a graduate of OBU.

Dr. Harold Mitchell has been appointed as Missionary-in-Residence. He holds a B.S. degree from Henderson State University and the D.D.S. degree from the University of Tennessee.

Russell Rainbolt, Assistant Professor of Mathematics and Computer Science, holds a B.S. degree from Louisiana Polytechnic Institute and an M.A.T. degree from the University of Virginia.

Douglas Reed, new Instructor in Political Science, received a B.A. degree from

Southwestern Oklahoma State University and the M.A. degree from the University of Missouri at Columbia.

Judee Royston joins the Ouachita faculty as Instructor of Mathematics and Computer Science. She holds both the B.S.E. and M.S.E. degrees from OBU.

Opal Shepherd, Instructor of Education, has B.S.E. and M.S.E. degrees from HSU.

Jim Veneman, Instructor in Communications and Public Relations Associate, holds the B.A. degree from OBU and the M.A. degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Governor's Scholars enroll at Ouachita for fall term

Nine recipients of the 1985 Governor's Scholars Awards, two of whom have also received National Merit Finalist recognition, are enrolled for the fall semester at Ouachita, according to Randy Garner, director of admissions counseling at OBU.

"We are very pleased that these nine outstanding students have decided to attend Ouachita," said Garner. "I believe their choice of enrolling at Ouachita underscores our desire at OBU to attract top flight students who are committed to our twin goals of academic and Christian excellence."

One hundred Arkansas high school students have been named 1985 Governor's Scholars and each will receive \$2,000 a year for four years of undergraduate study at public or private colleges and universities in the state.

The recipients of the Governor's Scholar Award are: Carrie M. Cowling of Arkadelphia (National Merit Finalist); Lanelle A. Ayers of Ashdown (National Merit Finalist); Jeff Power of Morrilton; Sandra E. Shull of Hughes; Kecia S. Stewart of Conway; Michael P. Ball of Danville; Michelle Duncan of Prescott; Chris Lawson of El Dorado; and Martha Jo Leonard of Star City.

The Arkansas Department of Higher Education said 915 candidates competed for the 100 scholarships this year — the second year of the Governor's Scholar program, which was established for superior students by the 1983 special legislative session. Governor Bill Clinton sponsored the legislation creating the scholarships, which are intended to encourage the state's best high school students to remain in Arkansas for their college education.

The 1985 winners' average grade point average was 3.942 (out of a possible 4.00 system), with 62 ranked first in their classes and 27 having received National Merit Scholar recognition, according to the department.

Governor's Scholars at Ouachita



Carrie Cowling



Lanelle Ayers



Jeff Power



Sandra Shull



Kecia Stewart



Michael Ball



Michelle Duncan



Chris Lawson



Martha Jo Leonard

Sports camp for children set for OBU in 1986

The Ouachita campus is one of seven locations for Crosspoint, a new Southern Baptist Convention sports camp for children and younger youth, to be held for the first time during the summer of 1986.

The Ouachita camp, one of ten to be held at seven locations, will be July 7-12.

Sponsored by the Sunday School Board's church recreation department, the week-long camp will offer beginner and intermediate skill development in one of six sports for boys and girls who have completed the fourth through eighth grades.

Sports to be offered include basketball, baseball, football, tennis, gymnastics and soccer.

According to Don Mattingly, Crosspoint coordinator, sports instruction will be offered on three skill levels — beginner, advanced beginner and intermediate.

ELDERHOSTEL: Senior adult program to focus on Ouachita and state history

Have you, as an alumnus or alumna, ever wanted to relive your student days at Ouachita? Elderhostel, March 23-29, 1986, on campus will fill your nostalgic desire. This international educational program for senior adults, now in its seventh year at Ouachita, is focused this year on the Ouachita Centennial and the Arkansas Sesqui-centennial.

Cone-Bottoms could again (or for the first time, you males) be your campus home for a week. You will have three courses to choose from, or you may choose them all. All campus services will be available to you as to every other student. You will eat in the cafeteria. You may bring a roommate or have one assigned.

The courses offered March 23-29 are "Arkansas and Ouachita: Two Birthdays"

by Dr. Mike Arrington who wrote the recently published history of Ouachita and collaborated in the historical viewbook; "Confederate Washington," the most popular and most repeated Elderhostel course; and "Family Tree," a course in genealogical research by Dr. Ray Granada, Director of the Library. In addition to other extracurricular activities there will be a field trip to Old Washington Historical State Park and the S.A.R.A. Archives.

Plans are being developed for other courses for the weeks of June 8-14, June 15-21, June 22-28, and October 12-18. The June 8-14 program will be an intensive course on the history of Old Washington with daily trips and classes in the Park. The June 15-21 week will again focus on the school's and state's birthdays. A wider

variety of other courses for the other dates are being selected for your enjoyment.

Ouachita will again offer a \$30 discount to Ouachita alumni and their spouses. The cover-all reservation, room, board, tuition, field trip and extracurricular fee for March 23-29 will be \$195, minus discount. For all other dates the overall fee before discount will be the national uniform Elderhostel fee of \$205. All quotations are for double occupancy; an additional \$15 in March will be charged for single rooms.

Persons may register through Ouachita Elderhostel, OBU Box 3727, Arkadelphia, AR 71923 or through Elderhostel National, 100 Boylston St., Boston, MA 02116. The \$30 reservation fee will hold a place and apply to overall cost.



Alaskan mountain named to honor Charles Strickland

There's a mountain in Alaska with a special meaning for Ouachita since it was named "Mt. Strickland" in August in honor of the late Charles Strickland, former manager of the Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge.

Strickland, who died in 1984 of a mid-life heart attack, was the father of four sons, three of them Ouachitonians, and the brother of Mrs. Mel Wasson (Lillian, '50), Mrs. Bill Vining (Ann, f.s. '51) and his twin, Mrs. Kendall Hunter (Charlotte), OBU nurse.

Mrs. Strickland, the former Sara Russels whom he married in 1959, is an Arkadelphia native. The family is shown against the mountain background: (left) Russell ('84), an oil company accountant living in Alaska; Mrs. Strickland; David, a petroleum engineering student at Louisiana Tech; Charles Watkins (Watty, '84), a petroleum engineer in Alaska, and Billy Ray, a present OBU junior.

Mrs. Vining and Mrs. Hunter were present for the ceremony, as were Leanne Sandifer ('85), employed for the summer in Alaska, and Cheryl Washbrikoff, a sophomore and Kodiak native.

Ouachitonians star in Baptist-sponsored Brazilian Olympics

Three Ouachitonians starred in the Olympics this summer — the Third Royal Ambassador Olympics in Brazil, that is.

Neal Guthrie ('64), Brotherhood Director of the Arkansas Baptist State Convention, took two Ouachita athletes, Lance Cansdale, a junior, and Jerry Bridges, a 1985 graduate, to assist him in a mission project linking Arkansas and the Amazon region of Brazil. The three-year partnership is known as AMAR, and the purpose of the trip was for the men to share their testimonies, demonstrate their skills, meet with churches, and assist the missionaries in every way they could be used.

Lance Cansdale, a native of British Columbia, Canada, recently won the National Championship in the mile swim. In Brazil he accepted a challenge to swim the Topajaos River, about a mile wide, at Santarem, Para. He won over about 20 Brazilians with a time of 23 minutes, 3.5 minutes ahead of his closest competition. He also helped with the swimming events in Belem and played on the missionary basketball team.

Jerry Bridges, from Hot Springs, Ark., a point guard for the Tiger basketball team for four years, helped pull together the missionary team, used his skills to share his Christian experience, and distributed Bibles and tracts to thousands of young men at the games.

Both men readily and enthusiastically related their experience with Christ and the importance of the Lord's leadership in their daily lives.

M.B.S.F. HOMECOMING

All M.B.S.F. alumni are invited to a program and luncheon on Saturday, November 23, 1985, at Baring Cross Missionary Baptist Church, 1511 Walnut St., Arkadelphia.

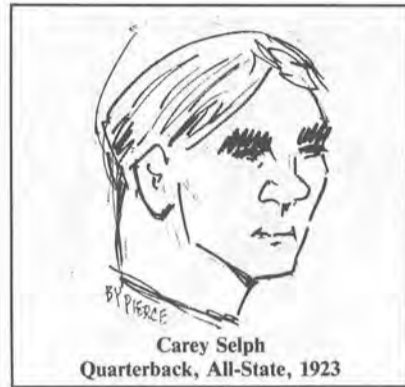
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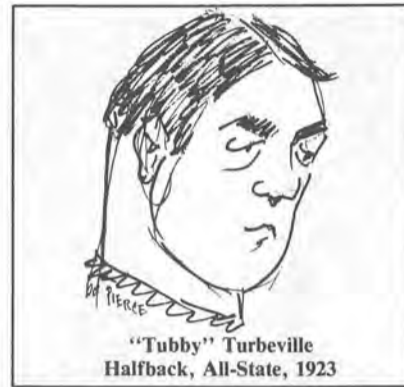
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Center, All-State, 1923



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Fullback, All-State, 1923



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Quarterback, All-State, 1923



"Tubby" Turbeville
Halfback, All-State, 1923

Former student remembers athletes from his days here in 1923-24

Linwood W. Pierce, a former student of 1923-24, has expressed his appreciation of his year at Ouachita in the form of sketches of the football players he still remembers. The nearly 80-year-old Pierce recalls, "Ouachita had a great football team that year, and the school spirit was tremendous."

Financial problems cut short his college career. He went to California where he eventually located and has been a sign-writer and artist over the years.

He writes, "The one year spent at Ouachita takes a first in pleasant memories of my past. R.O.T.C. at school and six weeks during the summer of '24 at Ft. Snelling, Minn., helped me greatly in my life throughout the years."

Further recollections include: "Dr. Dickens, a truly great man, was President. Mrs. Blake, English, was a remarkable lady. Dr. Winburn was Baptist minister. His son Hardy was a friend of mine whom I admired very much. There was a Capt. Porter, U.S. Army, and a hard-boiled but quite lovable old sergeant who also coached the track team."

Five years ago he visited Arkansas and drove through the campus which he found "beautiful and modern." He remembers his year at Ouachita as "an important little segment" of his life.

CENTENNIAL SHOWCASE

Campus-wide celebration attracts big crowd



Dr. Joe Jeffers

Jeffers awarded NSF grant for science series

Dr. Joe Jeffers, professor of chemistry at Ouachita, has been awarded a \$19,700 grant from the National Science Foundation for the purpose of publishing a weekly column in small town newspapers entitled "Common Science."

"The column will present the common sense side of everyday science as well as new and emerging science and technology," explained Dr. Jeffers. "It will be in an easily understood and readable style that should appeal to adults as well as students."

The target age group is specifically grades 5-9. "It offers students an opportunity for out-of-class enrichment, which the teachers may wish to expand on in class." Dr. Jeffers also hopes that the parents of these students will take an interest in the column and serve as guides for their children.

"I chose small towns for the reason that there are many enrichment possibilities to city dwellers that aren't readily available to small towns, museums for instance. I know small town papers reach people that big city dailies do not."



The Ouachita Showcase picnic and Jerry Clower Show on September 28 were the University's way of saying "Thank You" to the Arkadelphia community for its 100 years of loyal support. (UPPER LEFT) Continuous musical entertainment outdoors and in, at Mabee Fine Arts, helped the festive atmosphere. (UPPER RIGHT) Shane Englebrecht, a junior and son of military parents now in El Paso, Tex., performed in the Chemistry Magic Show under the approving eyes of Dr. Wayne Everett, chairman of the division of natural science. (LOWER LEFT) Dr. Randy Smith, chairman of the department of psychology, intrigues Steven Granade, son of Ouachita librarian Dr. Ray Granade, with a close-up view of a trained rat. (CENTER) Mrs. Emma Jean Turner (background), associate professor of business, encouraged visitors in a "hands on" experience with computers. (LOWER RIGHT) President and Mrs. Daniel Grant visit with students during the barbecue supper preceding the Jerry Clower Show in the Physical Education Center. There were 40 demonstrations, exhibits and entertainment events throughout the campus following the Centennial flag-raising in front of Grant Hall.

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The following list might be appropriately labeled "Concerned Alumni and Friends for a Better Ouachita." Your gifts mean just that, and we thank you! This year's total of gifts is the second largest in the history of Ouachita, and we trust that your participation brought you considerable personal satisfaction.

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Ouachita seniors Lori Webb of Texarkana, Lynn Segerstrom of Ida Grove, Ia., Terry Melson of Ashdown, Ark., and Regina Sullivan of Benton, Ark., have learned the fine art of the Japanese tea ceremony from their year in Japan as Ouachita-Seinan Gaukin exchange students. Lori went independently, with help from churches and individuals, while the other girls were assisted with Japanese exchange scholarships from Ouachita.

Except for the raw fish . . . Exchange student's year in Japan a good experience

by John R. Schirmer

What's the first thing you think of when someone mentions Japan? A different language? Hiroshima or Nagasaki? Maybe even geisha girls or eating unusual foods, such as raw fish?

If someone mentions Japan to Terry Melson, the Ouachita senior will immediately recall 11 months she spent there as an exchange student — 11 special months that changed her outlook on the Far East nation.

Terry attended college in Fukuoka through an exchange program between Ouachita Baptist University and Seinan-Gakuin University. The Nashville, Ark., native quickly discovered that there would be a few problems in communicating with the people in Japanese, even after she had studied the language.

But she also learned another lesson. By developing close ties with many of the students and other Japanese, Terry made this discovery: "Even if we couldn't understand each other's language, we could understand each other's heart. That was very rewarding for me."

After living in Japan from late August last year until the end of July, Terry had "mixed feelings when it came time to come home." Although she wanted to see her sister and friends in the United States, "I didn't want to leave my friends in Japan." She hopes to go back in two or three years.

Ouachita's exchange program with Seinan began in 1974. Each year three students from OBU to go Japan, and three Japanese students make the journey to Arkadelphia.

Although she took about 35 hours at Seinan, they did not count toward her double major at Ouachita. She did receive credit for the hours, however, and they were figured into her grade point average at OBU.

The classes at Seinan, a school of 7,000 students, were difficult, according to Terry. "I had to study a lot." She had 1½ hours of Japanese language each day. Some of her other classes dealt with Japanese economics, business management, government, history, religion and intercultural communication.

Most of the teachers were Japanese who spoke English, and all classes were taught in English.

Even though Terry made an intense study of Japanese, "for the first three or four months, I couldn't really communicate," she recalled. "I could tell my name but couldn't make sentences or have a complete conversation."

Terry had never taken Japanese before going to Fukuoka. Her instructor at Seinan taught grammar and very little vocabulary at first, she said. He also taught "a lot of Chinese characters."

"You don't have to speak Japanese to get along," Terry said. "I chose to learn it and mingle with the people."

By the end of school in May, Terry communicated well enough to teach conversational English to a class of Japanese doctors, businessmen and other professionals. Many of them planned to come to the United States and wanted to learn English.

Working with them was easy, she said. "I was paid to talk."

The Japanese school system uses a different calendar, but the American students at Seinan had a special schedule allowing them to start in September and finish in May.

When the Americans arrived, the sponsors of the programs were "so kind. They tried to make things comfortable for me."

The first apartment Terry had was traditional, with a straw-matted floor and a bed called a *futon*. The straw floor is the reason

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Japanese remove their shoes when entering a house, Terry said. "When I got back it felt weird going in with shoes on."

Her second apartment was more like one found in the United States.

The sponsors helped the students select their apartments, showed them various shopping areas, went with the Americans to help exchange their money for *yen*, and helped them open bank accounts.

While in Japan, Terry attended services at a Baptist church near the university. The evening worship was conducted in English and Japanese, while the morning services were only in Japanese.

She visited two other Baptist churches as well.

"It was neat to meet all of the missionaries and see where our money [from Southern Baptist churches] goes," Terry said.

Five or six times, Terry gave her Christian testimony to Japanese congregations.

She usually presented it in English through an interpreter. However, before she left "I told it in Japanese. It took a long time to

get ready. People understood it and were touched by it."

Terry shared her experience of becoming a Christian and also told of a 1982 tornado which killed her mother and younger sister Dedra.

Even though she had presented the testimony before, "when I heard it in Japanese . . . it was kind of tough. It was a little more difficult to give in Japanese because the words were so strong."

Terry shared her testimony with several different audiences, including some women's groups similar to those found among Baptist churches in the United States.

Japan is about two percent Christian, Terry said. "If a Japanese becomes a Christian, it causes a lot of problems."

The predominant religion in Japan is a mixture of Buddhism and Shintoism. Many of the Japanese young people think religion is outdated and have little to do with it, she noted.

They like American music, clothes and ideas but hold little regard for their Japanese customs.

Terry visited several shrines and saw two large statues of Buddha. The bronze images "were just awesome," she said.

The stay in Japan gave Terry the opportunity to travel to many well-known locations. She visited Hiroshima and Nagasaki and saw the results of the nuclear bombs dropped there 40 years ago.

The people "have a peaceful outlook." They had no hostility toward me and were very kind and nice. I was surprised to find how much they admire Americans."

Terry spent a week in Tokyo, where she went to the Japanese Disneyland. She also saw the ice festival in Sapporo, where there were ice sculptures "as big as houses."

The weather around Fukuoka, in southern Japan, was about the same as in Arkansas, Terry said.

Terry said it is "good to be home and be able to understand" what everyone says and "go into a restaurant and understand the menu."

However, she found it hard to leave Fukuoka.

As a result of her stay in Japan, Terry feels her studies at Ouachita will take on a new meaning. "I can see how important my classes are for the future. I want to really learn things in class."

Terry found that Americans have many misconceptions about Japan, and she learned to communicate with people despite language barriers.

Eating raw fish, however, is another story.

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CLASS NOTES

1905

Dr. **Thomas Lee Ballenger**, Professor Emeritus and retired head of the History Department at Northeastern Oklahoma State University in Tahlequah, goes on making his own history during this centennial year at Ouachita.

The Oklahoma school's public relations director did a video-tape of Dr. Ballenger for Dr. Bill Downs, Ouachita's public relations director, who has labored valiantly to present Ouachita's history pictorially and through audio recording.

Dr. Ballenger, who has been at Northeastern almost as long as the school itself, has been honored by that school with a "History of the University" reception, and the naming of the reading room in the library in his honor.

When Mrs. Cecil Shuffield's brother (**Mildred Watkins**, f.s. '30) visited him recently, he found him on a stool in the yard, pulling grass and weeds. He is 102, looking forward to his birthday on December 22. He walks on crutches, but his mind is keen, and he still has a love for people. His wife, Mildred, a former teacher, died several months ago, and his only son, Tom L., and his wife have moved in with him.

Ouachita salutes its outstanding graduate of 80 years ago!

1917

Mrs. Vera Edwards, widow of **Ross Edwards** ('28), has presented Ouachita with a totally marvelous scrapbook compiled by her brother-in-law, and senior class president, Joe Keith Edwards. The memory book, a handsome production of Intercollegiate Press, is entitled "Footprints of Fellowship," and dedicated to his alma mater.

Although Keith lost an arm at the shoulder when he was 15, he could tackle anything anyone else could, his sister-in-law claims, including football, and the careful filling of every page of the book with photographs, autographs, programs, ticket stubs, postcards, notes, and every conceivable documentation of a rich college experience.

There are records of a hike from his home in Booneville to Arkadelphia, another from Arkadelphia to Hot Springs, and Sunday afternoon walks out to the Unity Community and beyond. There were Baracca Sunday School class picnics, outings at the Bluff, reference to faculty, staff, and students with extraordinarily good photographs of all groups. Keith and his brother, Ross, were "camera hounds" and they documented buildings, grounds, and groups most faithfully.

The record, more complete than a year-book, is now in the archives awaiting preparation for permanent display. The programs of such events as the visit of William Jennings Bryant are still in excellent condition, but the spine and covers of the book need preservation.

One of his pages shows the college's ack stars for 1915 and 16, who trounced enderson 73-29 and 80-45 for two successive years. Appropriately, it also includes the popular yell, "Boom-a-lacka, Boom-a-cka, Bow-wow-wow."

Keith Edwards, married but died in '44, with no children. His brother, Ross, entered the Navy and is now deceased. Mrs. Edwards feels that Keith would have been delighted to have his meticulous documenting of Ouachita days prove meaningful at this time of celebration and through the years beyond.

1925

Frank Luksa of the "Dallas Times Herald" did a full column in August on **Travis Jackson** ('25), putting him in perspective by recounting the manager for whom he played — John McGraw, and the men he played with and against in World Series baseball: Casey Stengel, Mel Ott, Carl Hubbell, Walter Johnson, Babe Ruth, Lue Gehrig, Joe DiMaggio, "about half of the crew at Cooperstown."

Luksa phoned the former N.Y. Giants ('22-'36) Hall of Fame shortstop at his home in Waldo, Ark. to see what Jackson,

at the age of 81, thought of present-day baseball. He still follows the game through the media, and can't help remembering the days when a player's signature was his bond. He opines, "Nobody's worth a million to play ball."

He thinks there's too much show-boating for the TV cameras, such as one-handed catches in the outfield. He doesn't believe today's players are as tough as yesteryear's, and salaries are "out of sync with production (regulars hittin' .225 and gettin' a million a year)." Instead of being anti-player, however, he holds the owners responsible for beginning years ago to give big money bonuses to kids who couldn't play.

He's mighty pleased with Pete Rose (reminds him of Pepper Martin) and Dale Murphy, for instance, and still enjoys the game despite the siphoning off of the manager's authority, computers, over-sized gloves, artificial turf, arbitration, renegotiation and player strikes.

1928

B. F. Stroope, who returned to Ouachita in 1978 to be recognized as the school's first golf captain, and to play in the first OBU Invitational Golf Tournament (he won the second flight), died in Kilgore, Tex. in June. He had retired from his public relations position with Allied Citizens Bank, and remained active in Rotary and its international exchange program.

Dr. **Bruce H. Price** of Newport News, Va., a former member of the FSA Board, has established a scholarship for the "average student" who meets the requirements of Christian character and need. He feels that most provision is made for the 100 percent students; thus his interest is in the less academically gifted.

1933

Although **Paul Elledge's** wife, Amy Ruth, died recently, he is still aglow from the results of his mission trip to the Philippines in which 242 people made commitments for Christ as a result of a one week visit he and a lay friend made to a remote village where no Americans had gone before. He writes, "I'd go back in a second if I ever get the chance."

1935

Mrs. C. H. "Bill" Williams (**Arnetta Herbert**, f.s.), a fellow thespian with Dr. **John Crawford** ('59), chairman of the department of English at HSU, has placed his latest book, "Early Shakespearean Actresses" in the Ouachita library. He autographed it for her as a friend from Community Theatre, Henderson plays, and First Baptist Church, and she in turn inscribed it for the Ouachita authors' collection, now distributed throughout Riley Library, reflecting the wide-ranging interests and contributions of Ouachita alumni who have authored books.

1936

Dr. **Taylor R. Alexander**, Emeritus Professor of Botany at the University of Miami, Fla., and former chairman of the department, is a recognized authority on the plant ecology of South Florida. He worked several years for the state in establishing a floral baseline against which changes could be measured during conservation studies. It included serving on the Governor's Committee in establishing criteria and safeguards for conservation measures. His former dean and Emeritus Prof. of Zoology, Dr. E. Morton Miller, writes, "I have never known a harder-working, more conscientious, more effective teacher."

1937

Dr. **Theodore and LaVesta Bartlett** ('38) **Garrison**, parents of three children, all teachers, observed their 50th wedding anniversary July 13, in Macomb, Ill. where he retired in 1980 after 20 years as Professor of English at Western Illinois University. In 1966-67, he was Fulbright Professor of English and American Literature at the National University of Iran, in Tehran. Rev. **Irvin Burlison** ('35) of Longview, Tex., performed their wedding ceremony.

1940

Louis and Katie Jean McGraw ('42)



Cecil and Mildred Watkins Shuffield, of the class of 1930, present a framed picture of the senior class of 1906, including her father, J. S. Watkins, to Ouachita President Dr. Daniel Grant and FSA Administrative Secretary Mrs. Agnes Coppenger. The gift has been placed in the archives for eventual appropriate display.

Jacks, parents of **Louis, Jr.** ('68) and **Sarah Jean Lindsey** ('71) are in Sparkman, Ark. where he owns L. L. Jacks Co. and she is a homemaker. He is a deacon of First Baptist Church and is a former city councilman. His mother, **Margaret "Maggie" Moore**, was a 1916 graduate, and his sister, **Margaret** ('44), is Mrs. **Wilson Deese** (among other members of the Ouachita clan).

Thomas Owen and Margaret Robinson (f.s.) **Matlock**, parents of three children, are in Shreveport, La. where he has retired as a U.S. Army Colonel, and as supervisor of the Caddo Parish School. She is a retired high school counselor.

William Albert and Margaret Brindley Petty of Falkville, Ala., parents of four children, the youngest deceased, are serving with the HMB Mission Service Corps (self-supporting) in Hawaii, mostly during the winter months. From 1940-49 they were in pioneer missions in Alaska. He has been a secondary school teacher and she a homemaker.

Dr. **Gilbert B. and Ruth Neone Linn** (f.s.) **Waud**, parents of one son, marked his 50 years of preaching on July 7, when their church, Park Avenue Baptist in Mt. Vernon, Ill., held a celebration in his honor. He has been instructor of Bible and BSU Center Director at the University of Illinois, served on the state Baptist executive board and on the Radio & TV Commission, and is Director of Missions for Salem South Baptist Association.

1942

Royce H. and Blanche Esslinger Dorris are in Florence, Ala. where he was owner and broker of Seven Points Realty until he retired in 1981. He is president of the Florence Golf and Country Club, and is past Commander of the VFW, and past Exalted Ruler of the BPOE.

Dr. **John and Nan Smith Ashcraft**, parents of Nelson Mac and Sally Ann Shuffield, are in Little Rock where he has served Brookwood Baptist Church for four years and is interim pastor of Hurricane Lake Church in Benton. They spent 33 years in California in pioneer mission pastoral work.

Andrew and Harriet Grant Hall took two months from his interim work at Calvary Baptist Mission between Rogers and Bentonville, Ark., to serve on Grand Cayman Island in the Caribbean, during the Herbert Neely family's mini-furlough.

Dr. **Thomas and Mary Elizabeth Tolson Halsell**, of St. Albans, W. Va., parents of four children, are in Dublin, Ireland, serving a four-month missionary assignment.

W. N. "Wink" and Kitty Story (f.s.) **Bledsoe** have retired in Arkadelphia where he is enjoying pursuing his avocation in turkey calling. He has two tapes, "The Complete Turkey Caller," and is a national judge in the sport. He organized the Texas wild turkey callers and has traveled far and wide in pursuing his hobby.

1945

W. T. and Dorothy Rainwater Higginbotham, parents of a daughter, Rebecca Lynn Murphy, are in Hamburg, Ark. where he is a retired county judge, bank president and farmer, and she has retired as guidance counselor at Hamburg High School. She belongs to First Baptist and Delta Kappa Gamma.

1946

Betty Jane Stout Tiffany, mother of three children, is a curriculum coordinator in Ridgecrest, Calif. where she has served over 25 years in the schools. She has been president of Region XI Assn., California School Administrators; Delta Kappa Gamma, been active in the Desert Area Counseling Clinic, Community Light Opera & Theater Assn., Community Hospital Foundation, is senior warden of St. Michael's Episcopal Church and is a member of the Standing Committee of the San Joaquin Vestry.

1947

Dr. **Joseph M. and Katherine Sexton** (f.s.) **Pipkin**, parents of three children, were honored by their church, College Park in Orlando, Fla. for the 20 years in which they have given an annual term of voluntary mission service by closing his dental office and serving gratis on a foreign field. They have worked, she as his coordinator and dental assistant, in Nigeria, Tanzania, Zimbabwe, Ghana, Indonesia, India and Yemen, with Benin this summer, bringing their total to 21 terms.

His practice has not suffered, and each of their children has made at least one trip with their parents. They treasure the association with the missionaries, have enjoyed a surprising record of good health, and have led in the formation of the SBC Medical/Dental Fellowship, numbering over 1,500 personnel for short-term volunteer missionary service.

She says, "Joe and I don't make any sacrifices. We are just so blessed to be able to do this. It's no more than any dedicated person should do who has the opportunity. But Joe has been blessed uniquely to be able to have this opportunity. Not everyone is able to do this sort of thing. I think God requires you to do what you can."

1948

Frank David and Helen Mundie ('47) **Bennett** are in Pineville, La., where he has just retired after more than three decades in Louisiana College classrooms, as associate professor and acting chairman of the Department of Communication Arts. On the side, he has written and directed pageants, including the state WMU pageant, "Adam's Rib," the history of Louisiana College, and 75th anniversary of the Louisiana Press Association.

The school paper reports, "His delightful laugh echoed over the campus for 32 years, and the springy step and twinkling eyes were familiar sights to thousands of students who experienced his animated lectures and friendly scoldings."

She has another year of teaching high school English in Alexandria. Their two daughters and four grandchildren live nearby.

1950

Paul and **Velda Pogue Barnard**, parents of Paul and Beverly, are in Little Rock where he has retired from his sales position with Uarco Business Forms, and she from 13 years of teaching 6th grade in the public schools.

Owen and Hazel Mize Kersh, parents of Nancy and Cindy, are in Waco, Tex. where he is executive vice president and general manager of Wilkison-Hatch Funeral Home, Inc. He has served for 25 years in church employment previously, and is active in Rotary, Masonry, is a deacon, and has been a trustee of Hillcrest Baptist Medical Center for 18 years.

Roy and Loretta Austin (f.s.) Nix, parents of three children, are in North Little Rock, Ark. where he is Special Projects Coordinator for the Mission Service Corps, with the Arkansas Baptist State Convention Church Extension Department, involved with laity missions, and undertaking to enlist Ouachita students and graduates, at present in teaching English as a second language in China.

Dr. James T. Wright, chairman of elementary education at HSU, has distinguished himself as a member of the advisory committee of the State Department of Education in curriculum, is past president of the Arkansas Association on Children Under Six, and Teacher Educators of Reading and past chairman of the Arkansas Elementary Council. He has received the Silver Beaver Award in Scouting, and the Good Shepherd Award from the Arkansas Association of Baptists for Scouting. He is further active in the community, Baptist Student Union, and as Sunday School Superintendent at Second Baptist Church, Arkadelphia.

This time **Dr. James Hefley** (who authors a new book almost every issue of the bulletin) has an almost centennial piece in his own childhood biography of "Way Back in the Hills," a glimpse of life in the Ozarks at a time when there "was no time." It was geographically remote enough for him to have known firsthand some of the life and tempo of Ouachita's beginning days — although Arkadelphia in 1886 was considerably more sophisticated than "Big Creek" where Jim's mother set his feet in the paths of learning. Dr. Hefley is now writer-in-residence, speaker and conductor of writing seminars at Hannibal-LaGrange College in Hannibal, Mo.

Rev. Ottis Denney ('41), and Drs. **Glen Don Grober**, **T. W. Hunt** and **John McClanahan** are all credited with influencing his life.

He has written over forty books and hundreds of articles from the Christian viewpoint, and his wife, Marti, has over 15 volumes to her credit.

1951

Bill Shoemaker is a retired Major General from the U.S. Marine Corps, and living in Paris, Ark.

Dr. Tom Tedford, professor of Speech at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, has had his textbook, "Freedom of Speech in the United States" published by Random House in March, and already adopted by a number of university departments of speech. The University of Arkansas speech department began teaching from a xeroxed copy of his text in January before publication in March. He has edited a newsletter, "Free Speech" in connection with his work with the Speech Association of America. His wife is the former **Annette Presswood** ('52) and they have two children, David and Tine Sue.

Rebecca Annette McKinney-Watson (f.s.) of Arkadelphia dropped by the campus recently to pay tribute to the spirit of Christian love she had found at Ouachita and continues to see expressed in today's students and staff.

1952

Rev. Eddie and Margie McCord, parents of two sons, are in Batesville where he is director of missions for Independence Association after serving over seven years as pastor of Highland Heights Church in Benton. He has been president of the ABSC Executive Board and chairman of the convention nominating committee.

Jim and Jina Cavaness Orr have located in Angel Fire, N.M., an expanding year-round resort area in the Sangre de Cristo



Dr. A. B. Wetherington (right) was honored at an Arkansas Technical Assistance and Consultative Center (ATAC) reunion dinner in September when it was announced that a \$5,000 scholarship was being established in his name for education majors at Ouachita. **Dr. Wetherington** obtained the grant and directed the program, underwritten by the Federal Office of Education, for the successful desegregation of Arkansas schools in the '70s. **Dr. Charles Chambliss**, chairman of the division of education (left), joins the applause. In the background are Ouachita graduates **Frank and Eddie Lou Taylor**. **Frank** is assistant principal at North Carrollton (Texas) Junior High, and **Eddie Lou** is principal at McCoy Elementary School in the Metroplex area.

mountains near Taos, after 30 years for her in teaching and he in administrative positions in Baptist work, including serving as business manager at Ouachita.

They are charter members #1 and #2 of the Angel Fire Baptist Church, a joint mission of First Baptist, Dallas and the New Mexico Baptist Association, in a region where 5,000-8,000 visitors come every weekend.

The Orrs are in their own new home and have been helping to complete and furnish the building where the first service was held June 9.

Son Frank ('78) is a captain in the Dental Corps serving in Germany with his wife, **Susie White** ('79), and two sons, **Brian** and **Scott**, scheduled to return to Ft. Sam Houston in July. **Roselin**, their daughter, is a former student, '73.

1953

Ike and Billie Guerin ('62) Sharp had their own Ouachita reunion this summer at their home in Benton when they invited the local Tigers over for ice cream. The crowd included: **Carl "Snoze" Allen** (f.s. '43), an All-American with 79 points who played with the late **Cecil Kemp**; **Dr. Paul and Alice Morrison Hogue** ('47); **Dan** (81) and **Cindy Stanford** ('83) Berry of Little Rock; **Bill and Sue Millsaps** ('49); **Dr. Ken and Lois Smithers Cook** ('47); **Ed and Lois Josephine Roberts Berry** ('48); and **Bob and Diane Lynn James Berry**, ('79) ordained on Mother's Day, May 12, as minister of education and administration for First Baptist Church, Benton, pastored by **Randel Everett** ('71). Father **Ed Berry**, recently moved to Benton, preached the ordination sermon.

Wes and Carol Burns (f.s.) Smelley are conducting a School for Living at their home in Little Rock and their farm in Perry County, offering a series of support groups and seminars to assist people in personal growth, ranging from teenagers through all stages of human problems and relationships.

Mrs. Smelley created Youth Home, Inc. for troubled teenagers and directed it for 16 years, after having served as superintendent of the Arkansas Training School for Girls. Although young people's needs are growing, she has changed her focus, explaining, "I've always been in the cleanup business (picking up pieces of broken lives and fixing shattered dreams). What I'd like to do now is be on the other end for a while."

1954

Dr. Elson and Opal Vawter Herndon of Overland Park, Kans., renewed their marriage vows on their Golden Wedding anniversary on June 16. His Ouachita relatives include his father, **John I. Herndon**, a former student; a sister, **Gwen** ('42) and her husband, **Dr. William H. Daniel** ('41); sister **Genida Johnson** (f.s. '43) of Demopolis, Ala.; and sons, **Eugene** ('58), and his wife, **Gaye Black** ('58), and **Doyle** ('61). The Herndons have retired from the pastorate and a career in Baptist Retirement Home administration.

He recently returned as first pastor to

help Hillside Church celebrate its 31st anniversary.

1955

Don and Polly Dawson Cooper, parents of **Lisa** (f.s. '80), are in Little Rock, Ark. where he is associate director of the ABSC Sunday School Department, and she is a psychologist and supervisor of professional services of Arkansas Child Find. She has an Ed.D. degree from the University of Arkansas, and has been recognized for distinguished service at Immanuel Baptist Church where she is director of leadership training and development. She also writes curriculum materials for the SBC.

Rev. Alfred R. Cullum pastors Bethany Baptist Church in North Little Rock. He recently was certified as a Duncan Ceramic teacher, and is making plans to be involved in the Arkansas-Brazil mission. His wife, **Vada**, and he are parents of four children, the youngest of whom, **A. Reid, II**, graduated in May.

James A. Whitten of Westport, Conn., is general manager, FIDCO Div. of Nestle Foods Corporation.

1958

Mrs. Jane Middlebrooks Cardine is an excited grandma with twin daughters, **Shannon and Melanie** (both '84) back home in Chantilly, Va., with their husbands, **Steve Ballinger** (f.s.) and **Jim Constable** ('85), respectively. The twins have had baby girls just 16 days apart, reminding of the days when they were infants themselves. The Cardines have six children, the youngest 9.

Steve has coaxed his father-in-law out of retirement and the two have started a construction business. **Jim**, who worked as a graphic artist for a year, is now with British Aerospace at Dulles Airport.

Homer and June Hines ('62) Moore, parents of **Jeff** and **Greg**, are in Little Rock where he is district manager for north Arkansas for Sherwin-Williams Co. He was awarded the President's Circle of Excellence Award at a ceremony in Scottsdale, Ariz. recently, one of 44 district managers nationwide to be so honored.

Mrs. Jim Bryum (**Carolyn Jordan**) is president of Arkansas Baptist State Convention Wives, meeting in with the pre-convention conferences on the Ouachita campus November 17-18. She is assisted by **Mrs. Sidney Carswell** (**Ruth Holland**) ('54) of Little Rock, as secretary. The Bryums are in Scott, Ark. where he pastors Toltec Church, after serving 13 years at Immanuel Church in Carlisle.

1959

Dr. Jim and Wencie Bonds (f.s.) Byrd, parents of three sons, and a daughter who is deceased, are in Dallas where he is minister of education at Hillcrest Baptist Church, pastored by **Dickson Rial** ('57).

Rev. Don and Judy Overton (f.s.) Nall, and **Russ "Spanky" and Martha Andrews Mitchell** are located in Batesville, Ark. **Don**, pastor of First Baptist Church, observed 30 years in the ministry last March,

and **Russ** owns and manages Russ Home Furnishings Store.

Marshall and Sue Hicks (f.s.) Rowe, parents of **Stephanie**, are in Beaumont, Tex. where he is superintendent of pilot operations in research and development with Uniroyal, Inc., and she is a middle school teacher. He is a deacon at North End Baptist Church, is a soloist in the choir, and is a member of the American Chemical Soc.

Dr. Jim and Judy Fisher (f.s.) Ryan (also '61), parents of two sons, are in Goodlettsville, Tenn. where he is supervisor of the adult section of the SBC Church Training Dept. in Nashville. He has recently published a book through Broadman Press, "Bible Promises for Growing Christians."

1960

Wherever SBC Sunday School Board consultant **Ruth Ann Wade** attends a conference, workshop, meeting, whatever, it manages to turn into a Ouachita mini-reunion. During the third Sunday School Week at Glorieta, N.M. this summer, her get-together included **Kirk Bullington** ('82) of Fort Worth, Tex.; **Mrs. Marianne Morrissett Gosser** ('55), North Little Rock; **Leroy Summers** ('54), Dallas, Tex.; **Martin Babb** ('75), Little Rock, Ark., and **Mrs. Mary Jane Coleman Bethelot**, of Wichita Falls, Tex.; **Rhonda Clark**, Russellville; **Angela Martz**, Ransom Canyon, Tex.; **Tammie and Danny Pennell**, Ransom, Tex.; **Christy Mitchell**, Delhi, La., and **Sam Stricklin**, North Little Rock, Ark. (all present students). **Rev. Damon Shook** ('57) of Houston, Tex. was preacher for the week.

Joe and Sue McSpadden Finney, parents of **Steve** and **Missy**, are in Fayetteville, Ark. where he is a salesman with Rhone Poulenc and she is a library media specialist.

Jimmy L. and Valinda Rose Whittle Jones, parents of **Lisa** (f.s.) and **Carrie Lynne**, are in Cabot, Ark. where he owns M. J. Construction and she is media specialist at Southside Elementary.

1961

Bill and Billie Bob Johnson Hoskyn, parents of four children, are in Fairfax Station, Va. where he, as deputy assistant director in the Office of Protective Operations, is currently serving as White House Security Coordinator. He's worked in Dallas, Tex., Little Rock, Plains, Ga., as well as Washington, D.C. He's quoted in the UCA alumni bulletin, "The best thing I have done was to marry Billie Bob Johnson, an OBU Tiger, in 1962." Bravo, Bill!

1962

Glenn and Peggy Shirley Ballard, parents of three children, are in Louisville, Tenn. where he is in insurance and she is a teacher and coach, with softball and bowling trophies to her credit. He is a church music director at Smokey View Baptist Church, a Little League board member and in Kiwanis.

Thomas D. Turner of Little Rock, has joined Tab Products of Arkansas as market representative for 17 counties, after being an account representative with Burroughs Corp. for 17 years.

1964

Lee Holloway, director of communications for the SBC Seminary External Education Division, is "house-sitting" for his parents, **Ernest Lee** and **Ida Nell Daily Holloway, II** ('41) while they serve as Mission Service Corps volunteers in Tokyo, Japan for two years, site of their career mission service.

William and Arlene Francis Jones Wingfield, parents of two daughters, are in Little Rock, Ark. where he teaches at the U of A College of Health Related Professions and is a pharmacist at the Baptist Medical Center. She is a dental hygienist.

1965

Robert and Patricia Culley Folk, are in Gaithersburg, Md. where he is a real estate salesman and project manager, and she is branch manager with Bechtel Employees Federal Credit Union. They belong to Halpine Baptist Church in Rockville.

James and Kay Matthews Goodman, parents of two sons, are in Cabot, Ark. where she teaches high school P.E. and he

is a supervisor at Remington Arms in Lonoke.

T. Michael and Barbara Tickle Keller, parents of James, are in Burke, Va. where he is a financial planner with security sales and she is a health claims supervisor.

Dr. Ellis and **Kay Miller** (also '64) Melton and Andrew, are in Fayetteville, Ark. where he is associate professor of Music at the University of Arkansas and she is an instructor in music education. In 1983-84, he taught in Saudi Arabia.

1966

Sara Fowlkes Garrett, manager of budgets and control in the finance department of Vought Aero Products Division, LTV Aerospace & Defense Co., in Dallas, Tex., and living in Grand Prairie, is extremely proud of her 23 year old son, David, Jr.

He was valedictorian of Grand Prairie High in 1980, and in 1983, he graduated magna cum laude from Texas A&M. That fall he entered Southwestern Medical School in Dallas, and is now into his third year. He writes and speaks fluent German, and has packed across Europe for a month, two different summers.

David and his mother spent last Christmas in Germany and France with friends he had met, seeing both countries in truer perspective than the usual tourist.

She appreciates the occasional visits from Sherwin and **Wanda Qualls Williams** ('69 and '71) of Arkadelphia.

1967

Ed Bullington, outstanding social studies and government teacher at McClellan High School in Little Rock, is the new president of the Arkansas Education Association, coming to the office at a time when public education is of prime interest to the people of Arkansas.

Martin and **Alice Keith** Collier, parents of Alison and **James M., Jr.**, a Ouachita senior, are in Percy, Ark. where he is a field underwriter with New York Life Insurance, and she is a reading specialist at Lake Hamilton Intermediate School.

Since theirs was the fifth wedding in Berry Chapel in 1962, she raises the question as to whether any and all of the couples married there (particularly between '62 and '72) might be interested in returning for a reaffirmation of vows. She suggests it as a part of the Centennial, possibly in the summer, or as a silver ceremony in 1987. She stands ready to coordinate such an event if there is interest shown.

Connie Kelch is in her seventh year as head women's basketball coach at the University of Texas at Arlington. UTA finished second in the Southland Conference last year behind Northeast Louisiana, which was ranked in the nation's Top 10, and went to the Final Four before losing. Her "Mavericks" are members of NCAA Division I and will play the Ouachita Tigerettes in Arkadelphia on February 15.

1968

James and **Martha Pollard Joyce**, parents of two daughters, are in Olathe, Kans. where he is sales engineer with Cutler-Hammer products in Shawnee Mission and she is a homemaker.

Jim Terry, of Little Rock, Ark. who has been account manager with American Greetings Corp. for 14 years, has joined the Arkansas Radio Network and Agriculture Radio Network as local sales manager.

1969

Don Pennington, who began as a Safeway manager trainee in 1969, is now manager of the Little Rock Division of Safeway Stores, Inc. In 1978 he was transferred to the Kansas City Division as manager, and returned to Little Rock as retail operations manager in 1983.

Lealon and **Vicki Farmer** ('75) Worrell, parents of two children, are in Little Rock where he is senior sales representative with Sharp office machines for Business World, Inc.

Ted Viala, after dealing in real estate for the past 13 years and having being one of the 16 charter members of the Little Rock Board of Realtors Million Dollar Club, has formed a one-man office, Viala Real Estate. He hopes to offer more personalized service in residential and commercial real estate.



ORIENTATION DESSERT — Andy (right) and Gina (left) Westmoreland open their home for dessert to one of the freshman groups during Orientation Week. Andy is Director of Student Services and the Student Foundation, and Gina teaches school. Each year the freshmen place a high rating on these visits in faculty and staff homes.



DEAN OF STUDENTS — Dean of Students Bill and Snookie Dixon (she is educational director at First Baptist Church) get further acquainted with Japanese exchange students Akiko Ogata and Tatsui Sakata, welcoming them to their kitchen with American apple pie.



Twirp Week in October gave sophomores Janet Church and Bill Reynolds an opportunity to get "Lost in the '50s," courtesy of the EEE social club. The theme was tied in with this year's Centennial emphasis.



Janet Benson (center), wife of OBU head football coach Buddy Benson, models a one and only Tiger skirt designed and made by Carolyn Hardman of Arkadelphia. The Bentons' daughter, Laurie Jordan (right), and daughter-in-law, Paula Benson, admire the purple skirt with, of course, matching gold accessories.

Jo Ray Cox (f.s.) and son, Steve, are in Little Rock where she is teaching in the nursing program at UALR. She has earned her BSN degree through the UAMS, and is working on the MNSC degree, having completed all but the thesis.

1970

Dr. Thomas and **Carol Carroll**, parents of four children, are in Dallas, Tex. where he is a dentist and she a homemaker.

Larry and **Nancy Chesser** and **Rachel** are in Conway, Ark. where he is the new News Editor of the "Log Cabin Democrat." He has been with the information service of the Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs in Washington, D.C.

Jim and **Pam Knight** ('76) Elliff are in North Little Rock, Ark. where he is one of the four pastors of Cornerstone Bible Fellowship.

Leon and **Kathryn Kumabe Johnson** and **Malaika Mitsuko** are in Harare, Zimbabwe where they are missionaries. He is Baptist chaplain at the University of Zimbabwe and she is an R.N. and homemaker.

Paul and **Lynda Church** Mitchell, Jason, Aaron and Jarrod, are in Broken Arrow, Okla. where he is controller of a Tulsa Oil Company and she is a homemaker, teaching private piano lessons. She had hoped by now to be called "Dr." but finds "Mom" just as rewarding. She is active in First Liberty Baptist Church, as a Sunday School teacher and the women's ministry.

Dr. V. Gail Ray, formerly in El Paso, Tex., has been promoted to associate professor and Residency Program Director in the Emergency Medicine Dept. of East Carolina University School of Medicine.

Dale and **Gail Atchison Tucker**, Todd and Daniel, are missionaries to Argentina, he as a social worker and she a church/home worker. He has been executive director of Wayside Christian Mission in Louisville, Ky., and she has been self-employed as a media consultant, after working in public information with parks and recreation and a health science center.

1971

Larry and **Sandy Warren** (f.s.) Glover, parents of three children, lost their oldest child, 11-year-old Marc from drowning at a church camp at Glen Rose, Tex. on July 15. He is survived by Timothy Andrew and Rachel Erin. Larry, assistant manager of the Sherwin-Williams Paint Co. in Fort Worth, is a deacon and Sunday School department director at Gambrell St. Baptist Church. She is a secretary. They live at 3829 Willing Ave., Fort Worth 76110.

Bob and **Laurie Tompkins** Kerr, and **Rachel Nicole**, are in Texarkana, Ark. where he is a CPA, and minister of music at Highland Hills Baptist Church. She is a homemaker.

Jackie and **Sherry Reynolds** Mullins, Jr., and **Jessica**, are in Terrell, Tex. He is in his last semester of seminary at TCU, and they are looking forward to his ordination in the Christian (Disciples of Christ) Church in January. In 1980 she received the Ed.D. degree from the University of Arkansas, and he, a master's in counselor education. She's happy to be called "Dr. Mommy."

Dr. Tommy G. Thomasson, who has been director of public relations at Dallas Baptist University, and visiting assistant professor at TCU this past year, has joined the TCU journalism faculty as assistant professor this fall. He formerly taught journalism at East Texas State, Liberty and South Arkansas universities.

1972

June Bollen Norman is in Albuquerque, N.M. where she has a card and gift shop with a post office contract.

Henry and **Margaret Harrison**, and **Jenny**, are in Jackson, Tenn. where he is president of Concrete Products Co. and co-owner of Showtime Productions. He founded the Carl Perkins Child Abuse Prevention Center in Jackson, in 1981, was named Exchange of the Year in 1982, WBBJ Man of the year in 1983, and Woodmen of the World Outstanding Citizen of the year in 1984. He's further played in Lambuth College's productions of "Fiddler on the Roof" and "My Fair Lady," is an usher at First United Methodist Church, and is a 32nd degree Mason.

She is a former voice teacher at Lambuth, and Jenny is a cheerleader.

1973

Karen B. Shank (uses maiden name), passed the Illinois bar exam two weeks before Peter Nathaniel was born in March. The family is in Chicago where husband Toby Lange is a computer consultant in technical software, and she has founded a new choir, "Pro Arte Chorale of Chicago."

Donald and **Linda Sanford Wells** and Christina are in Arkadelphia where he teaches sociology at Henderson, and she is a licensed associate professional counselor who has opened a local office recently for counseling and conducting seminars on "Women in Transition."

1974

Gene Adair's trail in New York City has led from his master's degree in film studies at Columbia University in 1980, through Katherine Gibbs secretarial school ("the Harvard of secretarial schools"), where he taught humanities to future executive secretaries, to the Manhattan branch of the English Oxford University Press. For a year he was publicity assistant, doing press releases and booking authors' tours, like on the "Today Show." Now he's senior copywriter in his department, doing jacket write-ups for Oxford's general interest, non-fiction books. Initially, he spent two years at the "Hot Springs Sentinel-Record."

Dr. Don Basse is professor of psychology and counselor education at Adams State College in Alamosa, Colo. From 1979 until this fall, he has been director of special programs at Rogers State College in Claremore, Okla., and has served as an adjunct faculty member at Northeastern Oklahoma State University, Tahlequah, and the University Center at Tulsa. He has also been a field reader for the U.S. Department of Education.

Marsha Ellis has been awarded the Ph.D. degree from Southwestern Seminary in Biblical Backgrounds & Archaeology, with the dissertation "A Reexamination of the Contributions of Nelson Glueck to the Archaeological Study of Transjordan in Light of Recent Evidence."

Kathy Vining, assistant vice president and business development officer for First South in Little Rock, Ark. has distinguished herself in being the first woman named by the Arkansas Jaycees to its Ten Outstanding Young Arkansans in 1985, and receiving the Greater Little Rock Chamber of Commerce William J. Smith Young Executive of the Year Award for outstanding contributions affecting the economic and civic life in Central Arkansas.

1975

James and Donna Emoto Fuji and Joel are in Eleile, Hawaii. He manages McBryde Federal Credit Union and she is a kindergarten teacher. They belong to Kauai Baptist Church.

Dan and Becky Sutton ('76) Kirkpatrick, Katie, Mary, Michael and Rebecca, are in Little Rock, Ark. where he is art director with Kirkpatrick & Associates and she is a homemaker. They belong to Immanuel Baptist Church.

Glenn and Karon Lynch Martin are in North Little Rock where he is a pharmacist

with the V.A. hospital, and she is a rehabilitation specialist with Rehabilitation Management, Inc. in Little Rock. She is a licensed Professional Counselor and Certified Rehabilitation Counselor with the U.S. Dept. of Labor, Office of Workers Compensation Programs.

Tom and Karen Taylor ('76) Rutledge, Chad and Kyle, are in Alamosa, Colo. where he is head women's track coach and offensive line coach at Adams State College and she is a first lieutenant in the Army Reserve.

Mark and Fran Stout ('76) Wakefield, Luke and Ben, have been appointed as SBC missionaries to the Fiji Islands, he as a general evangelist, and she as church and home. He has been pastoring in Clever, Mo.

Janie McLain Weathers is shipping coordinator with Dow Chemical in Clute, Tex.

1976

Dr. Allen and Paula **Burton** are in Dayton, Ohio where he is with the biological sciences department of Wright State University. He has completed a post-doctoral research fellowship at the University of Colorado, after serving with the EPA in Dallas.

Mark and Becca Mazander Clark and their two cats, K. C. Clark and Bill the Cat, pulled up stakes this year and moved from their work as an attorney and Social Security Claims representative, respectively, in Hot Springs, to begin anew in Austin, Tex.

They are pleased with the outcome. He is with a large law firm in medical malpractice defense, and she is realizing a long-time dream as a travel agent, thoroughly enjoying Austin.

Luther Guinn is in Little Rock, Ark. where he has been promoted to bank review administrator by the Arkansas Bank Department, with responsibility for supervising the state's bank examiners. He's also responsible for supervising approximately one-fourth of the state's banks.

Rev. Charles and **Debbie Rickerson Overton** are in Philpot, Ky., where he began pastoring Friendship Baptist Church on Easter Sunday, April 7.

1977

Rodger and Deborah Summerlin ('78) DeHan, and Katie Rebekah are in Little Rock where he is district sales manager with Cardinal Machinery, Inc. and she is a bank trust officer.

Calvin and Sharon Bennett Euler, Matthew George and Jonathan Blake, are in Cabot, Ark. where she has retired for a time from school teaching. He is a pharmacist with Memorial Hospital in North Little Rock.

Len and Sherry Fullington Lowman are in Galveston, Tex., where he, as an '85 graduate of the UALR Graduate School of Social Work, is inpatient social worker and family therapist in the Substance Abuse and Impaired Physician's Unit of the University of Texas Medical Branch.

Mark Lowman is legislative assistant to U.S. Representative Beryl Anthony of El Dorado. He formerly was with the state attorney general's consumer protection and

Medicaid fraud divisions. He handles health care, labor and judiciary issues.

1978

Ken Kersey is a supervisor with Delta Airlines in Dallas, Tex., in the weights and balances end of the operation.

Allen and Jill McCandless (f.s.) Garvin are in Hot Springs, Ark. where he is a software programmer and she a cosmetology instructor.

John (f.s.) and Margie Mitchell Peebles, Shawn, Graham, Matthew and Caleb, are in Fort Collins, Colo. where he operates "Glory to God Towing" and she is a homemaker. They have been in the music ministry in Lake Village, Ark. and Bellevue Baptist in Hurst, Tex., previously.

Shannon and Patti Ryan Scott (also '80), are in Arkadelphia where he is in partnership in K.C. Audio/Video, and manages their store in Camden as well. She is receptionist for **Dr. James T. Blackmon ('53 and '60)**.

William Scott and **Vickie Wiley Willis** is area campus minister with the BSU in Augusta, Ga., with Augusta College and the Medical College of Georgia.

1979

Dr. David and Carol Young ('78) Pinkston have moved from East Lansing, Mich. where he has completed his Ph.D. in analytical chemistry, to Cincinnati, Ohio where he is with the Corporate Research Division of Proctor & Gamble, at their Miami Valley Labs. Immediately after Ouachita he studied at the University of Bayreuth, Germany.

Guy and Elena Cowser ('81) Key, and Jonathan Wesley, are Southern Baptist missionaries assigned to Brazil, he as general evangelist and she as church and home worker.

James McCully (f.s.) is an opera director and administrator with the National Endowment for the Arts, working with the Opera Musical Theater in Washington, D.C.

Russell and Carol Mills (f.s.) Shanks are in Del Rio, Tex. where he is branch manager of Northwest Bank and she teaches high school English.

1980

At the risk of losing two extremely self-effacing friends, "Mom" and **Jane Chu Butler**, let us betray their confidence and reveal that Jane (Mrs. Rex Butler) won a mural painting contest commemorating Gateway Shopping Center's 25th Anniversary in Lincoln, Neb. in August.

Rex is a dentist, enrolled in the Graduate Periodontics Program at the UNL College of Dentistry, and Jane is "undergoing a career change" from the music teaching she has done for the past three years. She is now a freelance illustrator and graphic designer, continuing with art classes. After Ouachita she received a master's degree in Piano & Pedagogy from SMU.

She earned her award of \$2,800 by publicly painting 5 masonite panels, totalling 20' X 8', to the enjoyment of the gathering shoppers and herself.

Reid and Janice White (f.s.) Allison and John Robert are in Little Rock, Ark. where he has changed jobs from the prestigious Arthur Young accounting firm which required considerable travel and overtime, so that he would have more time for 4-year-old John while Janie is in her third year of medical school. He is now with Environmental Systems Co. (ENSCO) as an internal auditor. Janie is #2 in her class at the University of Arkansas medical school.

Reid has taken it upon himself to match his own quarterly contribution to Ouachita as his former employer did, now that he is no longer with a matching-gift company. Tiger Spirit compounded!

Wade and Susan Williams ('81) Doshier, are in Philadelphia, Pa. where he is a senior international trader for Sun Oil Co., involving extensive international travel, buying and selling oil on the world markets. Susan keeps busy doing volunteer work in the community, allowing her flexibility to travel with Wade.

Bill and Angie Tipton Elrod and Jenny Rebecca are in Norman, Okla. where he is a petroleum land man and she is a CPA.

K. C. Rupe, married and the father of three children, has returned from three years with the U.S. Army in Germany, and is now a car salesman in Fayetteville, N.C. with Bryan Pontiac-Cadillac-Honda.

1981

George and Tammy Prince ('80) Fuller, Jr., George, III "Tripp" and Steven, returned to Arkadelphia in June where he began pastoring Richwoods Baptist Church. For 18 months preceding, he was associate pastor of training and special ministries with First Baptist Church, Jonesville, N.C. He has the M.Div. degree from Southwestern Seminary.

Charles "Slick" (f.s.) and Cindy Shelton James, are in Searcy, Ark. where she is a homemaker and former Social Security representative, and he is self-employed in providing sound systems for churches through Master Sound. He is also a real estate broker with American Real Estate Service. They lost a seven-month-old daughter, Megan Michelle, last July.

Mark and ReNae Richardson Partridge are both chemists for AP&L in Little Rock, Ark.

Lisa Privett, living in Kissimmee, Fla., is a consultant dietician to 16 nursing homes in the state associated with Judy Ford Stokes & Associates, of Atlanta, Ga. As the only representative in the state, she's on the road too much to take in big tourist attractions, but does find time for sunshine and the beach.

John Ray and Suzanne Wikman (f.s.) Sutherland, are in Fayetteville, Ark. where he is head coach of the U of A Lady Razorbacks and she is a secretary at Miller Town Tools.

1982

Craig Gilliam, with an M.Div. degree from New Orleans Seminary, is associated with the Home Mission Board in pastoring First Baptist Church, Onida, S.D.

Lawrence and Linda Robinson King, Jr. are in North Little Rock, Ark. where he is



Dr. J. D. Patterson ('47) (right), his daughter, **Dr. Beth Patterson ('80)**, and their dental assistant, **Mrs. Sue Ann Williams**, from Searcy, Ark., reminisce over the three-week mission trip they made to Brazil with the Arkansas AMAR project. The short-term missionaries saw 509 patients, did dental work in a chicken coop, church and under a banana tree, spent over 95 running hours in a boat and already are planning their return.



Mrs. Janet Peebles (left), Ouachita's resident artist and switchboard operator, has made the university a gift of her painting of a golden tiger in a bed of purple iris, framed and hung in back of the desk in Grant Hall where she has served for five years. Janet is launching out as a free-lance artist, with a one-woman show in Little Rock to her credit and a number of her works in demand by interior decorators.



Last time you saw these fellows they were "Cover Boys" for the February 1984 bulletin, wearing tiger suits and watching their uncle, safety Scott Street, play ball. John and Justin, sons of Sam and Becky Street Miller, still epitomize unswerving Tiger loyalty.

an insurance adjustor with Farm Bureau, and she teaches 7th grade math.

Monica McBryer teaches kindergarten at First Baptist Academy in Dallas, Tex.

Roger and Mollie Jo Smith Morgan are in Mountain Home, Ark. where he is associated with Johnson & Sanders, Attorneys at Law.

1983

Bobby and Donna McKenzie ('82) Gosser, Jr. are in North Little Rock where he is a Project Administrator for Pickens-Bond Construction Co. and she is teaching elementary music in Pulaski County School District. They have spent the past two years at Northeast Louisiana University where she received a master's degree in music education and he, a B.S. in construction. Bobby was a member of the National Honorary Scholastic Construction Society and was named Most Outstanding Graduate.

Rick and Barbie Wright ('84) Briscoe are in Tyler, Tex. where he is music and youth minister at Calvary Baptist Church.

Bruce and Sherry Grober Burnett are in Little Rock where he is with the international marketing division of the AIDC (Arkansas Industrial Development Commission). He attended the Thunderbird American School of International Finance in Arizona after leaving Ouachita.

Paula McKinley (f.s.) is in New York City working on a Ph.D. degree in Physiological Psychology at City College of the City University of N.Y. She attends Metro-Baptist Church, the only English-speaking Southern Baptist Church in Manhattan.

1984

Cathy Crosskno is a stewardess for American Airlines, living in Foster City, Calif.

Kevin and Laura Grisham are in the contemporary Christian music group, "Boundless Love," composed of 11 members, seven of whom attended Ouachita, with six receiving degrees. **Mike Eakin**, the drummer, attended OBU his freshman year ('79), graduated from HSU, and played at Magic Springs. **David and Karen Bean Chappell** (both '82) are electric piano — synthesizer — male singer, and lead singer, respectively. **Stan** ('82) and **Betty Fincher** ('83) Harris both sing (he's another lead) and she plays percussion instruments and acoustic guitar. The Grishams are vocalists, with Laura in charge of promotion and Kevin as "chaplain." The group's done extremely well, and were looking for their first demo tape this fall. The Grishams are expecting their first child December 22.

1985

The Dallas/Fort Worth area is a gathering place for young Tigers. **Sarah Atkinson** with Kenneth Leventhal & Co. and **Leslie Moore** with EDS, have teamed up as roommates, as have **Jeff Bennett** and **Mike Seabaugh**, Southwestern Seminary students. **Randy** ('83) and **Angela Scott Johnson** have **Missy VanDyke** living with them while she and Randy are in the seminary, and Angela is teaching first grade in the

Fort Worth schools.

Gene Trantham received a Chancellor's Tuition Award for his graduate work at the University of Missouri, Kansas City, and is serving as minister of music and youth at Vista Baptist Church in Olathe, Kan., a suburb.

Karen Williams, a med student at UAMS in Little Rock, was named the 1985 Downing-Swift-Wallace Scholar-Athlete of 1985. The prestigious award is given annually to the senior AIC female athlete with the highest academic grade point average, who has earned at least two athletic letters in AIC sponsored sports.

She further was chosen to be a national FCA camp "huddle leader" at Colorado State University in Fort Collins for a week last summer. She, and **Leanne Sandifer**, a UAMS student in physiology and biophysics, are rooming together in Little Rock.

MARRIAGES

1939

Kathryn Jones to Joseph C. Clark, June 15, 1985, Arkadelphia, Ark.

1960

Betty Krudwig to Ranford G. Russell, August 10, 1985, California Baptist College, Riverside, Calif.

1969

Annette Perry to Pat George, June 15, 1985, living in Houston, Tex.

1973

Tomi Mae Motley (also '80) to Arthur Eugene Evans, August 30, 1985, Little Rock, Ark.

1977

Kimberly Gwyn DeBusk to **Mark Allen Lowman**, September 14, 1985, Cabot, Ark.

Cynthia Moore to Brad Blevins, October 20, 1984, Oklahoma City, Okla.

1978

Mary Jane Crutchfield to Robert Edward Fischer, July 26, 1985, Jacksonville, Ark.

Liese Karol Flack to Howard Lee Duff, July 12, 1985, Little Rock, Ark.

1979

Debbie Gaston to Eddie Tarpley, July 27, 1985, Gurdon, Ark.

1980

Melinda Robin Smith to Robert Earl Fowler, August 17, 1985, Berry Chapel.

Lisa Gail Landers to Steven Wayne McGuire, September 21, 1985, Benton, Ark.

1981

Janet Lynn Summerlin to Preston Cowan, June 2, 1985, Little Rock, Ark.

Robbie Clifton to Michael Pinter, August 10, 1985, Jonesboro, Ark.

Clara Marie Graves to Dr. John Paul Fullenwider, October 12, 1985, Camden, Ark.

Deborah Lynn Long ('82) to **William Scott Carter**, September 29, 1985, Norphlet, Ark.

Lynne Ellen Clark to James Thomas Ashcraft, August 9, 1985, North Little Rock, Ark.

1982

Gianna L. Gregory to Bradley J. Travis, September 2, 1983, living in Grapevine, Tex.

Susan Marie Whitlow to **Jimmy Delane Wesson** (f.s.), June 22, 1985, Little Rock, Ark.

ReNata Carol Greene (f.s.) to Keith Douglas Bauder, June 1, 1985, Little Rock, Ark.

Suzanne Marie Martindale (f.s.) to Gregory Doyle Taylor, August 3, 1985, Benton, Ark.

Vivian Anita Warren to David B. Lipscomb, June 15, 1985, Bismarck, Ark.

Candy Lea Morgan to **Charles Timothy Church**, June 22, 1985, Little Rock, Ark.

Margaret Elizabeth Slavens (f.s. '83) to Robert N. Evans (f.s.), July 7, 1985, Berry Chapel.

1983

Sherri Ann Ward ('85) to **Kenneth James Lindsey**, August 3, 1985, Little Rock, Ark.

Joan Merry Bennett (f.s.) to **David Lloyd Sims**, August 17, 1985, Pine Bluff, Ark.

Karen Jeane Taylor to **Tim Reynolds** (both f.s.), July 13, 1985, Little Rock, Ark.

Dana Donaldson to Richard Totty, September 29, 1984, Forrest City, Ark.

Perri Bethelot to **Mark Whatley**, September 26, 1983, living in Magnolia, Ark.

1984

Janis Kay Helms ('85) to **Robert E. Jayroe**, August 31, 1985, North Little Rock, Ark.

Martha Lyn Vance to Mike A. Colvin, June 22, 1985, El Dorado, Ark.

Lisa Joy Livers (f.s.) to Charles W. Couch, August 3, 1985, Hot Springs, Ark.

Lisa Stevens (p.s.) to **Larry Gene Locke**, August 16, 1985, Arkadelphia, Ark.

Lisa Ann Castleberry to Sammy Joe Tucker, July 6, 1985, Fordyce, Ark.

Kina Gay McGrew to Danny Thomas Clayton, July 7, 1985, Glenwood, Ark.

Mary Alice O'Neal (f.s.) to William Coakley "Coak" Matthews, May 25, 1985, Jonesboro, Ark.

1985

Janine Sharon Kehaulani Buenconsejo to **Kyle Sterling Baird**, August 10, 1985, Kehuku, Hawaii.

Susan Marie Presley to **David H. Doty**, living in Tacoma, Wash.

Mary Ann Wasson to **Philip Ray Cushman**, August 17, 1985, Berry Chapel.

Karen Sue Purtle to **Larry Rogers Bennett**, summer 1985, Texarkana.

Kara Marie Murphree to Barry Lynn Bloomfield, July 20, 1985, Berry Chapel.

Lisa Anne Pruitt to Lt. **Clark Douglas**

Easter, May 18, 1985, Benton, Ark.

Laura Carolyn Lane (f.s.) to **Anthony Paul Chambliss**, July 27, 1985, Fairfield, Bay, Ark.

Jane Allison Harkrider to John Stephen Hardman, September 28, 1985, Arkadelphia, Ark.

Karen Elaine Riner (f.s.) to **David Pierce Wilcox**, August 10, 1985, Benton, Ark.

Margaret Lynn Conner to **Alexander "Alec" Hodge Hunter**, May 25, 1985, Hughes, Ark.

Sheryl Deanne Bowman (f.s.) to Brian Arthur Boyd, September 14, 1985, Jacksonville, Ark.

Wendy Gale McInvale to **Mark Alan Kizzar**, May 12, 1984, Texarkana, Ark.

Present students

Amanda Jane Kirby to **Allan Douglas Meador**, August 24, 1985, Prescott, Ark.

Sharon Kay Raney to **Mitchell Lynn Vire**, August 16, 1985, Little Rock, Ark.

Kelli Vanessa May to **Roy Lester Tainter**, September 15, 1985, Paragould, Ark.

Ellene Denise Bettis to Douglas Ray Oliver, June 28, 1985, Arkadelphia, Ark.

Susan Burges to **Thomas Patton Halford**, August 17, 1985, Mt. Home, Ark.

BIRTHS

1968

Steed and Lynne Crittenden (f.s.) Huggins, Ann Elizabeth, June 11, 1985, Memphis, Tenn. Lee Boland is 6.

1970

Larry and Nancy Chesser, Rachel, November 6, 1983, living in Conway, Ark.

1972

David and Elizabeth Belisomo Tate, Stephen Edward, June 11, 1985, Memphis, Tenn.

1973

Jack and Susan Moss Knight, Mary Bess, May 7, 1985, Dardanelle, Ark. Sara is 5.

Toby and Karen B. Shank Lange, Peter, March 15, 1985, Hot Springs, Ark.

James A. "Jack" and Barbara A. Toombs (f.s.) **Ryan, Jr.**, James A. Ryan, III (Trey), Mt. Pleasant, Tex. Jenny Rebekah is 4.

William and Annel Thobon Hatton, Jr., Ilena Katie, September 2, 1985, Amiens, France. Jean-Michael Alvin is 4½.

1974

Harold and Debbie Moran ('75) **Tucker**, June 6, 1985, Rachel Elizabeth, West Germany. Lydia is 6 and Paul is 3.

Dean and Sherry Young (f.s.) **Abrams**, Benjamin Richard, July 27, 1985, Grayling, Mich. Sam Thomas is 2.

Ben and Sheila Rodgers Hayden, Aubree Lynn, August 26, 1985, Tulsa, Okla. Her brother Aaron Benjamin is 4½.

1975

Ron and Vicky Vining (f.s.) **Crawley**, Sarah Elizabeth, August 19, 1985. Jason is 7 and Jennifer is 5. Sarah means "God's

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Princess" and Elizabeth, "Consecrated One."

Dale and **Sandi McCoy** Benefield, Staci, August 30, 1985, Hobbs, N.M. Christopher is 2.

Glen E. (f.s.) and **Janet Ann Henderson Jackson**, Mark Edward, July 30, 1985. David is 6 and Jeremy is 4.

David and **Brenda Bagwell** Pendleton, Andrew David, February 22, 1985, Pine Bluff, Ark. Amy is 7 and Aaron is almost 4.

Steve and **Penny Glass Carter**, Jennifer Lane, August 28, 1985, Bentonville, Ark. Andrew is 3½.

1976

Bill and **Laura McHaney** (f.s.) Gilleece, Erin Jennings, July 7, 1985, Crozier, Va.

Walter and **Suzanne Moore** Hill, Laurie Suzanne, November 10, 1984, Conway, Ark. Wesley is 4.

Carl E. and **Susan Ross** Blake, Jr., Michael Carl, March 7, 1985, El Dorado, Ark. Leslie Anne is 4.

Maj. Paul J. and **Ora Sue Higgins** Nagy, Aaron Michael, August 7, 1985, Camp Lejeune, N.C. Nicole is 2½.

Dr. David and **Linda Ann Smith** Covey, Sarah Marie, July 30, 1985, Searcy, Ark. Andrea Elizabeth is 2.

1977

John and **Sally Harvey** ('76) Prince, Ashley Elizabeth, October 19, 1984, Oklahoma City. Shelly Renee is 5.

Kevin and **Sharon Ferguson** ('76) Wieser, Jill Renee, August 14, 1985, McKinney, Tex. Brother Jay is 4 and big "sis" Jamie is 3.

Robin and **Sandra Hughes** ('78) Hooks, Sara Katherine, April 18, 1985, Camden, Ark. Jonathan Hudson is 3.

Honsley and **Ann Hicks Snow**, Marlys Michelle, August 12, 1984, Sherwood, Ark.

Randy and **Pamela Sorrells** Sims, Rachel Ann, January 8, 1985, Conway, Ark. Joshua is 7½ and Rebekah is 5.

Robert and **Phyllis Mitchael** Wells, Philip Lawrence, February 27, 1985, Nashville, Ark. Anne is 5, Sarah, 4, and Paul is 2.

Lynn and **Stephanie Simmons** (f.s.) Conrad, Jennifer Leigh, Benton, Ark., June 7, 1985. Rebecca Lynn is 1½.

1978

Harrison Lee and **Brenda Batchelor** Gillam, II, Harry, III, February 12, 1985, Tyler, Tex. Ashley Elizabeth is 3½.

Randal and **Panda Gibson** Spurgin, Lora Ellen, March 10, 1985, Little Rock. Emily is 4.

Dr. (Cpt.) **Frank** and **Susie White** ('79) Orr, Scott Patrick, November 2, 1984, Fulda, West Germany. Brian is 2.

William E. and **Jennifer Stilwell** Paul, James, 1 year, Grand Prairie, Tex. Jason is 3.

Mark and **Wanda Walker** (f.s.) Woods, Matthew Ryne, July 3, 1985, Atlanta, Tex. Dustin is 3.

Hilton and **Kathy Hossler** ('80) McDonald, Lea Sarah, June 2, 1984, Warren, Ark.

Bill and **Mona Rowe** Rowland, Hannah Grace, July 29, 1985, Hope, Ark. Matt is 8½.

Berney and **Beverly Barnard** Wait, Rachel Elizabeth, August 4, 1985, Shreveport, La. Brett Ryan is 2½.

1979

Dr. Elmer and **Jacque Sutley** Goble, Erin Whitney, September 23, 1985, Montebello, Calif.

Tim and **Melinda Anne Sain Goodson**, Kathryn Anne, August 28, 1985, Little Rock, Ark.

Hugh and **Deborah Pinkston** ('81) Redmon, Christina Ruth, January 26, 1985, Costa Rica, now in Venezuela.

Gary (also '80) and **Kathy Gist Wheeler**, Jeffrey Michael, July 4, 1985, Waco, Tex.

1980

Donald and **Barbara Jean Cantrell** Sitzes, Jessica Dawn, December 26, 1983, Hope, Ark.

Scott and **Judy Moore** Amos, Bryan Scott, February 23, 1985, Houston, Tex.

Wayne and **Donnia Mariea Swinney** Cox, Eric Wayne, August 9, 1985, Hope, Ark. Jana is 2.

Gus and **Pearlette Powell** ('81) William-

son, Ronica Michelle, November 5, 1985, Longview, Ark.

John T. and **Teresa McCorkle** Tidwell, Ashley Kate, September 4, 1984, North Little Rock, Ark.

David and **Tammy Hale King**, Keith, August 2, 1983. Karla is 4½.

Gregory Glenn and **Donise Otwell** (f.s.) Goodin, Ashley Nicole, February 26, 1984, Waukegan, Ill.

Steven (f.s.) and **Jayanne Warren Brown**, Brian Cody, September 9, 1984. Steven Ryan is 2½.

1981

Mike and **Terri Ann Bell** ('80) Swedenburg, Taylor Reece, May 6, 1985, Little Rock, Ark.

David L. and **Shelia Jackson**, Joshua David, June 18, 1985, Jonesboro, Ark.

Jamie and **Angela Mobley** Parrott, Jeremy Todd, September 29, 1984, Davie, Fla.

Thomas and **Dian Lynn Steele** Glover, Zachary Lynn, January 14, 1985, Hot Springs, Ark.

Don and **Angie Coston** Finley, Lauren Elizabeth, August 1, 1985, Athens, Ga. Kristen is 3.

Nicholas and **Debbie Freeze** Brown, Nolan Thomas, July 12, 1985, Shreveport, La.

1982

Max and **Kathy Buck** (f.s.) Easter, Courtney Leellen, August 22, 1985, Augsburg, Germany. Christopher is 2½.

Robert and **Vicky Barton** Meador (both f.s.), Micahel Scott, June 19, 1985, Pine Bluff, Ark.

Rev. Hua Kee and **Yew Siang Lim**, Wesley Lim, July 8, 1984, Singapore.

1983

Paul (f.s.) and **Pamela Shelton** Drennan, Benjamin DeWayne, February 1, 1985, Paris, Ark.

Tony and **Sherry Cassady** (f.s.) Gray, Tristen Amber, October 8, 1984, Fort Campbell, Ky.

1984

Steve (f.s.) and **Shannon Cardine** Balmenger, Micah Maria, May 8, 1985, Chantilly, Va.

James F. and **Melanie Cardine** Constable, Callie Rae, May 24, 1985, Chantilly, Va.

DEATHS

1906

Mrs. C. H. Jones (**Diamond** Goyne, f.s.), El Dorado, Ark., 1978.

1907

Mrs. E. Y. Casey (**Grace Overstreet**), North Little Rock, Ark.

1923

Dr. **H. Noble Chambers**, September 27, 1985, Walnut Ridge, Ark.

1925

Mrs. **Ruth Bell Barrett** Knouse, May 23, 1985, Zwolle, La.

1928

Benjamin Franklin Stroope, June 5, 1985, Kilgore, Tex.

1930

Wyble Wimberly, Texarkana, Tex.

1935

James Arter Overton, July 29, 1985, Crossett, Ark.

1938

Mrs. **Jewell Carter Elliff**, September 3, 1985, Norman, Okla.

1940

Samuel Jeff Cone, summer, 1985, Houston, Tex.

1941

Melvin Robert Rice, September 27, 1985, Pine Bluff, Ark.

1944

Mrs. **William C. Brasher** (**Jim Wright**), July 6, 1985, Stuttgart, Ark.

1946

Elizabeth Ellis, July 13, 1985, Little Rock, Ark.

1966

David R. Barnes (f.s.), February 27, 1985, San Francisco, Calif.

1985

Barbara Erica Griffin, October 28, 1985, Arkadelphia, Ark., automobile accident.

Friends

Morley Jennings, May 13, 1985, Lubbock, Tex., Coach.

Paul Meers, July 23, 1985, Little Rock, Ark., Trustee.

Dr. **Eugene A. Provine**, August 8, 1985, Little Rock, Ark., Professor-Emeritus.

Alvin "Bo" Huffman, August 19, 1985, Blytheville, Advancement Campaign Director.



ROLLED — Paschal Stowell, a junior from Shreveport, La., studies amidst the tasteful exterior decorating that takes place periodically at Conger Dorm.



VENTURE — Junior and senior high school students in church vans converged on the Ouachita campus on Saturday, October 19, for VENTURE, a new activity providing youth groups with a full day of Bible study, youth oriented worship services, musical presentations and a football game. The event was housed in the Ouachita Physical Education Center. Nick Foster, a humorist from Louisville, Ky., was the principal speaker, and TRUTH presented two concerts. Mike Huckabee ('76) and Richard Wade ('71) are in the foreground, and Skipper Wofford ('62) is standing at the table.

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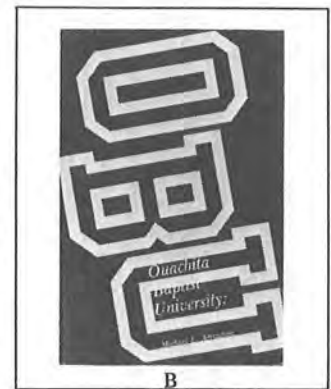


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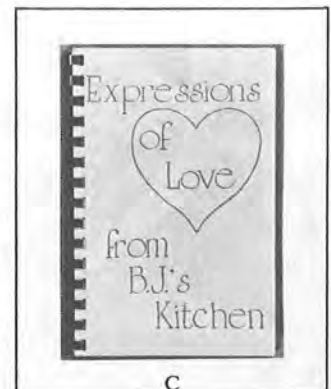
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