

their areas, and specialized information relating to community planning problems.

### 11. Relation of Teacher Preparation to Teaching Success

A thorough study of professional experiences of O.U. graduates in relation to areas of specialization, formal preparation, factors contributing to success, and general programs of teacher education at the University.

### 12. President's Emergency Fund

Special needs often arise for which allocated

funds are not provided. This fund would enable the University to meet those needs.

### 13. Chapel and Religious Activities

There is an awakening interest among the students and faculty members of the University of Oklahoma in the power and significance of religion. Serious planning and study is devoted to increasing the opportunities for religious activities among the students.

A center is needed to stabilize the great amount of religious activity at the University and to encourage more students to become better acquainted with their religions. Nothing could be done on the campus that would be more gratifying to the students, their friends and their families, than the construction of a beautiful chapel. At the present rate of enrollment 600,000 students would receive benefit from such a building in the next 50 years.

# One for the Books

Fund contributors set a new record for total gifts during the first six months of the current fiscal year.

More than 400 contributors with more than \$7,000 in contributions was the record of the Alumni Development Fund as figures for the first half of the current fiscal year were totaled.

Some of the money was received for the Ted Bearid Memorial; some for the purpose of sending O.U. law students to the national moot court competition in New York City, and the rest was contributed to go into the

general fund to be used in financing the objectives of the Fund as outlined in On the Sooner Scene.

What can be accomplished in a year's time is clearly demonstrated by comparing the results above with a like period of the past year. From July 1, 1949, to January 10, 1950, 296 alumni and friends of the University contributed \$3,244.75. The figures show an increase of more than 100 contribu-

utors and approximately \$4,000 in contributions this year.

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