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The Cover. As a humorous addition to reunion banquet June 7, alumni were asked to compete for right to be known as man or woman with "least desirable job while at O.U." R. M. Parkhurst, '13ba, '15Law, Blackwell (cover), and Q. M. Spradling, '28ba, '32bus, '40m.bus, Norman, tied for coveted title. Parkhurst's stint as cleanup man for chemistry and pharmacy labs, and Spradling's job of turning cadavers in their formaldehyde vats brought equal applause and equal prizes of sad-eyed, O.U. beagles.

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CALENDAR OF O.U. EVENTS

6-17 Mental Health Institute

16-17 Marching Band Clinic

19-23 School Lunch Conference

20-24 Retail Credit Management Conference

24-25 O.C.P.E.A.

27-31 Cosmetology Institute

AUGUST

5-6 Lutheran Women's Meeting

3-15 Air ROTC

Summer Commencement

10-21 Driver Education

26-28 Oklahoma Cheerleading Clinic

SEPTEMBER

Enrolment

Fall Term Begins

14-16 Lutheran Pastors' Conference

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