The Press: quality is standard procedure

The final article in the Anatomy of Excellence series points with pride to the University of Oklahoma Press, distinguished in the field of educational book publishing, recipient of countless prizes, awards and commendations throughout its 33-year career.

When the Last Class Is Over

This spring five professors will leave the O.U. classrooms where they have been holding forth for so many years. They are retiring from a steady diet of lectures and quizzes and preparing for travel, research and just taking it easy.

Collegiate Storm Is Brewing

Are our colleges training competent students, or are they becoming high level diploma mills in an effort to take care of the enrolment flood? In this article the president of Chatham College analyzes the problems and suggests a solution.

Don’t Go Near the Sunlight

The sun is a source of life for man, but it also may be a source of man’s ills. With the aid of guinea pigs and a few human volunteers, researchers at the University Medical Center are delving into the mysteries of the effect of the sun on skin.

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