Elections set for May 5

Henderson, Jacobsen vie for top office

Campaigns for Associated Student Body and class offices are in full swing as primary elections were completed this afternoon. ASB President Charles Redd stated, "I am pleased with the increased interest in elections," and expects the school's general election speeches will be on May 4 at 10 a.m. in LRC 25h floor chapel. The final election will be televised live Wednesday, May 5.

Forty-two students sought the twenty Senate offices and judicial board posts.

Tuesday, May 5, general elections will be held from 8:00-4:30 in the cafeteria and the successor to the office lobby at LWC.

Voting for the office of Associated Student Body president will be seniors Steve Henderson and Rob Jacobsen. Both men have established platforms which were presented to the student body in chapel yesterday.

Steve Henderson has worked four years with the Senate in various capacities since his freshman year. He was president of his freshman class and served as student representative to the Academic Advisory committee and the World Action Committee. Presently, he is a member of the World Action Television Singers.

Commenting on his World Action commitment, Steve explained, "Whether or not I am elected, this is my last semester as a World Action Singer."

I am concerned that almost 200 students are not fully represented on the Senate because they are unused to the procedures. This situation must be rectified.

"Also much more understanding needs to be achieved in the area of dress codes. I feel it is necessary to organize a new Senate committee which would work full time with the administration to establish a more workable set of regulations for the dress code of a progressive school like ours."

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ARTICLE OF THE WEEK

Spring concert to feature Mendez

A full house is expected for "The International," an Orol Roberts University faculty trio, on May 1. Featured artist will be Morton Mendez, the school's current Conductor, Rod P. Fenn.

The following times will be when Mendez will perform: 8:00-1:00 on Saturday and 8:00-1:00 on Sunday.

A new series of more intimate concerts is expected to be held every Saturday night by the Concert and Lecture Series Committee.

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Children's Theatre offers "Pied Piper"

A children's classic, "The Pied Piper of Hamelin," will be performed by the Drama Department in the Student Center Auditorium tonight for ORU students at 8:00 and Saturday afternoon at 2:00 and 4:00 for the children of Tulsa.

Directing the three-act play is Miss Alma Goldey. Admission will be free.

The Pied Piper is a story of a medieval town plagued with rats. When the Pied Piper appeared, he offered to lead the rats out of town with his magic flute, the towns officials accepted his proposition and agreed to pay him one thousand guilders.

Three professors children will join the ORU cast, which includes Bob Pollard, Hal War- field, Pat Green, Daris Newton, Eugene Lynn, Paet Simpson, Donna Monroe, Bob Butcher, Terri Looney, Herb Smith, Alex Cor- ba and Linda Bird.

Sagas fourteenth student, four hundred and one students will present persuasive speeches at the same time in an attempt to draw and hold an audience. The fifth soap box will be open for nonspeech students to voice their opinions. All faculty, students, and hucksters are cordially invit- ed.

Payroll checks ready

Student payroll checks for the month of April will be ready tomorrow, May 1. Students are urged to come into the Business Office and endorse or pick up their checks as soon as possible.

Summer aid available

A limited number of jobs will be available for summer school, (Continued on Page 2)

Saga innovates new schedule

As an added convenience for ORU students, Saga Foods today adopted a new "continuous dining" cafeteria schedule which will provide more than 11 hours of food service to boarding students Monday through Friday.

Under the chairmanship of Ron O'Dell, the Student Senate Food Committee officially approved the changes April 27.

The new schedule features:

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by Marsha White

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Figlet's Finds . . .

a column of real-life humor

Hey, it’s springtime! Other universities across the country are sponsoring kiss-a-thons and the idea is to see who can hold a kiss the longest! An attempt to set a record at the University of Capetown failed when the girl began to hiccup after 2 hours and 45 minutes! Sure beats studying for finals!

You should have seen it! It was Ted Goodridge’s birthday last week, and his mom sent some money for a cake. His “friends,” with ringleaders Charlie Kennedy and Blair Cusworth, brought the cake to his table, sang Happy Birthday, and Ted got his cake. Right in the face! Ingredients? 100 percent shaming cream. Said Ted, “I thought it looked rather small, but then I thought it was just for me!” It was, Ted. It’s fun talking to some of the elderly people at the seminar. One man asked me, “Did you ever hear this? Beauty is only skin deep, but ugly’s to the bone. Beauty fades away, but ugly holds its own!”

David Fry is as funny off stage as on. Working in the snack bar, Dave shocked a customer with his wise-crack. Customer: “Make me a chocolate sundae.” Dave: “Pooft! Now you are a chocolate sundae.”

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I'm not writing this because I'm partial to men in uniform, but just want to speak on behalf of those students who, like myself, are glad that the security men are armed.

Last year, in our parking lot, there was an average of a theft a night. The crime rate, as everyone knows, is increasing at an unbelievable rate, which many attribute to the use of drugs. College campuses all across America are spending thousands of dollars on new security measures.

Certainly ORU is a unique campus, but we still live on the earth, and it isn't heaven yet! I know the security guards have strict orders never to use their guns unless it is absolutely necessary. They are here to protect the students, and I feel safe because I know they are doing their best for us.

The security men are against violence and are ready to defend the lives of innocent people.

—Ruth Fhi

Special wins t.v. academy nominations

ORU students will have a new interest when the Television Academy gets around to opening their sealed envelopes in Los Angeles May 7. The Oral Roberts television specials hit a new high last week as they were honored with special, "Love is ..." received "Emmy" nominations to act-direct-scene design and lighting direction. Fred Luft received the nomination in the former category and Carl Gibson in the latter.

The seven-part story is competing with "The Glen Campbell Show" and "The Filp Wilson Show" for one Emmy, and the lighting direction is competing against Kraft Music Hall's "Hamlet" and "The Andy Williams Christmas Special" for the other Emmy.

Jennie Rodgers, Colleen Gray, and Sarah Vaughan were guest stars in the Valentine special shown last February which was watched by an estimated forty million home viewers.

COMMENTARY

If the dead could but speak...

(Found on the body of a U.S. soldier killed in action)

Look God, I have never spoken to you. But now I want to say, "How do you do," You see, God, they told me you didn't eat, And like many, I believed all this. Last night from a shell hole, I saw your sky. I figured right then they had told me a lie. Had I taken time to see things made, I'd have known they weren't killing a spade a spade. I wonder if you'd take my hand? Somehow, I feel that you'll understand. Funnies I had to come to this hellish place Before I had time to see your face. Well, guess there isn't much more to say

But I'm glad, God, I met you today. I guess the "zero hour" will soon be here. But I'm not afraid since I know you're near. The sign? Well God, I'll have to go. I do you love, this I want you to know. Look, now, this will be a horrible fight. Who knows, I may come to your house tonight. Though I wasn't friendly to you before. I wonder, God, if you'll wait at your door. Look, I'm crying! Mel Sheding tears I wish I had known you these many years. Will, I have to go now, God, Goodbye! Shunge, since I met you, I'm not afraid to die.
Baseballers push record to 26-9

by Bill Borden

Many things stand out at Oral Roberts University; one is the baseball team. Currently boasting a 26-9 record, the team won 5 of their last 6 games.

Pitcher Jack Chaney is 3rd in the nation in NAIA ratings with a record of 7-1. Larry Tobert, another pitcher, is 7th in the NAIA ratings with a 6-1 record.

Win eludes Van Lingen

The victory was so near and yet so far for Titan tennis star Peter Van Lingen at the Houston River Oaks tournament last Tuesday.

Van Lingen met the No. 1 seeded player in the tournament and one of the top professional netters, Clark Graebner, and played head-to-head tennis before losing his first regulation round match by close 6-4 and 7-6 scores. He led Graebner from two sets points before losing.

One of only eight college players to advance from the college qualifying rounds of the meet, Van Lingen had knocked off Ken DeKronning and Betty McKinnley Monday, April 19. DeKronning, a student at Corpus Christi, is champion of Surfteam, while McKinnley, a student at Trinity who holds one of the only two college match wins over Van Lingen, provided Van Lingen his opportunity for revenge in his match. McKinnley's victory over the Titan's No. 1 man had come two years before.

In other recent tennis action, ORU lost a heartbreaker to Arkansas University at Fayetteville, Ark., Monday, April 26, by a 5-4 score. Playing six singles and three double matches instead of the usual five singles and two doubles matches, the Titans failed to provide adequate depth to pull out the win.

Beginning today, the Titans are participating in the double elimination regional Classic at Starkville, Miss.

Greg Davis holds down 7th in the NAIA battery category with 12 doubles. Another slinger is Gary Maple who is 16th nationally with 13 doubles.

Oklahoma City was the site of double April 15 when ORU romped over Oklahoma City University in a twin bill by scores of 11-2 and 11-0. Jimmy Lee won the first game and boosted his record for the year to 5-0. Larry Tobert pitched the second and took the victory. In that doubleheader, Gary Maple found the exact holes and punched out 0 doubles and 2 triples.

61st and North Lewis Avenue (Chief Benton Field) was the place ORU fought Evangel on April 17. The ORU nine shooed their bats and sent Evangel reeling by scores of 7-0 and 7-2. Jack Chaney and Steve Cain took the wins, respectively.

ORU traveled to Slaw Springs, Ark.; on April 23 to play John Brown University and came away with a 6-3 loss and a 3-1 win.

Coach Herb Dallis commented, "We faced the hardest-throwing pitcher all year in the first game." ORU committed 5 errors which allowed 4 runs to score.

Steve Cain was the loser for ORU. He had a 3-4. Jack Chaney won the second.

Linsters top Southeastern

The Oral Roberts University tennis team topped Southwestern State twice last week before suffering their second season loss in 15 outings to the University of Oklahoma in a dual meet Friday.

Playing at Duracel last Monday, the Titan golfers whipped Southwestern State 12 1/2 to 2 1/2. In a return meet at Meadowbrook last Friday, however, they came away with a 12 1/2 to 5 1/2 win. Earlier this season, ORU had downed the visitors by three strokes to the Tulsa Classic.

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