

# MORNINGSIDE COLLEGE BULLETIN

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### SECOND SEMESTER PLANS

The most radical change in plans for the second semester is the decision to admit certain high school seniors for mid-year registration who would normally graduate from high school in June. While most mid-western colleges had announced such a plan some time ago, Morningside had hoped it would not be necessary to do this. However, the Navy's recent decision to refuse enlistment in the Navy V-1 to any boy who would not enter school prior to March 16, 1943, clinched the matter and on January 14th college officials announced the following plan: A high school student in his or her senior year may be admitted before graduation if recommended by his principal and given honorable release from high school.

The college is glad to receive such applications but is engaging in no solicitation of them beyond making the opportunity known.

To date so many students have enrolled for the entering freshman class at mid-year that there will probably be more than last year's record of twenty-two new freshmen. Interest in mid-year registration of freshmen is limited chiefly to boys, so far.

Several new courses will appear in the second semester offering. An additional semester of current international relations, beginning college algebra, beginning college freshman English are among the courses of special interest. Other war courses continued from first semester include electronics and radio, basic aviation, ordnance and gunnery.

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### ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

Staff Cassell, athletic director at Morningside since last March, resigned his position January 1 to accept a commission in the United States Navy. Don Snyder, former Maroon athlete, replaced Cassell as director of athletics and has full charge of Morningside sports.

After winning five consecutive non-conference games, the Maroon cagers lost to the University of South Dakota five, 43 to 40, in their initial loop tilt but roared back the following weekend to upset the power-South Dakota State Jackrabbits, 62 to 41, with Bob Held pouring 32 points through the net.

### NEW PRESIDENT

The new president of the Morningside Alumni Association is Parnell H. Mahoney, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Parnell Mahoney, both former Morningside graduates,



Mr. D. P. Mahoney being an alumnus of the class of '12 and Mrs. Mahoney (Ethel Jane Haskins) being a member of the class of '08.

Parnell graduated from East High School in Sioux City in 1932, studied at Morningside for three years, then spent a year at the University of Arizona, where he received an A.B. degree in Business Administration. He returned to Morningside for his A.B. degree in 1937. In 1938 he received his M.A. degree in Business Administration at Stanford University.

Throughout his school life, Parnell was widely known for his ability as an orator and debater.

As a senior in East High, he won the National Extemporaneous Speaking Contest for High Schools. He won wide recognition at Arizona University when he represented the University in the State Championship Debate Team in a Pacific Coast Debate Tourney. He made an enviable reputation as a debater while a representative on Morningside debate teams.

Mr. Mahoney is associated with his father in the Sioux City Brick and Tile Company.

He is married, has a small son, Daniel Parnell, and lives at 2800 Valley Drive, Sioux City.

Other newly elected officers of the Alumni Association are as follows:

Lester Menke, '40, Vice-President.

Ira J. Gwinn, '22, Treasurer.

William C. Wolle, '20, Secretary.

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### MID-YEAR COMMENCEMENT

For probably the first time in Morningside's history a formal mid-year graduation was held Friday, January 22nd. Twelve students qualifying for the bachelor's degree heard President Dale Welch of Duquesne University address them on "Wither Do We Go?" The exercises were held at 9:30 A. M. in Grace Church, with full academic procession. Graduates were:

Willard Bryce Clayton, Sioux City, B.A. Biology Major.

Mary Cruikshank, Algona, B.A. Speech Major.

Ethel Lee Davis, Sioux City, B.A. Social Science Major.

Gwendolyn Irene Downey, Sioux City, B.A. English Major.

Brown Hitt Garlock, South Sioux City, Nebraska, B.A. History Major.

Margaret Slowey Lamkin, Sioux City, B.A. Economics Major.

John Wesley Payne, Sioux City, B.A. History Major.

Harry Victor Peterson, Ute, Iowa, B.A. Music Major.

Jean Caroline Runge, Peterson, Iowa, B.A. English Major.

Kathleen Marie Schnoor, Bouton, Iowa, B.S. Psychology Major.

Eleanor F. Thorpe, Algona, Iowa, B.A. English Major.

Robert Frederick Wagstaff, Sioux City, B.S. Physics Major.

Three of these graduates have teaching positions for the next semester. Eleanor Thorpe will teach Latin and English in the High School at Storm Lake, Iowa. Mary Cruikshank will teach in Forest City High School. Gwendolyn Downey will teach commercial subjects at Alton, Iowa.

Kay Schnoor is going to work at the Methodist Hospital in Des Moines where she graduated. In April she will be assistant instructor of Nursing Arts there.



## SECRETARY FOR ALUMNI GROUP

The Alumni Executive Committee welcomes the aid of a secretary and is happy to announce the appointment of Mrs.



Florence Montgomery Kingsbury to serve in that position.

Florence is a product of Sioux City where she received her educational training from kindergarten to baccalaureate degree.

In Central High she was active in the Philomathian society. At Morningside she chose the Zetaethian, now Kappa Zeta Chi, for her social group. Since graduation, although mothering a family of five, she has maintained her interest in college affairs, has been active in the Alumni group and kept in touch with present day students. Two of her children, Warren and Nancy, have chosen Morningside for their alma mater. Charlotte will matriculate this semester.

Florence is active in Woman's clubs and in the P. E. O. Sisterhood. She has a wide acquaintance and a host of friends among the Morningside alumni and ex-students who will rejoice that she has consented to devote her full time to the expanding interests of alumni and all former students of Morningside College.

Dear Mrs. Kingsbury:

I think your appointment as Alumni Secretary is a stroke of signal good fortune for both the college and the alumni and I want you to know that you have my complete and whole-hearted support. There is no niche in the Morningside organization that is more urgently in need of competent direction than the one you are filling. . . .

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely, Leon E. Hickman

## FACULTY ACTIVITIES

The third faculty forum of the current school year was held Wednesday, January 13th, when Dr. J. E. Kirkpatrick led a discussion on "Public Education in Iowa". Dr. Kirkpatrick, long active in the efforts to re-codify the outmodeled Iowa School laws paid particular attention to the current re-codification plans before the State Legislature. The next forum will be led by Dean Dorothy Brown on "Counseling Problems."

An invitation to give a series of lecture-discussions on problems of religious development has been extended to Professor M. B. Miller by the First Methodist Church of Sioux City. The series will be open to all adult members of the church. During January, Prof. Miller is the discussion leader for the Sioux City Breakfast Fellowship.

Acting as moderator for the weekly Collegiate Forum has revealed unusual talent in this line in Dr. Thomas Tweito of the History department. The weekly forum is unique in that all participants except the moderator are Morningside College students, with occasional guests from other colleges. The forum is heard every Wednesday night over KTRI at 8:30 CWT.

An invitation to read a paper at the annual meeting of the American Educational Research Association has been received by Dean George E. Hill. His subject will be "Research on Teachers' Instructional Problems". The meetings will be held at St. Louis from February 26 to March 2.

Prof. R. N. VanHorne, who has, for the past year, been a member of the Civil Service Commission of Sioux City, is now chairman of the Commission. This board is responsible for the selection and appointment of most of the non-elective employees of the city.

The Publications Committee, of which Miss Mirah Mills is the chairman, has appointed Prof. Henry Kanthlener adviser to the Collegian Reporter and Prof. R. N. VanHorne adviser to the Sioux, college annual.

Miss Laura Fischer, who this year added to her duties by teaching a section of Freshman English, will act as instructor for the new section of beginning Freshman English offered for freshmen entering at mid-year.

Resignation of Miss Pearl Amundsen, assistant librarian, to become librarian of

the 7th Service Command headquarters in Omaha, brings Mrs. Clinton Burris to take over duties in the library for the duration. Mrs. Burris is wife of Clinton Burris head librarian.

Engagement of Mr. John Garwood of the Economics department and Miss Kathleen Shnoor, college nurse, was announced just before the holidays.

Satisfaction with Morningside's participation in the federal science loan program was expressed by E. L. Kirkpatrick, traveling inspector for the U. S. Office of Education when he visited the campus on January 16th. Prof. Ira Gwinn is local administrator of the program which makes loans available to advanced science students.

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## NEW YORK NOTES

George Raymond, '25, was a visitor in New York City a short time ago. He is the nephew of Mrs. Paul MacCollin and is running true to form in being musical. As an avocation he writes songs, one of which has recently been adopted as the official marching song of the New York Patrol Corps, a group of civilians who are assisting the police for the duration of the war,

Word has just been received from Mary Dolliver, '20, that her first year in Iceland ends on January 25th. She is eligible for a furlough or a transfer but hopes to remain in Iceland since the Recreation Hall of which she is in charge has been completed. She is with the Red Cross on duty ten hours a day. In true Mary Dolliver style she stated, "The place is swarming with soldiers but I'm still single."

Mrs. Roy Smyres (Esther Montgomery, '18) of Montour Falls, New York, writes that Bob is a Junior and Peg a Freshman at Ohio Wesleyan University. Mr. Smyres is a clergyman.

Nora Rohwer Marousek, '22, and her husband have completed twenty years in the Presbyterian church at Jefferson, Iowa. Mr. Marousek is a native of Sioux City and a graduate of Princeton Seminary in the class of '22.

Everett Marquart, '21, has just left a fine position in the Detroit schools for Camp Custer.

Fern Marquart, '17, teaches in Ogden, Utah, and worked in defense work there during the summer vacation.

Ruth Reid Griffith, '19, lives in Avon, South Dakota. Her family consists of two sons, Reid and Jim. Mr. Griffith is Director of Taxation for South Dakota.



## FACULTY CHANGES

War time demands have resulted in several mid-year faculty changes. Mr. John Garwood of the Economics department was drafted December 18th and is now in the training division of the Army Finance Department. Mr. Thomas Canning of the Conservatory is in training as a student instructor in the Army Technical School at Lincoln. Mr. Stafford Cassell director of Physical Education, received a commission in the Navy late in December and is now in training at Chapel Hill, North Carolina. Mrs. G. J. Johnson, commercial instructor, resigned before the holidays to fill her husband's position at Central High School when he left.

Mr. Leonard C. Andersen of Sioux City has been engaged to take over Mr. Garwood's classes. Mr. Garwood's duties in the Office of War Information have been assumed by Dean Hill. Mr. Andersen, a graduate of the University of South Dakota with M.A. and B.A. degrees, was for five years a professor in the economics department of Waldorf College. The Commercial department is now headed by Miss Stella D. Yates of Winchester, Illinois. Miss Yates has had extensive experience as a high school and college teacher in commercial subjects and mathematics. Her most recent position was at the Eastern Kentucky State Teachers College. She holds the B.S. and M.S. degrees from the University of Illinois and has taken considerable additional graduate work.

Mr. Don Snyder has been appointed Acting Director of Athletics. He returned to Morningside, his alma mater, this fall to act as assistant in the department. Mr. Canning's work has been assumed by Mr. Richard Slayton of the Conservatory.

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## SORROW, HAPPINESS

Sorrow and happiness has come to Morningside's adopted son, Bob Feller, within one week. On January 10th, William Feller, the Iowa farmer who groomed his son Bob to become a major league pitching star passed away. A few days later Bob Feller was congratulated by his former baseball associates upon his marriage to the former Virginia Winther which took place in Waukegan, Illinois.

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## MISSING

Floyd Forsberg, ex '31, is reported missing since Wake Island.

## E. S. M. W. T.

Under the management of Prof. E. E. Olson of Iowa State College, the Physics and Economics Departments of Morningside, the Engineering personnel of KSCJ and the Sioux City Gas and Electric Company have cooperated during the past year in the Emergency Science Management War Training.

In February, 1942, the first class in Radio Technology was enrolled under the instruction of Dr. M. E. Graber and Prof. Ira J. Gwinn, of Morningside College and Mr. Alvin Smith and Ralph Lautzenheiser of the KSCJ technical staff. The class originally numbering 120 students, graduated 35 from the 32 weeks' course. Many of the members of this course are now in the Armed Services as radio technicians; others have gone into civil service work. In August, a second class of 50 was organized and is now at work on the more advanced phases of the course. On January 4, the third unit began the study of elementary electronics.

Under the provisions of the Government, the institution provides training for qualified individuals to pass the examination for a second class radio operators' license.

Another popular course has been "Industrial Safety" organized under the leadership of Dr. M. E. Graber and Prof. Mendal Miller. This course is more in the nature of a seminar and has for its object the development of safety standards in the installations of industrial plants. One section completed the work last spring. A second class is now in progress.

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## Chapel To Be Built In China For Rev. McCurdy

A memorial chapel is to be built in Chungking, China, after the war, to honor a Morningside College graduate, the late Rev. W. A. McCurdy, according to word received by Mrs. W. W. Brown, 3925 Orleans Avenue, Sioux City, Iowa.

Word of this and other posthumous honors to be conferred on Rev. Mr. McCurdy came from Mrs. McCurdy, who also was graduated from Morningside College and who served for many years in Chinese missions with her husband. They saw some of the severest Japanese attacks, and great damage was done to their mission buildings.

The memorial chapel is to be erected when the Institutional church at Chungking is reconstructed after the war. Recently Northwest University alumni in Chungking voted a contribution of \$50,000 to the fund now being raised for the chapel.

Mrs. McCurdy also told of learning, by radio, a message, that a mandate issued by

the Chinese national government praised Rev. McCurdy's "sincerity, benevolence and enthusiasm" in his work in Chungking and his courage in rescue work in enemy raids.

Rev. Mr. McCurdy died in a New York hospital after having returned to the United States for an operation.

Mrs. McCurdy and family expect to live in Syracuse, New York, where her son is to be a freshman at the University of Syracuse.

Rev. Mr. McCurdy lived in the Brown home while attending Morningside College here.

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(Rev. Wm. A. McCurdy was a graduate of Morningside in the class of 1914. Mrs. McCurdy is the former Eleanor Winkelman of the class of 1915.)

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## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wallen (Verona De-  
mond '40,) are the parents of a daughter, Gail Louise, born August 21, 1942. They are now living at 3925 Davis Avenue, Sioux City, Iowa, where Bob is working at the Air Base.

Mr. and Mrs. John Litecky, both '41, of 221 23rd Ave., N. E., Minneapolis, Minn., are the parents of a daughter, Marie Ardis, born November 20, 1942. Mrs. Litecky is the former Winifred Cheely.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Loff of Elk Point, South Dakota, are the parents of a daughter born at St. Joseph's Hospital in Sioux City on October 6, 1942. Mrs. Loff is the former Mina Nickum, ex. '41, and Mr. Loff is a graduate of 1942.

Mr. and Mrs. John DeGarmo are the parents of a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, born in April. John, '42, is now attending Garrett Biblical Institute.

Lt. and Mrs. C. M. Skalby, ex. '43, and ex. '42, are the proud parents of a daughter, Carole Jean, born Sept. 14, 1942, in Muskogee, Oklahoma. Mrs. Skalby is the former Betty Lou Welding.

Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Schuldt, '30, (Ruth Hulse, '33), have a new daughter, Miriam Ruth, born on New Years' day. Mr. Schuldt is Director of Admissions at the college.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gregalunas, (Doris Cairy, ex '36), are the parents of a daughter, Jolynn, born Jan. 7, 1943.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mahood, '41, (Dureth Helen Hitchcock, ex 42), are the parents of a daughter, Nancy Jane, born on Jan. 2, 1943, at Storm Lake, Iowa. Nancy Jane is "Miss 1943" of Buena Vista County.

Abigail Gertrude was born on November 5, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Thornton. Mr. Thornton is a graduate of 1933.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gedwillo, '42, are the parents of a son, John David, born December 13, 1942, in Chicago, Illinois.



## WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Dr. Roadman, the executive committee, and the Hickman committee have been searching for an all inclusive name that will include every Morningsider whether he had the opportunity to complete a four year course, or whether after one or two years, he completed his educational training in the University of Hard Knocks. The objectors to the term "alumni" think that it includes only four year graduates. Four year graduates find it difficult to recall how few of the people who enrolled as freshmen with them were fellow classmates four years later.

The following names have been suggested:

Alumni  
Morningside Alumni  
Morningsiders  
All-Morningsider  
Every Morningsider  
Tribe of the Sioux  
Morningside Sioux

Here's a job for you! Send in your own suggestion or vote for one of the above. We want a name that designates a happy family of the "children" of alma mater.

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## FACULTY CHRISTMAS MAIL BAG

Professor W. M. Gewehr is head of the Department of History at the University of Maryland, at College Park, Maryland.

Professor Warner F. Woodring is Professor of History at Ohio State University. He is writing a Constitutional History of England.

Professor Lester M. Jones is Professor of Sociology at DePauw University. He has just had a sabbatical half-year which he spent working on the race problem.

Mr. Milton Wixsell is instructor in Speech at the University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland.

Professor O. Douglas Weeks is head of the Department of Political Science at the University of Texas.

Professor J. Wesley Hoffman is Professor of History at the University of Tennessee, at Knoxville.

Jeanette Lewis, former Registrar at Morningside, died a year ago in Brawley, California. Her sister, Jane Smith, who taught Speech in Morningside, is married and living in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster M. Palmer are living at 28 Irving Street, Cambridge, Mass. Mr. Palmer is a staff member of the Howard University Library and Mrs. Palmer (Frances Hunter) enjoys the faculty associations and encourages Foster to continue his linguistic studies.

Dr. and Mrs. James J. Hayes, Oklahoma

News items are solicited. Also, please inform the Bulletin, through the Alumni Office, of any changes of address.

City, have announced the marriages of their daughters, Hester and Dorothy, during the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyford Greene (Margaret Kluge), Scarsdale, N. Y., announce the birth of a daughter, Margaret, on September 12, 1942.

Miss Mabel Elizabeth Brown, 3925 Orleans Ave., died at Rochester, Minnesota, Sept. 4, 1942, after a three months' illness. Miss Brown was Speech Director at Morningside College from 1913 to within the last few years. She is survived by one brother, E. A. Brown, of Owatonna, Minnesota.

Dr. Karl C. Dod has been working in the Examining Division of the Civil Service Department in Washington, D. C., since last July.

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## SECOND GENERATION FRESHMEN

This list of freshmen students includes the names of those whose parents attended Morningside College. The first six are distinguished by the fact that both parents were former Morningsiders.

Ruth Alice Held, Hinton, Iowa.  
Barbara Moorhead, Moorhead, Iowa.  
Leroy Mossman, Marcus, Iowa.  
Helen Northrup, Sioux City, Iowa.  
Margaret Ralston, Salix, Iowa.  
Thomas Wikstrom, Sioux City, Iowa.  
Gordon Christensen, Sioux City, Iowa.  
Richard Draper, Belden, Nebraska.  
Robert Downing, Ute, Iowa.  
Homer Dunn, Sioux City, Iowa.  
Robert Franken, Schaller, Iowa.  
Louise Gingles, Onawa.  
Annette Gray, Blencoe, Iowa.  
Taylor Jackson, Sioux City, Iowa.  
Homer Johnson, Sioux City, Iowa.  
Mary Niemeyer, Hawarden, Iowa.  
Kenneth Rowley, Spencer, Iowa.  
Homer Sweet, Denver, Colorado.  
Gloria Traudt, Sioux City, Iowa.  
Howard McConnell, Marcus, Iowa.

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## FORMER ALUMNUS SPEAKS IN CHAPEL

Mr. Frank Johnson, '13, was the speaker in chapel, Monday, January 11. Judging from remarks heard about college following his talk, his speech greatly appealed to the students.

Frank dwelt chiefly on new discoveries

in the field of chemistry and, in a very practical manner, revealed that a much better world is in store for us after the war.

Frank travels over the country, showing the youth of America what a bright future lies ahead of them and the College is proud of his work.

A group of faculty enjoyed lunching with Mr. Johnson at the Dormitory.

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## INTERESTING MEETING

The Chicago Alumni held a most interesting meeting on Monday evening, January 18, at the Lawson Y.M.C.A. Mrs. Iva Smith Jurgensen presided. Those in attendance included Captain John Kolp, George Ernest Wickens, Gailord Omer, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hilker, Dr. and Mrs. Arrow-smith, Lorraine Versteegen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parsons, Lewis Mahood, John Wedgwood, Mrs. George Hedenbergh Peterson, Miss Frances Craig, Mrs. Cora Dutton Mitchell (secretary of the club), Rachel Whitfield, Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Buchner, President and Mrs. Earl Roadman.

The new and more recent assignments of work represented by those present included Dr. Arrowsmith's new assignment as interne at St. Luke's Hospital. Lewis Mahood is a midshipman and candidate for an ensign's commission at Abbott Hall. Ensign Robert Hilker is in charge of recreation at Abbott Hall. Captain John Kolp is commanding officer for 1,118 men who are stationed in the Steven's Hotel and are part of the Army Air Force command.

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## WOMEN IN SERVICE

Mrs. Fred Dahl, (Julia La Grone, '38), is employed as an instructor in the Army Radio School in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, while her husband is in Civil Service work in the Panama Canal Zone. Her address is 915 W. 19th St., Sioux Falls, S. D.

Margaret Long, '40, is teaching in a government school which is commonly known as a government pool at Wright Field, San Bernardino.

Aux. Gladys Yeaman, ex '41, who joined the WAAC's at Des Moines last fall, has been transferred to Fort Myer, Virginia. Gladys has been lecturing and teaching Spanish and enjoying her work thoroughly.

Helen Weaver, '42, has been taking training in the Waves at Cedar Falls, Iowa, and is being transferred to Atlanta, Georgia, as a link trainer.

Francis Jean Fowler, '40, was commissioned an Ensign, USNR, January 15, 1943, and has been assigned to Radcliffe College, Boston, Mass., for further training.

Louise Smith, '33, and Florence Belson, ex '36, are with the Waves in North Hampton, Mass.



## WITH OUR BOYS

J. Don VanHorne, '18, is Sergeant in the U. S. Marine Corps, Western Recruiting Division, stationed in Tuscon, Arizona.

Wilfred Crabb, '38, is Pharmacist Mate c/2 at Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

Aviation Cadet Robert L. Frakes, Ex '44, has completed his Primary Flight Training at Thunderbird Field, Glendale, Arizona.

Cadet James J. Cobb, ex '43, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Cobb, Sioux City, Iowa, will be graduated from the United States Military Academy January 19. He attended Morningside College before going to West Point. Upon graduation he will be commissioned in the Field Artillery.

Dean Forbes, '41, First Lieut. in the Field Artillery at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, paid the college a visit while home on leave recently.

Edwin J. Bohac, ex '35, is in the U. S. Fleet, Headquarters of the Commander in Chief, Navy Department, in Washington, D. C.

Dorothy N. Robertson and J. LeRoy Kuhlman, '42, were married October 24, 1942, at Washington, D. C. LeRoy is an Ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve.

Helen Anderson, ex '43, and Lieut. Donald O. Leopold, Ex '42, were married January 2, 1943, in the Augustant Lutheran Church in Sioux City. They are at home at 2715½ Columbus Street, Waco, Texas.

Ruth Rance, '41, and Eugene Emme, '41, were married at the Spencer First Methodist Church by the groom's father, Dr. E. E. Emme, and President Roadman, on July 18, 1942. At present he is Flight Commander at Hamilton, Texas.

Marian Miller, ex '42, and Ensign Albert W. Buckingham, '39, were married October 31, 1942, in Grace Methodist Church by Dr. Earl A. Roadman.

Md. Lt. and Mrs. L. H. Rowse (Muriel Dewitt, '24) are in Waco, Texas, where LeRoy, '23, is instructor in mathematics and physics at the Gramel School.

Major Vincent E. Montgomery, '13, stationed at Hamilton Field, Calif., has charge of all the athletics and recreation at that Air Base. William, the second son of Major and Mrs. Montgomery, lost his life in an airplane crash at Pensacola, Florida, last July 10, just as he was about to receive his wings as an Ensign in the Air Corps.

Joe Rosenblum, ex '44, is in the Navy Air Crops, in Norman, Oklahoma.

Lewis Mahood, '41, is in the U.S.N.R. Midshipmans' Training School at Northwestern University.

Everett W. Marquart, '21, is with Hqts. Co. 103, Inf. Div., Camp Claiborne, La.

Ira Paul Schwarz, ex '44, is with the U. S. Navy School of Music, Washington, D. C.

Lieut. Ralph Bastian, '29, has been appointed aide to the commandant and legal officer of the Naval Operations Base at

Key West, Florida. Lieut. Bastian was an outstanding athlete in college, having captained both football and basket ball teams. He secured a leave of absence as Webster County Attorney to enter the navy.

Edwin Goodell Osborn, ex '43, 6250 Redford Drive, Seattle, Washington, was married July 18, to Miss Aileen Kerr, a junior in the University of Washington. Edwin is a graduate Radio Technician, working in the communications office of the navy.

Robert G. Snyder, '27, is a Captain in the Medical Service in Hawaii, having been in charge of hospital laboratory work there since last March.

As a Captain in the Air Corps, John D. Kolp, '14, is in command of a squadron of over one thousand men quartered in the former Stevens Hotel Bldg., Chicago, as part of the Army Air Force Technical Training Command.

Mr. Vic Alvey, '41, and Mrs. Alvey are living in Yonkers, N. Y. "Vic" is now serving as instructor in the Guggenheim Aeronautic Foundation, New York University.

Robert P. Munger, '31, state senator and son of the late Judge Robert H. Munger, received a First Lieutenant's commission in the Army in September. Lieut. Munger is stationed at 825 N. Eola Avenue, Orlanda, Florida.

Paul B. Sharar, '23, is a guidance and aeronautics instructor in the Clinton High School at Clinton, Iowa.

The Posey brothers, Bernard, ex '43, and Kenneth, ex '45, are both in the service. Bernard, at present, is stationed at Kingman, Arizona, and Kenneth at Grand Junction, Colorado.

Ted Whicher, ex '43, and Geraldine Thomas, ex '44, were married August 29th, 1942, in Springfield, Missouri. Ted is now a Corporal of Co. A, 26 E. T. Bn, at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

Jackson Hospers, '37, is stationed at D-2-1, FARC, Fort Bragg, North Carolina. Mrs. Hospers (Berdina Hill) is living at 3025 Jackson St., Sioux City, until Jackson finishes his training early in February.

Bob Long, ex '39, was commissioned an Ensign the day before Christmas.

Lieut. Eldon Pederson, '36, heads a staff of 14, which edits an army newspaper at Camp Forest, Tennessee.

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## PRICHARD FAMILY IN SERVICE

The late J. A. Prichard family presents a unique military record. The four sons and one grandson are in the service. Lt. Colonel George Prichard, '13, is at Fort Leonard Wood. Captain Elbert Prichard, '19, is stationed at Des Moines; Major Leslie Prichard, '34, is in Africa, and Major-General Vernon Prichard, ex '12, is in Arkansas. Lt. George Prichard, Jr., grandson of

the former J. A. Prichard, is a staff officer in Texas. Mrs. J. A. Prichard, mother of the four gallant sons, still lives at the family residence in Onawa.

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## CHANGES IN THE ENLISTED RESERVES

On December 17, 1942, the joint Army-Navy board, planning for the use of College facilities, announced sweeping changes in the enlisted reserves for college men. Plans call for calling all reserve enlistees into active duty and then re-assigning many of them to continued college education in the various colleges selected for this purpose. While the colleges have not yet been chosen, it is understood that some 250 will be used. The Army Reserve men are to be called starting in February, the Navy Reserve men "at a date to be determined". If re-assigned to college training these men will be in uniform, and will be provided regular pay and subsistence.

It is clear that many of the Army reserve men will be able to finish much, if not all, of the second semester and have been urged to register for the second semester by General Charles Grahl, head of the Iowa Selective Service in an address to the Morningside student body on January 4th. Navy reserve enlistments for boys not over 17 will remain open until March 15, 1943.

A bulletin explaining the new changes has been prepared and distributed by the College Office of War Information and can be secured by writing to the college. The office is under the direction of Dean George E. Hill.

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President Roadman, on a hurried trip to Washington, D. C., lunched on Tuesday, December 15, 1942, at the Cosmos Club with Dr. Ira N. Gabrielson, Major David L. Wickens, Captain Edwin Haakinson, Allen Thorton, and Guy McKinney.

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## WAR PRISONERS

Two of our Morningside men are reported as prisoners. First Lt. Robert E. Jackson, ex '43, may be addressed United States Army Air Force Prisoner 3235, Dulag Luft, Germany, via New York. Lt. Jackson was navigator in a bomber which was forced down in enemy territory in September.

Lt. Melvin McKnight, ex '43, pilot in the Air Force, was captured at the time of the fall of Bataan and is a prisoner in Tokyo. His address is United States Army Air Force, Serial No. 0412694, interned by Japan, formerly of Phillippine Islands, c/o Japanese Red Cross, via New York. Postage free.



## CLASS NOTES

1900 — 1910

Clarence E. VanHorne, '00, is secretary to Senator William Langer, Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Fred Erskine (Gertrude Price, Ex '01), has returned to her home in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, after having spent two years in California.

Rev. A. J. Quirin, '01, and Mrs. Quirin are spending the winter with their son, Arthur in Vancouver, Wash.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank E. Mossman, '03, Winfield, Kansas, who visited in Morningside just before Thanksgiving, were guests at a class reunion in the home of Mrs. B. M. Miller. Attending were Mrs. Pearl Woodford Buchner, '03, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. McDowell, '03, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Carson, '04, were also guests.

Lela McClary Young, Ex '09, passed away April 25, 1935. This information just reached the office from a relative.

1910 — 1920

Dr. Harry Schott, husband of Helen Holman Schott, ex '11, died from a heart attack November 25, 1942, in Los Angeles, California.

Hulda Kruetz, '12, instructor in East Junior High School, in Morningside, was heard recently over KSCJ in a program of original verse.

Mrs. Charles Griffin, (Florence Anthony, '12), of Utica, N. Y., is visiting in Sioux City for a few weeks.

Fred Schriever, '14, is a teacher in the Boys' Technical High School, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

The Etude of September, 1942, contains

another very interesting article by Ruth E. French, '15.

Funeral services for Merrill E. Stevens, ex '17, who died in Altadena, California, after a short illness, were held January 8, 1943, in Pasadena, Calif. His sister, Miss Irma Stevens, '21, resides in Inglewood, Calif.

Agnes Fry Sherwood, '18, until recently the attendance officer for Ottumwa schools, is now living in Fort Dodge. Her daughter, Phyllis, is married and lives in Los Angeles.

1920 — 1930

Mrs. Oscar Bjork, (Irene Woodard, ex '21), Lehigh, Iowa, has taken over her husband's work as interurban agent while he is serving in the Navy.

Mr. C. Evan (Shanks) Engberg, '21, is Vice-Principal of the John Burroughs Junior High School, Los Angeles. Mrs. Engberg, (Mary McCoy, Ex '21), is coordinator of Fine Arts, at the Francis Polytechnical High School in Los Angeles, as well as being director of music at the Grace Lutheran Church. Mr. Engberg is bass soloist at the Hollywood First Presbyterian Church. Their son, John Evan Engberg, who is in the fifth grade, plays the violincello, and piano.

Alice Fry, '21, is Director of Social Service at Huron Road Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio.

Minnie Reuber Eriksson, '21, is now on the staff of the Pasadena (California) public school system. She recently became a grandmother, a novel experience for her. Her oldest daughter, Lois, is the wife of a radio engineer at Calif. Tech.

A communication from Dr. Samuel A. Stouffer, '21, and Mrs. Stouffer, (Ruth Mc-

Burney '24), indicates that they are living in Chevy Chase, Maryland, a suburb of Washington, D. C. The inference is that Sam is again associated with some branch of the federal government, but we have no specific information on that at present.

Mary A. Johnson, '22, has been preaching in Wurtemburg, Pa., for four years.

Richard ("Dick") Burrows, '23, has started on his seventh year as pastor of the Third Presbyterian Church in Sioux City.

Margaret Kidder, '23, is Professor of Spanish at Baylor College for Women, Belton, Texas.

Helen Rogers, '24, is instructor in French and Latin at Buena Vista College, Storm Lake, Iowa.

Viola Benz, '25, has accepted a new position as teacher in vocal music in the public schools of Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Hickman (Esther Nixon) both '25, live at 1216 28th Street, Sioux City. Simeon is doing an excellent job as principal of the Leeds High School, which is serving as a real community builder.

Lowell B. Test, '25, who has been a member of the high school faculty at Spencer, Iowa, for 12 years has resigned as principal of that school to enter federal war work. Mrs. Test, (Henrietta Squires, '25), is teaching in Gillette Grove, Iowa.

Mildred Hartzell, '27, is head nurse in the Health Clinic at Cornell College and teaches Red Cross courses.

Donald Hartzell, '27, and family have moved from Washington, D. C., to San Francisco, Calif. He was recently sent by the Government to Alaska on a special mission connected with defense work.

## FOR MORNINGSIDE WAR SERVICE RECORDS

(To be mailed to the Alumni Office, Morningside College, Sioux City, Ia.)

The Alumni Office is collecting and preserving for Morningside history a record of Morningside men and women in active duty in any branch of service and would appreciate the help of every alumnus or parents, relatives, and friends, in filling out this form.

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