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IS THERE NOTHING LEFT AT HOME?—Collectively they form the largest freshman class in OU history—expected to top 3,850—and the brightest—with an average ACT score of 25.4 and an average SAT of 1160. In fact, for the fourth straight year, OU freshmen are the highest rated academically in state history: 388 entered with 4.0s; 161 are National Merit scholars; 285 ranked in the top one-half of one percent nationally. Yet on move-in day at the dorms, it is the same old story for new-student arrivals: Mounds of bags and boxes, frazzled parents as beasts of burden and the eternal question, “Where am I supposed to put all this stuff?”