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DAYTON, Ohio, March 6, 1968 --- Lawrence L. Selka, former director of Family Plays at Ohio State University, has been named Instructor of Communication Arts and Assistant Director of the UD Players Company at the University of Dayton, Mr. George C. Biersack, Chairman, Department of Communication Arts, announced today. He replaces the late Raymond Mullins, who died last November.

Besides his classroom schedule, Mr. Selka, who is completing his doctoral work in theater, general speech and motion pictures at Ohio State, has been named director of the UD Players Production, Come Back Little Sheba, on April 5 through 7 in the Boll Theater.

Mr. Selka, following his graduation from Elyria High School, attended the Cleveland Play House drama school in Cleveland in 1949 and 1950. He earned his bachelor's degree from Bowling Green State University in 1954 and entered the United States Air Force in 1955 as an Information and Motion Picture Officer in Washington, D.C., Palm Beach, and Orlando, Florida.

He received his master's degree in theater, general speech and television at Bowling Green in 1963. Since that time he has been a teaching assistant at Ohio State while working on his Ph.D. He also has served as actor and director for municipal and summer player groups and high school drama societies.

He lectures on the history of the theater and has 5,000 black and white and color slides for talks in this area.