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Host ORU delegates Neil Clapp and Brian Stalwick (right) discuss plans for the fall session of OIL with Lt. Governor Harry Hewlett and a University of Oklahoma delegate.



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# the Oracle

## 'Rainmaker' begins Thursday, Nov. 4

by Lydia Mathre

"Anything that I can do to further the Lord's work in theatre is my ministry," commented Alma Golder, who has assumed full production responsibilities for "The Rainmaker" as her senior project. A romantic comedy set in the mid-1920's, "The Rainmaker" will be performed by the Oral Roberts University drama department on Nov. 4, 5, and 6 at 8 p.m. in Timko Barton Auditorium.

The characters include Joan Hall, who plays Lizzie; David Smith as File; Phil Boatright as Starbuck (the Rainmaker); Eugene Lynn as the father, H. C. Curry; Gabriel Hegyes as the older brother, Noah; Norm Allen as the little brother, Jimmy; and Clay Howell as the sheriff. Hal Warfield is assistant director. The play describes the ro-

mance of a drought-stricken family in the Midwest and the effect that a sweet talking conman has on this family. "It is the story of the love the members of the family have for one another," Alma said. "It not only binds the family together but, at times almost causes it to split apart."

Directing "The Rainmaker" as her senior project is a big job. Alma said, "I have full production responsibilities from casting to final performance. I had to design the set and lighting charts, see to it that the costumes are right for the period, and will head up all the crews, and direct the show itself."

"I will hand in a production book which will have the play script with blocking and lighting cues, an analysis of each of the characters, a general analysis of the play, and a 10-page paper on the problems of pro-

ducing a secular play on a Christian campus." Also included in her responsibilities is the proper execution of advertising.

Alma has designed the stage setting using just a frame outline that can be seen through. "The set reflects a simplicity that shows up in these people," she observed. "They (the characters) all love each other." "The setting is my own symbolism of being able to see everything without a wall."

Alma has been actively involved in the theatre for many years. "My mother started taking me to see plays when I was about seven years old," Alma declared. "The first play that I saw was 'Pygmalion.' I always had love for the theatre and its fantasy."

"I got interested in theatre at the age of 11 by working as a cook's helper in a player's lodge for summer stock players. That summer some of the girls took me under their wings and got me working with costumes. The next summer I worked in publicity. Through the following years I worked my way up doing odd jobs for them. The summer I graduated from high school I was in their professional production of 'Bye, Bye, Birdie.'"

After she graduates, Alma looks forward to the possibility of directing a traveling drama group from ORU or going to New York to take more acting courses in one of the acting schools there, get a job, and try to break into Off Broadway.

## Roberts addresses Interim Session

"God is concerned about man. He is concerned about man's body, mind, and spirit," said President Oral Roberts when he addressed the October Interim Session of the Oklahoma Inter-

collegiate Legislature (OIL) last Saturday morning in Zoppelt Auditorium.

"Education is only an instrument," continued Roberts as he stressed the importance of the whole man concept of Oral Roberts University. "This university is unique and cannot be compared with others, because we are not trying to be like other universities. We are trying to create an environment where the students, the faculty, and the administrative staff will have feelings for one another as persons and not as things."

OIL Governor Rick Shelby presided over the morning session at which Roberts spoke. Accompanying Shelby was Lt. Governor Harry Hewlett. Representatives of at least ten Oklahoma universities discussed the House and Senate rules which will be in effect during the 1971 Fall Legislative Session, Nov. 11-14.

The delegates to the fall session (the second session of the third legislature) will meet in the House and Senate chambers of the State Legislature in Oklahoma City. ORU will send five delegates to the session.

Anyone interested in helping to prepare legislation for the fall session should contact Brian Stalwick, ORU's delegation chairman, at extension 2888.

## Senate plans fete Oct. 30

Two hayrides, a Dracula's Daughter flick, and plenty of refreshments will be included in the all-school Halloween party to be held at Indian National Park Oct. 30. Sponsored by Student Senate, tickets for the event are available in the Student Center cafeteria this week for one dollar.

For those students who don't have motored brooms, a bus will be provided and leave from outside the Student Center at 6:15.

## Students named to 'Who's Who'

Names of twenty-three ORU students nominated to be recognized in **Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges** have been approved by the organization's headquarters at Tuscaloosa, Ala. for inclusion in the 1971-72 volume.

Representing the total number of nominees ORU is allowed, all the students nominated were seniors. Nominees include Robert Brown, Gilbert "Tim" Cameron, Jr., Linda Fisher, Rod Jacobsen, John David MacKenzie, Sam McCamey, Linda Mix, Ron O'Dell, Phillip Odom, Betsy Pike, Don Ryan, Lana Scott, and Susan Miller Smith.

Also, Mark Spuler, Peter Van Lingen, Wayne Werner, Peter Whyte, Ruth Will, Sheryl Williams, Josef Solc, Emil Trautman, and Jan Dargatz. Miss Dargatz was also nominated for the honor last year.

The students were selected according to scholarship, service to the university, participation and leadership in student activities, citizenship, and "best exemplification of the ideals of ORU." All-round performance is emphasized.

From 160 names submitted, the final nominees were selected by a committee of nine represented by the Student Senate, the faculty, the Student Affairs Committee, and the Student Affairs staff. Less than one per cent of all American college students are chosen for the honor.

## State evaluation team commends department

The State Department of Education Evaluation Team visited the Oral Roberts University campus last week and unanimously commended Dr. Maudlin Ray and the staff for their development and maintenance of "a very excellent teacher education program." The visitation team also extended the certification programs for teacher education to June 30, 1974.

The visitation team consisted of Donald Stacey, Principal of Key Elementary School in Tulsa; Dr. Carl Oliver, Associate Dean of College, University of Tulsa; Ronald Carpenter, Director of Teacher Education and Certification, State Department of Education; and Dr. Earl Reynolds, Director of Teacher Education, Southwestern State College, who served as chairman of the team.

Monday, Oct. 19, a banquet was held for the visitation team, the Oral Roberts University Teacher Education Committee (TEC) and invited guests Dr. Carl Hamilton, Dean of Academic Affairs; Dr. Howard Ervin, President of the Faculty Senate; and Dr. John Dewell, Director of Intern Teaching at the Education Service Center.

The original self-study of teacher education at Oral Roberts University was prepared by the TEC and presented to Carpenter in May 1969. This document provided the basis for the examination by the 1969 visitation committee and subsequent approval of the teacher education program for a three-year period beginning May 28, 1969,

and ending June 30, 1972. This approval was vital because it enabled students to secure teaching positions throughout the United States even though ORU was not then accredited by North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

In Sept. 1969, ad hoc committees were appointed to analyze and fulfill the recommendation. (Please turn to page 4)

## News headliners . . .

### UN ousts Nationalist China

The United Nations General Assembly Monday adopted by a 76-35 vote an Albanian resolution to admit Communist China to the UN and expel Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist regime.

Vice Foreign Minister Reis Malile of Albania called the outcome "a victory for the peace-loving peoples and a great defeat for the United States of America."

### Nixon nominates court justices

President Nixon last week nominated Lewis F. Powell, Jr., and William H. Rehnquist to the Supreme Court. The President disclosed his choices for the two court vacancies in a television-address to the nation last Thursday night.

Powell, 64, a Richmond, Va., trial lawyer, and Rehnquist, 47, an assistant attorney general, were described by Nixon as judicial conservatives like himself. He indicated he expects them to correct what he called a shift in the balance of power in American society against "the peace forces."

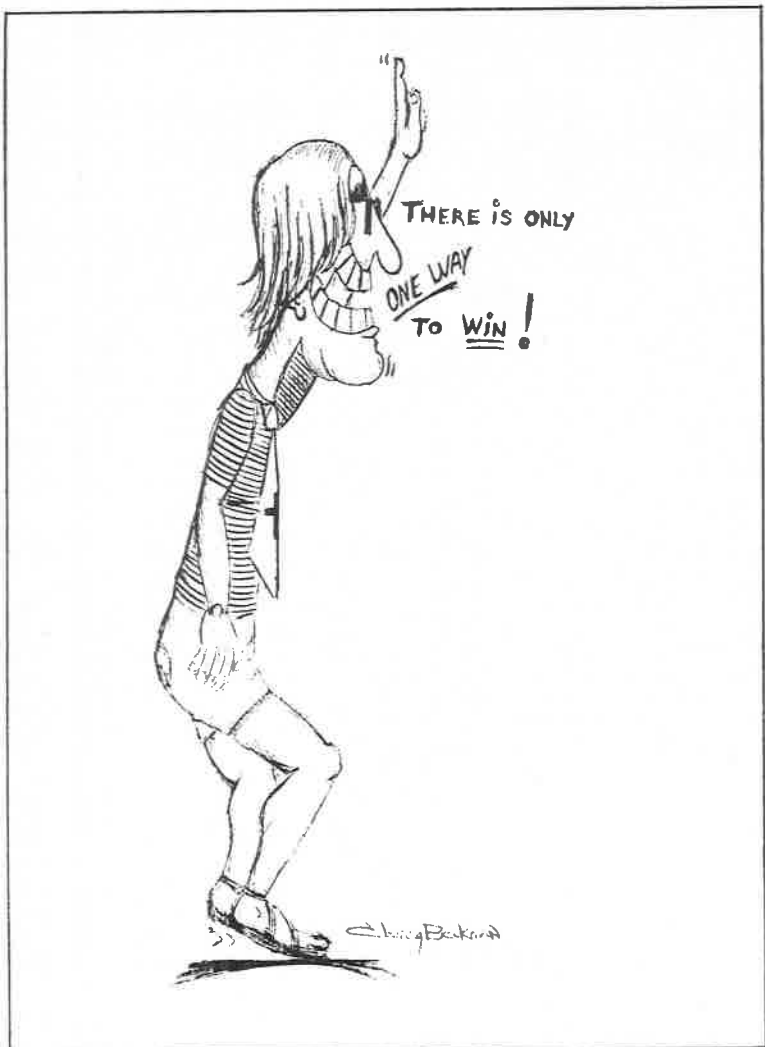
### Lions' receiver dies of heart attack

Wide receiver Chuck Hughes of the Detroit Lions died of an apparent heart attack Sunday less than one hour after he collapsed on a National Football League playing field.

Hughes collapsed on the Chicago 15-yard line with 62 seconds left in the game and never regained consciousness. He was 28.







After the glory fades...

# Dedication prevails

by Ron O'Dell  
Director of Christian  
Service Council

Reaching people with the healing love of Jesus Christ is what the Christian Service Council is all about. Telling the Way is not enough: we've got to show the Way as well. We've got to use our hands as well as our words and prayers to touch the needs of this world. "Showing" may mean getting your hands dirty laying a pipeline at the Boy's Ranch, digging a hole for a septic tank, or just holding a little child up close.

Working for the Lord is exactly that work! Soon the newness wears off, the glory fades, and the magnitude of the ministry is seen. Then it is easy to say, "I can't hack it," "They don't really need me," "I need to study more," "I've got a big date to-night," or "I'd rather do something else." Such statements are common after mid-semester. When we begin to care about the right things and really serve our Lord, we find the enemy close at hand to lure us from our service. If we're going to show what

we tell, we've got to be consistent and committed. The Apostle said in Ephesians 6:13, "Put on God's complete armor, that you may be able to resist and stand your ground on the evil day, and having done all, to stand. Stand therefore . . . hold your ground . . ."

This year the Christian Service Council is stressing a disciplined, responsible outreach into our community. Some guidelines have been set forth for each ministry in the form of a covenant. Every student who becomes involved in a particular ministry will covenant to God:

1. Faithful, consistent participation to his ministry for the entire semester.

2. Adequate preparation: personal and group prayer along with Bible study.

3. An intention to help financially support his ministry.

"Showing the Way" must become our way of life. We can achieve this only by placing certain priorities upon ourselves. Our Lord is worthy of the best we have to offer Him, as we "Let the SON shine out of this place . . . into every man's world."

## New Views

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### Senate Calendar

Nov. 1-3, Monday-Wednesday: Grapevine, sponsored by the Communications Committee.

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Nov. 2, Tuesday: Senate meeting, Zoppelt Auditorium, Rm. 301, 11 a.m. All students are welcome.

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Nov. 3, Wednesday: no chapel at 11 a.m. President Roberts will speak at the World Action Concert in the gym, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

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Nov. 4-6, Thursday-Saturday: "Rainmaker," Timko-Barton Auditorium, 8 p.m.

## Students back commuter representation in Senate

Do you feel that the commuters should be represented on the Student Senate?

Linda Plansoen, freshman: "Yes. Definitely! The commuters are part of the University. Therefore they should have some voice in student government."

David Ransbarger, freshman: "I hadn't really thought of it very much. Yes, although I've never been one, I guess they feel quite left out of student activities. It just seems right."

Jan Beck, senior: "Yes! The dorm students have absolutely no concept of what the needs of commuter students are. It seems that there is a communication gap between dorm students (in-

cluding the senators) and commuters."

Mike Jared, freshman: "I have mixed feelings. To an extent they don't need better representation than they have now. If their present officers would represent them effectively there would be no problem."

Mike Rasco, junior: "It would be great! ORU is oriented to dormitory students, but the number of commuters is growing proportionately."

Vickie Smith, senior: "They should be represented as much as any other student. I'm not sure that it would be right to give them special and separate representation any more than we

give athletes or foreign students special representation. They are already represented, at least in theory, by their class officers and AMS or AWS."

Ted Goodridge, sophomore: "Yes, they are full-time students and they have a right to voice their opinions on their special interests and problems."

Laverne Francis, freshman: "Yes they are part of ORU and what happens on campus affects them as well as dorm students."

Cal Garcia, freshman: "Yes they are part of the school and the decisions and policies of the Senate have a definite influence on their lives."

## Involvement replaces apathy

Open letter to ORU students:

I am not going to say I totally agree with everything about this school, but, for the most part, I am very pleased. The thing that upsets me more than anything else is the apathy among the students. Everywhere I go people complain that "There is nothing to do. When are we going to have a party?" As a class officer I can plan parties but I cannot go around to every student and invite him to come.

For anything to come off it takes the involvement of all interested students. If there is a party planned and you want it to be a big one you can help make it big by encouraging your friends to attend. Do not rely on your class president to do it all. The same thing applies to campus news. No matter how much something is advertised not everyone is going to find out

about it. So instead of complaining about poor communications, go to your friends on your wing and inform them of the things that are about to happen on campus.

I really feel sorry for the new freshman class officers. Being last year's freshman class vice-president I know what it feels like to be voted in after only 30 people attend the general election campaign speeches. But it is part of our responsibility as students to be involved and interested in our class. The sophomore class officers are going to see what they can do to help make campaign week more enjoyable to all this year. In the meantime get behind the officers of your various classes. Since they are already voted into office, just talking about them is not going to do any good. You might as well make the best of it.

There are approximately 30 clubs on campus this year so there is no reason for anybody to sit in the dorm and say, "I don't have anything to do." Get involved in a club and put some of your spare time into that. Also everyone who loves the Lord and has any spare time should be involved in an off-campus ministry. This is one way of keeping yourself busy, promoting the school, making new friends, and above all serving the Lord.

As defined in the dictionary apathy is the lack of emotion or feeling. A lot of students here have this feeling toward this school as a whole. They could care less about the seminars, the youth specials, etc. Many things are going to happen in this world of ours directly because of this school and its ministries. We should all get behind Oral Rob-

erts and support him. He made this school for us to attend and enjoy and we should be very grateful to him and the regents, instead of always arguing over little things such as the sign-in list in the girls' dorm. I dare say that he has lived longer than any of us and has been a Christian longer than most of us have been alive.

He knows what he is doing, but this is not to say he does not need our help, for he does. Notice that I said he needs our help, not our hindrance. He could use all of our prayers.

Let's stop being apathetic about our senate, class, school, and life in general. Life can be a ball of fun if we use the great potential Christ has put in all our hearts and stop complaining about what we do not have.

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Sophomore class president



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## Booters tie NTS

The booters of Oral Roberts University played to a 1-1 tie, their first of the season, against North Texas State University last Friday. Tuesday afternoon Hesston College invaded Tulsa and left with a hard-earned 5-1 victory.

The lone goal for ORU in

## Intramural manual out

The 1971-72 edition of the student intramural handbook was expected to be distributed to the entire student body by the athletic chairmen this week. Jack Wallace, director of intramural sports, pointed out that the use of the book is to keep up with the scheduling of each sport.

The book was written by Coach Myron Peace and Dave Vernon at the end of last school year. After Wallace took the reins as intramural director, he had the book published.

Explaining the contents of the book, Wallace explained, "This year's edition of the handbook was written mainly for the men's intramural sports with the dates, rules, and records pertaining only to the men." The rules and the records for the women are not listed, but the dates for intramural sports listed for the men correspond to those of the women.

Plans are already being made for 1972-73 handbook which will be an expansion of this year's. Four new areas to be covered in the next edition are women's rules, new sports, updating of records, and plans to involve commuter students and athletes. Wallace hopes to have the plans laid next year for the assignment of commuter students to the various wings so that they can get in on the "athletic, intellectual, and spiritual life on the campus. As for the athletes in Shakerian Hall, they can form a team or join a wing just the same as commuters."

"Anyone who does not receive a copy of the intramural handbook," said Wallace, "should get in touch with his athletic chairman."

the North Texas match was scored by rookie Brad Stevens with an assist by Tim Hinkle in the first half of play. North Texas State's goal was scored in the third quarter on a penalty kick. Mitch DeZeeuw and Alieu Fye, who were sidelined last week with injuries, returned to action for the Titans. Fye played goalie for injured Tim Tabor.

Although the Titans lost to Hesston, Coach John Johnson thought that the team's showing was nothing of which to be ashamed. "The team played a much stronger game than they did last time against Hesston," he explained.

Coach Johnson went on to say, "We hope to play a good game Saturday in Kansas against Ottawa, which is the best team in the Midwest."

The ORU soccer team will wind up their season next Friday against Southwestern of Oklahoma City.

## Titan workouts progressing

Titan basketball workouts currently are open to the public. Practice sessions for the freshmen are held at 3 p.m. weekdays, while the varsity practice begins at 6:30 p.m. Those attending the workouts are asked to sit in the balcony.

"Every Friday around 3:30 the team has an intra-squad scrimmage," announced sports information director Bob Brooks.

The talented Titans should be well worth watching. According to Coach Ken Trickey, "They have been progressing well."

## Children's Theatre tryouts

Tryouts for the Children's Theatre production of "The Princess and the Swineherd" will be held Nov. 10 and 11.

## 1971-72 Varsity Basketball Schedule

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE
Wed., Dec. 1		Illinois State University	Normal, Ill.
Fri., Dec. 3		California State Poly (Pomona)	Tulsa
Mon., Dec. 6		Morehead State University	Morehead, Ky.
Thurs., Dec. 9		*Hofstra University	New York City, N.Y.
Sat., Dec. 18		Murray State University	Murray, Ky.
Mon., Dec. 20		Los Angeles State	Tulsa
Wed., Dec. 22		University of Main	Tulsa
Wed., Dec. 29		ORAL ROBERTS CLASSIC	Tulsa
Thurs., Dec. 30		(ORU, University of Connecticut, East Carolina University, Loyola University of Los Angeles)	
Wed., Jan. 5		St. Francis (Pa.)	Tulsa
Mon., Jan. 10		Eastern Kentucky University	Richmond, Ky.
Sat., Jan. 15		Moorhead State (Minn.)	Tulsa
Mon., Jan. 17		Butler University	Indianapolis, Ind.
Thurs., Jan. 20		Idaho State University	Pocatello, Id.
Tues., Jan. 25		Lamar University	Beaumont, Tex.
Fri., Jan. 28		Louisiana Tech	Tulsa
Mon., Jan. 31		William Jewell College	Tulsa
Sat., Feb. 5		Oglethorpe College	Tulsa
Sat., Feb. 12		Fresno State	Tulsa
Mon., Feb. 14		Trinity University	Tulsa
Sat., Feb. 19		West Texas State University	Tulsa
Thurs., Feb. 24		Union (Tenn.) University	Tulsa
Sat., Feb. 26		Boston University	Boston, Mass.
Mon., Feb. 28		Harvard University	Cambridge, Mass.
Fri., Mar. 3		Univ. of Wisconsin (Milwaukee)	Milwaukee, Wis.
Mon., Mar. 6		Pan American College	Edinburg, Tex.
		*Madison Square Garden	

Freshman Preliminary: 5:00 p.m.  
Home Games 7:30 p.m., CST

## Tennis off season play shines again

Freshman Robyn Gool, the lone American on the tennis team of Oral Roberts University, had little difficulty in claiming the boys' 18-year-old singles title of the Tulsa Fall Closed tennis tournament last Saturday. With sets of 6-0, 6-1, he ousted Steve Cobb in the finals of the contest, held in Tulsa's Tracy Park.

However, that wasn't his best match, at least in the opinion of Coach Bernis Duke. "He also played in the men's division," said Coach Duke. "There he beat Bruce Bagget, a former Big 8 champion at O.U." All three sets went into extra games, with Gool finally prevailing 7-5, 6-7, 7-5.

Gool did not reach the men's finals, but two other Titans did. Josef Solc, who earlier had beaten TU's number one player 6-4, 6-3, found himself matched against teammate Peter Van Lingen in the championship bout. The two will contest for the men's singles crown at a later date.

The entire tennis team received a surprise in the mail last week from Kiyoshi Tanabe, one of last year's netters. Tanabe sent a program from the Asahi Japanese International Invitational Tournament, in which an entire page on the ORU team was featured. Asahi corresponds to the American Davis Cup Playoffs, but is international in scope.

Next on the Titan off-season schedule is the Fort Worth Thanksgiving Tournament. Last year Van Lingen was the winner of the 64-man affair.

## newsBRIEFS

### Tickets available

Tickets may be picked up for "The Rainmaker" in the Fireside Room from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. "The Rainmaker" will be presented Nov. 4-6 in the Timko-Barton Auditorium at 8 p.m. ID cards are required.

### Checks ready

Students on work scholarships are reminded that their October payroll checks are available at the cashier's desk in the Business Office. Checks should be cashed this week.

### ID pics to be taken

Pictures for new student ID cards will be taken in the Fireside Room of the Student Center beginning Monday, Nov. 1, at 9 a.m. and through Wednesday, Nov. 3 at 4 p.m. All students must have pictures taken during this time.

## Evaluation

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mendations of the 1969 visitation committee. This fall these committees were reactivated to prepare a written document of their accomplishments. This document served as the basis of last Tuesday's dialogue between the visitation team and TEC, and the subsequent reevaluation.

A luncheon was also held Tuesday, October 20, for the student teachers going out next spring and the visitation team. This private meeting enabled the visitation team to get confirming feedback from the students on the competence of the Oral Roberts University teacher education program.

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