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Alumni, Students, Graduates, and Friends of the School . . .

O. M. WILSON IS NEW PRESIDENT

Dr. Owen Meredith Wilson, 50, was named as the University's ninth president by the Board of Regents.

Wilson, who has been president of the University of Oregon since 1953, succeeds James Lewis Morrill who will retire in June this year. He has held the post since 1946.

Owen Meredith Wilson was born in Colonia Juarez, Chihuahua, Mexico on Sept. 21, 1909. He took his undergraduate studies at Brigham Young University, Salt Lake City, Utah, graduating in 1934. He was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, honorary scholastic fraternity.

He spent three years abroad, studying at the Universities of London and Heidelberg. He later attended the University of California.

Taking his Ph. D. in 1943, he went to the University of Chicago as an assistant professor. During his four years there Wilson rose to the rank of associate dean.

He later moved to the University of Utah, where he was a professor of history and dean of the School of Science, Literature, and the Arts for five years.

Wilson has served on the American Council of Education, the National Commission on Accrediting, and the Western Interstate Commission on Higher Education.

Since 1956 he has been chairman of the Commission on Civil Rights of American Indians.



Dr. Wilson

He is a trustee of the Carnegie Foundation.

Wilson, his wife, and their six children will be the first presidential family to occupy the former Brooks Mansion on East River Road in Minneapolis.

COMMENCEMENT

Graduation exercises will be held on Wednesday, March 16, at 8:00 p. m. in Coffey Hall auditorium.

Elsewhere in this Agreview you have information relative to the alumni meeting. I hope many of you can attend that session.

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REUNION SET FOR SAUM ALUMNI

A record attendance of Alumni is expected at the 69th School of Agriculture Alumni Reunion March 13 and 14.

At the January meeting of the officers and directors of the Alumni Association, detailed plans were set for this famed reunion. Nothing in the way of time, effort, and preparation is being spared to give the returning alumni the finest reunion of all time.

The Institute of Agriculture will be the center of these activities. Being honored this year are the classes of: '95 - '00 - '05 - '10 - '15 - '20 - '25 - '30 - '35 - '40 - '45 - '50 - '55, and the graduating class of 1960. Even though your class is not having its five-year reunion this year, you, too, are cordially invited to attend the 69th reunion celebration.

We are pleased to announce that all alumni activities for the two days will be held in the new Student Center on the St. Paul Campus. These include: The meetings of honored classes on Sunday, March 13 (each class will have a separate meeting room); the traditional Sunday night alumni supper where all alumni and friends can eat and visit together. On Monday forenoon, March 14, the new Student Center has ample facilities for your informal meetings and for visiting. On Monday afternoon the annual alumni business meeting will take place at 1:00 p. m., and the famous alumni banquet will be held at 6:00 p. m.

It is especially important that all alumni attend the business meeting on Monday, March 14. A committee of alumni, headed by Fred Gehrman, '30, who has been studying the School of Agriculture's future the past two years, will give their report and recommendation at this meeting. Vital changes in the School's program are anticipated. Dean Theodore Fenske, of the Institute of Agriculture, will be at this meeting to discuss the administration's plans for the School. All alumni will be most interested in this and are urged to attend this meeting. We are sure you will have questions and suggestions to offer.

The annual banquet, March 14, will be entirely an alumni program with Dr. Clyde H. Bailey, '05, Dean Emeritus, of the Institute of Agriculture, presiding as master of ceremonies.

Some of the highlights of the banquet program will be: Special recognition of the Golden Anniversary Class of 1910; a prize for the alumnus traveling the greatest distance; receiving the class of 1960 into the Association, top entertainment. . . . and good old Aggie fun.

Alumni Secretary, Martha Hawkins, '17, states that announcements, class lists, reservation cards, and programs of the two days activities will be mailed to each member of the honored classes. If, by oversight, you did not receive yours by

March 1, write to Martha, 1400 E. Minnehaha Pkway., Minneapolis 17, Minn., telling her that you are coming to the reunion.

To you who are not having your five-year reunion this year and who will not get the individual letter of announcements, please send your reservations to Martha Hawkins by March 7.

We are pleasantly looking forward to seeing you March 13 and 14 and to help you in making this a most memorable reunion.

--Victor G. Dose, '37, President
SAUM Alumni Association

Henry G. Zavoral, 65, well-known former extension livestock specialist and swine authority at the University of Minnesota, died Friday afternoon, January 8, 1960, in St. Paul. He succumbed to a cerebral thrombosis and had been critically ill since the attack occurred Dec. 23, 1959.

Mr. Zavoral was a long time friend of the School of Agriculture. He had retired in February 1959, after 37 years on the University staff. He is survived by Mrs. Zavoral, his son James, a student at St. Thomas college, St. Paul, and a brother James, of Hutchinson.

News of Alumni

A field bulletin from Ecuador brings news of Evelyn Rychner (1944), who is working with the Christian and Missionary Alliance among the Indians. She is one of two missionaries working among the Quichua-speaking Indians, and they have around 70-80 attending weekly services. She is also serving in the Indian School at Agato, where 43 are enrolled.

Miss Rychner adds a personal note to the bulletin: "Our clinic has a steady stream coming to be cured on clinic days which is three times a week. I'm grateful to the School of Agriculture and its Practical Nursing course which I'm continually putting into practice on the Mission Field."

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STUDENTS ATTENDING SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

1959 - 1960

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happy to send you a letter.

These foreign students working on farms in
Minnesota now are a part of well over 150 young
farmers who have participated in similar activities
during the past ten years.

NORWAY--Bjorn O. Berg, Sokna, to Emil
Nord, Wolverton; Nils Gabriel Berger, Idd pr
Halden to Donald Sederstrom, Litchfield; Sveinung
T. Børte Telemark, to David Severson, Battle
Lake; Bjørn B. Lomsdal, Søndre Land, to Melvin
Hippe, Burtrum; Bjørnar Roel, Steinkjer, to Alfred
S. Nelson, Westbrook; Otto Svenkerud, Elverum,
to Obert S. Jacobson, Madelia

SWEDEN--Kjell-Ake Akesson, Askerod, to
Orville Bielenberg, Newport; Leif Valdemar
Henckel, Skurup, to Francis Zimmerman, Cleve-
land; L. A. Bleckert Lagerfelt, Malmslatt, to
Allan and Hilding Swan, Balaton

DENMARK--Laurids Caspersen Boisen,
Jylland, to Donald V. Sandager, Tyler; Verner
Johansen, Gern, to Sheldon Sandager, Hills; Knud
Hammer Sørensen, Nykøbing Mors, to Alvin M.
Ulland, Austin

GERMANY--Gunther Deuerbach, Stuttgart-
West, to Harris Byers, Westbrook; Dietrich Gebauer,
Hamburg, to Henning Clemetson, Moorhead;
Wilfried Geist, Sulzhayn/Harz, to Irving L.
Abrahamson, Lanesboro; Werner Gross, Schleswig,
to Marvin L. Sorenson, St. James; Hans-Dagobert
Grundmann, Unterlahnkreis, to Maurice Amundson,
Starbuck; Georg Herbert, Derne, to Arnold Hanson,
Crookston; Gerhard Hölsebeck, Hosel, to Ralph
Ranum, Starbuck; Ingomar Kohler, Heutingsheim,
to Bennie Strickler, Euclid; Johannes Kreis, Potsdam,
to Wilbert G. Kern, Dodge Center; Joachim
Kroppenstedt, Bielefeld, to Roy K. Lerud, Twin
Valley; Christian K. Levsen, Schleswig-Holstein,
to Victor Sandager, Hills; Helmut Miehlisch,
Munche, to Stanley Schewe, Sleepy Eye; Alwin
Löffler, Gissigheim/Nordbaden, to Jerome
Knutson, Grove City; Otto Pilgram, Unterolkofen,
to David Zimmerman, Waseca; Ludwig Rosentrager,
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Klein-Kalden, to John M. Harkness, Northfield;
Hansjorg Walther, Karlsruhe, to Max Maas, Pine
Island.

NEW FOREIGN STUDENTS

All of you will be interested in reading the
names and places of the young men who will come
to Minnesota from Norway, Sweden, Denmark, and
West Germany. You will note the names of the host
farmers listed along with the name of each one of
our foreign students.

This is one of the extremely significant activ-
ities now being carried on through Agricultural
Short Courses. If you are interested in any more
information about the foreign students, we will be



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