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And solid learning never falls
Without the verge of college walls.
—CHARLES CHURCHILL.

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Dedication

To the students of Northeastern Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College, past, present and future, we dedicate this volume of the Viking. May their ideals prompt and foster a spirit which will build a yet greater institution than our Alma Mater.
KAH-NE-YOU-AH HALL

Where we love is home,
Home that our feet may leave,
But not our hearts.

—HOmes.

COMMONS HALL

To seek their fortune further than at home,
Where small experience grows.

—SHakespeare.
COLLEGE FARM

Here Cere's gifts in waving prospect stand,
And nodding tempt the joyful reaper's hand.
—Pope.

SPARTAN

Let me live in the house by the side of the road
And be a friend to man.
—Foss.
GYMNASIUM
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"Their pleasures here are past, so is their pain."
Cymbeline.

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"Great is thy skill, O builder; thy fame shall endure for aye."
Anon.

METAL SHOP

"Thus at the flaming forge of life our fortunes must be wrought."
Longfellow.
REFRIGERATION SHOP

"Oh! what a wondrous thing it is
To note how many wheels of toil,
One thought, one work, can set in motion."
—LONGFELLOW.

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"Tis education forms the common mind."
—POPE.
President Bruce G. Carter

The college at Miami is being built as a service institution. It is our desire to serve the students, young and old, living in this section of our great nation. We are developing an expanding liberal arts program, a vocational education program, and an agricultural program planned to fit the needs of those living in this entire area.

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Miss Edwards was styled by the mezzanine fashion shop of MILLNER - BERKEY. Miss White stylist.

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Co-Editor, THE VIKING
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Dear Miss Gibson:

I received the photographs of the lovely contestants and because they were all so beautiful, it was very difficult to limit myself to selecting only two girls. Therefore, I chose Miss Beulah Edwards as VIKING QUEEN, Miss Dixie Freeman as FIRST MAID OF HONOR, and Miss Leatha Lynch as SECOND MAID OF HONOR.

It was a pleasure to choose the contestants and I hope that my selections will meet with the approval of those who have had the privilege of meeting all the young ladies in person.

Sincerely yours,

Earl Carroll

[Handwritten signature]
First Maid of Honor
Dixie Freeman

Second Maid of Honor
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Homecoming Queen
Shirley Smith
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The Viking

The NORTHEASTERN Oklahoma A. & M. College official yearbook, the Viking, now in its second year of publication was edited and compiled with many worries, last minute rush, and fun. We hope it will be a lasting remembrance for you.

Mildred Gibson now has a few gray hairs, Joe Smith and Ted Tetirick became hoarse from their advertising feats. The sports editor and assistants as well as feature, class and organization editors and other members of the staff put in many hours to publish the Viking.

To the members of the faculty and students, who have given assistance we extend our thanks and appreciation. We wish to especially thank Mrs. Mabel Speaker, who gave us assistance in the final wind-up and completion of the Viking, also Mrs. Etta Bruton who ably assisted us.

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They Made The Norse Wind Blow

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*Eta Upsilon Gamma* is the oldest sorority in National Junior College Panhellenic, and was founded at Christian College, Columbia, Missouri, in 1901. The flower is the yellow rose and the colors, olive green and gold.

Members of this sorority are chosen on the basis of character, personality, friendliness, and scholastic standing.

To begin the sorority year in the fall of 1947 were Gail Alexander who later enrolled at A. & M. at Stillwater, Barbara Plake, and their sponsor, Miss Ruth Arrington.

There are ten women on the campus of Northeastern A. & M. who are wearing the diamond-shaped pins. They meet once each week and take part in social activities on the campus.

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Treasurer .... MARY SUE PROPP  
Reporter .... ROSEMARY GRUBB
Standing: Gail Alexander, Patsy Lampson, Barbara Plake, Mary Matlock, Dixie Freeman, Betty Mowery, Gwen Gladden, Claudie Fortner, Mary Morgan, Mary Sue Propp.

Seated: Bettye Sue Baker, Rosemary Grubb, Dayle Britt, Wilma Henson.

Pledges

Back row: Deloris Parker, Ruth McGaughey.
Front row: Phyllis Keeton, Mary Jane Speer, sponsor; Frances Hale.

Sigma Iota Chi

Sigma Iota Chi Sorority was founded in 1903 with its first chapter in Alexandria, Louisiana. There are now thirteen active chapters located in nine different states. Tau chapter was organized in 1928.

Many are the honors and accomplishments accorded Tau chapter this year. Doretha Miller was the Sigma candidate for homecoming queen and Judith Smith was candidate for Viking queen. During the year, Billie Schmucker was chosen football queen by the boys of the squad. The student body selected her for the most popular girl on the campus. Nadine Zebert was given the chapter's friendship pin.

The annual Christmas formal dance held at the Country Club, December 12, was the climax of the first semester activities. The annual spring formal dance was equally successful.

MRS. GLADYS COPEN
Sponsor
On October 15, 1946, the L. D. B. Fraternity was re-organized by a group of energetic young men whose chief interest was to stimulate school spirit.

From that time on, whether it was waving Roman candles or flourishing paint brushes, the “White Devils” proved themselves ardent supporters of athletics and other school activities. Spectators were given colorful halftime displays at many of the home games and found propaganda spread by the local “painters union” throughout the tri-state area.

In February, 1947, just four months after the fraternity was reorganized, it joined with a fraternity in Athens, Tennessee, to form the newest of the national junior college fraternities, Eta Iota Tau.
Standing: John Mattox, Clarence Clinkseals, Charles Seabolt, Eugene Branstetter, Wayburn Blankenship, Jess Adams, Leon Utter, Stanley Simpson, Kirby Stricklin, Everette Gray, Jerry Southern, Mr. Little, sponsor; David Mericle.


Not pictured: Bill Hudgens, Thomas Frasier, Paul Reavis, Cecil Vaughan, Tommy Hubbard.

Upon Becoming Beta Chapter, the fraternity elected George Speer as vice-president to the national council, and Charles Stiver, national secretary. Alpha Chapter in Athens, Tennessee, named the national president and treasurer.

Two new chapters, one at Potomac State School, Keyser, West Virginia, and another at Edgewood School in Barrington, Rhode Island, are being organized through the national council.

The Fraternity is made up of a group of regular fellows who love fun second only to food. The strong spirit of brotherhood which prevails is the assurance of continued organizational solidarity.
THE LEADERS—Norman Sigle, panhellenic representative; Bill Buergey, secretary; Glenn Hunter, treasurer; Ralph Connely, sergeant-at-arms; Tom Richardsonville, vice-president; Charles Ogden, president. Not pictured: Jerry Ruark, grand councilman.


THE PHI SIGMA NU Fraternity has consistently maintained throughout the 1947-48 school year a high calibre of leadership on the local campus. Top spots which were captured by members include the Student Council presidency, Charles Fergus and Joe Smith: editor of the Norse Wind, David Burr; state college secretaryship of the League of Young Democrats, Bill Alley, and more lesser offices.

The crowning achievement for the fraternity was the selection of Miss Beulah "Boots" Edwards as Sweetheart of Phi Sigma Nu and her later selection as Queen of the Viking.

Social activities included two chicken dinners, Christmas and spring formals, and various informal smokers and rush parties.
Robert Bath, sponsor
David Burr
Charles Ogden
Bill Downum
Jerry Ruark
Walter Williams, Jr.
Charles Fergus
Joe Smith
Tom Richardville
Ralph Connelly
Leo King
Francis Roomsburg
Austin Groeneman
E. L. Hunnicutt, Jr.
Bill Buergey
Norman Sigle
Leland Moore
Harry Cordry
Keith Dowell
Bill Ramsey
Joe Zodrow
Charles York
Curtis McLaughlin
Glenn Hunter
THIS ORGANIZATION strives to develop and promote standards of home and family life for home economics majors. It also purpuses to urge students to prepare themselves for a home economics profession.

Back row: Mrs. Speaker, sponsor; Claudie Fortner, Gwen Gladden, Betty Mowery, Pauline Emhardt.
Center: Ruth McGaughey, Rose Mary Minson, Leatha Lynch, Naomi Smith, Virginia Lynch, Pat Murphy.
Front row: Shirley Smith, Veralee Vanhooser, Rosemary Cheek, Alice Powell, Rosalee Munson.
**Aggie Society**

**THE FIRST ORGANIZATION** of Agriculture students was started in the fall of 1946 as the Aggie Club. In October, 1947, the Aggies met and reorganized as the Aggie Society of N. E. O. A. & M. College.

The object of the society is the promotion of education, co-operation, and a high spirit of fellowship among agricultural students. Through many fields of endeavor, a wonderful opportunity for leadership is offered agriculture students and they can better cope with the problems confronting the agriculture industry today as well as obtaining a working knowledge of the individual's place in co-operative effort.

The society fosters campus and community spirit and its membership is extended to all students enrolled in agriculture.

One of the big events of the year will be an annual spring Aggie Day picnic when members with their dates and wives will take time out for recreation, good food, and fun.

**OFFICERS:** James Parsons, president; Dwight Praytor, vice-president; Jim Higione, treasurer; Jim Pees, secretary.
THE ENGINEERS' CLUB, which is the most active organization on the campus of Northeastern Oklahoma A. & M. College, was organized in September, 1946, for the purpose of acquainting students of engineering with actual engineering practices.

This club has expanded until today it is the largest chartered organization on the campus. Under the guidance of Oren E. Need, the Engineers have made several inspection trips through actual engineering projects and plants to supplement their academic studies.

The highlight of the Engineers' activities was the annual St. Patrick's Day festivities. Professional engineers delivered educational lectures and several engineering demonstrations were given. Following the Engineers' banquet, a formal dance was held in the gymnasium which was elaborately decorated with the Engineers' colors, green and white. The climax of the evening came when president M. L. Melton crowned Miss Ruth Arrington as Queen of the Engineers to reign during the succeeding year.


The Baptist Student Union is an organization which coordinates the religious activity of the Baptist students of a school and community.

The Baptist Student Union was organized on this campus on September 15, 1947.

OFFICERS: Tom Murphy, representative; Paul Farley, president; Norman James, publicity; June McFerron, vice-president; Naomi Smith, vice-president; Ruth McGaughey, secretary.

Not pictured: Terrance James, chorister; Pat Murphy, pianist, Gwen Gladden, training; Don Capps, Sunday School representative.

Back row: Terrence James, Robert Stone, Roy Wilson, Jim Pees, Tom Murphy, Don Capps, Paul Farley, Rex Stanley, Norman James, Gene Burton, Jim Higeons, Jimmy Hunter, Leonard Amos.

Front row: Ruth McGaughey, Donna Moore, Maxine Campbell, Virginia Lynch, Pauline Emarthla, Gwen Gladden, Naomi Smith, Gladys Staton, Sue Caywood, Pat Murphy, Mildred Campbell.

O Club

The O Club is one of the oldest organizations on the campus. Membership is composed of men who have earned the athletic "O" in intercollegiate athletics.

Secretary-Treasurer — DON KINKEAD
President — J. E. LANDON
Vice-President — J. W. BREWINGTON

Back row: J. E. Landon, Marion Morgan, Frank Mobra, Curtis Griffin, Don Kinkead, Jack Denton, Paul Williams, Assistant Coach Rigney.

Center: Bill Rowden, Orville Lewis, James Brewington, Harold Wallace, Bob Tompson, Robert Collins, Coach Robertson, Leo King.

Christmas at A. & M.—Phi Sig Homecoming Float—L. D. B. Christmas Float—Not lazy, just resting—Christmas program—True love—Table scene in girls' dormitory—I'll never tell—That's the way the Welch twins operate—"Legs" Rollins—Oh, Johnie!—Another L. D. B. pledge, huh?—Do Evers and Foyle need help?—That darn sun, right in my eye—Engineer's Homecoming float—Herman and Henry, good neighbor policy—Jeepers, look closer, look closer—Looking for something Mary Jane?—Some girl, Buck.
Fine Arts
The college men's quartet was one of the most popular ensembles on the campus. They were called upon time after time during the year to give many hours of their time and talent.

During the year 1947-48 the college chorus presented several programs. The first important program was the Christmas pageant combining the chorus, speech, and dance departments in a superb performance.

On March 29, the college chorus, along with the Miami Choral Club presented Cowen's "Rose Maiden" which was well received.

April 2, the chorus was host to 250 high schools at the annual choral festival. Mr. Kenneth Richards directed the concert held that night.

Back row: Herman Jantz, Dick Lykins, Jack Frisbie, Joe Quirk, David Bartlett, Bob Aubrey, Donald Capps, David Boyd, Tom Murphy, Paul Farley.


Front row: June McFerron, Frances Hale, Betty Bradford, Phyllis Keeton, Alice Powell, Naomi Smith, Mr. Richards, director; Harriett Dunn, pianist; Wanda Russell, Lula Witte, Ina Len Haslett, Delphia Conner, Ruby Foster, Pat Barlow.

Not pictured: Virginia Bryan, Eugene Branson.
The college band was formed the first semester under the leadership of John W. Elliott, instrumental music department head. Members of the band have played during the football and basketball games and on various occasions for assembly programs. Much interest was shown in the band this year and the benefits derived have been beneficial.

First row: left to right: Walter Mitchell, Billye Sue Poynor, Lloyd Gibson, Wanda Kuns, Paul Wills, Jack Coats.


Back row, left to right: John Elliott, director; Don Penrod, Fred Lamm, Buster VanHooser, Carl Stoops, and Wanda Russell.
"OUR TOWN"
by Thornton Wilder

DECEMBER 10, 1947

(Cast, in order of their appearance)

STAGE MANAGER               Ted Tetrick
DR GIBBS                     C. R. Farrley
JOE CROWELL                  Charles York
HOWER NEWCOMBE                Paul Peavis
MRS GIBBS                    Pat Murphy
MRS WEBB                     Doyle Britt
GEORGE GIBBS                  Dick Lykins
REBECCA GIBBS                 Vernice Vomhoozer
WALLY WEBB                   Walter Mitchell
EMILY WEBB                   Nadine Zobert
PROFESSOR WILLARD            Joe Zodrow
MR WEBB                      Julius Hecksher
1st WOMAN IN AUDIENCE        Rosemary McMan
MAN IN AUDITORIUM            Joe Griffith
2nd WOMAN IN AUDIENCE        Barbara Pike
SIMON STIMSON                Jerry Ruark
MRS GAMES                    Lois Ewers
CONSTABLE WARREN             Wayburn Blankenship
SAM CRAIG                     Jess Adams
JOE STOCKSARD                 Glenn Hunter
1st DEAD WOMAN               Joe Zodrow
1st DEAD MAN                 Joe Griffith

The entire play takes place in Grover's Corners, N. H.

ACT I—May 7, 1901—The Daily Life
ACT II—Three years later—Love and Marriage
ACT III—Nine years later—Later Life

DIRECTOR                     Ruth Arrington
BOOKHOLDER                   Johnnie Gross

STAGE MEN                     Arnold Babka
                              Joseph Friel
LIGHTS                        Thanksgiving
                              David Barr
WOODWORK                      Morris Church

COSTUMES                      Margaret Ann Ruben
                              Betty Baker
                              Glenda Giddens
                              Helen Gold
MUSIC                         Harriet Davis
Athletics

Little All-American
Football

The Norse, using a full veteran team, the single wing formation took charge for Miami against the Coffeyville Ravens. Thirty-eight Norsemen saw action in this game.

Capitalizing on breaks, the Vikings outweathered the Golden Gales of the Tulsa freshmen with a score of 26 to 13, before an estimated crowd of 2,500.

The Norse Vikings enjoyed a very hospitable event given by the college at O. C. W.

One of the funniest utterances was the time the T Team entered the Murray game; they were asked by a Murray Aggie, “Who are you—the junior high team?” Five plays later they scored. Now they know.

Performing before a shivering Homecoming crowd at Tonkawa, the Norse roped and branded a hard-fighting Northern Maverick team, 7-0.

Some of the blocking and tackling was shown by guard, Joe Robinson, Al Bagley and Bill Gailey, tackles, Bill Melton and Curt Griffin, not to mention “Punch” Trask. One of the finest defensive stands witnessed was shown by the Norse at Tonkawa.

The Vikings lost their first game to Connor Aggies at Warner. This game featured the running of Bill Watkins, Jack Meier, and a 20-yard stint by J. E. Landon; Buck Victor caught some unbelievable tosses from Frank Mobra and Watkins.

Our heartiest congratulations go to the football squad for a job well done in their defeat of the Wentworth Military Cadets at the Papoose Bowl in Oklahoma City, December 6.

The season ended with the Vikings as co-champions of the Conference with the Connor Aggies. At the annual football banquet each varsity player was presented a gold football.

The final curtain fell on the gridiron season. To one of the best teams ever to represent the college, we salute you and thank you for a wonderful season.

Back row, standing: Bill Smith, Max Coley, Paul Williams, Jack Meier, Kenneth Garrison, Dick Stratton, Tommy Hubbard.
Front row: Max Buzzard, J. E. Landon, J. W. Brewington, Buck Victor, Bill Watkins, Bill Farbro, Marion Morgan, Joe Robinson, Leo King, Norvel Trask.
Al Bagley was nominated by the coaches of the Junior College conference to the all-state team at his regular position of guard. The Norse placed three of their members on the second all-conference team and barely edged off the first eleven.
**Single Wing Team**

**Schedule**

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**FRANK MORRA**  
Halfback

**JOE ROBINSON**  
Guard

**J. E. LANDON**  
Halfback

**MAX BUZZARD**  
Halfback

**DEWEY LYNCH**  
Quarterback

**CURT McLAUGHLIN**  
Tackle

**ORVILLE LEWIS**  
Guard

**KENNETH GARRISON**  
End
# "I" Team

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### Team Members

- **Bill Vann**: Quarterback
- **H. K. Matthews**: Halfback
- **Glenn Secrest**: End
- **Bill Dodson**: Center
- **Dick Stratton**: End
- **William Farbro**: Tackle
- **Marion Morgan**: Guard
- **Floyd Jett**: Tackle
- **Leo King**: Quarterback
- **Jack Denton**: Halfback
- **Bill Smith**: End
- **Jack Wallace**: Tackle
- **J. W. Brewington**: Guard
- **Bob Thompson**: Fullback
Traveling to Parsons for the opener of the '47-'48 basketball season December 9, the Norse dropped a close one, 37-38, in the closing seconds of the game.

They failed to register in the win column December 15, when the Coffeyville Red Ravens trounced them, 64-42. The Norse suffered defeat when Coffeyville returned to Miami January 26, 48-39.

Before the Christmas Holidays the Vikings won over Muskogee, O. M. A., Eastern A. & M. (2) and Northern Junior College.

The Murray Aggies edged past the local Norsemen, 43-38, in a game played here, February 6. They again were given a setback in Tishomingo when the Murray Aggies defeated them, 39-28 on February 20.

February 10 the Connor Aggies of Warner handed the Norsemen their worst competition when they trimmed the Norsemen, 62-38.
### 1947 Basketball Schedule

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Several of the players have shown very good ability in the handling of the ball and have developed an eye for the basket. May Coley has steadily improved with each game. "Goof" Garrison has shown aggressiveness without a doubt. J. E. Landon is the scoring ace of the club. The boys all have shown a spirit that we like to see in a team. At the completion of the game with the Murray Aggies the Norse had a total of nine wins and four losses. At the end of the season they had scored 10 wins and 10 losses. Basketball is and has proven a fine sport and the ability the boys have shown is evidence of the spirit in the college here at Miami.
Boxing

The boxing season opened with a novice tournament held in the college gym, December 9, 10, 11. Boxers from neighboring towns in the tri-state area competed for top honors.

A highlight of the season was the annual Miami Golden Gloves Boxing Tournament, January 12, 13, 15, also held in the Northeastern A. & M. College gym. The Norse squad took the championship.

Eight Northeastern boxers entered the district Golden Gloves championship at Tulsa bringing honors to the college.

The Norse boxing team traveled to various towns under the able direction of Mr. Jess Fronterhouse and gave evidence of the fighting spirit of Northeastern Oklahoma A. & M. College.
One of these days you are going to be looking at rings as Boots and Ray are doing. DAWSON'S JEWELRY can help you select your Keepsake diamond and other fine jewelry.

Yes, sir, that is real ice cream. Can't you tell by the looks on those college kids faces that it is SILVER DEW ICE CREAM?

The students out at Spartan Manor hang out at JOHN WILEY'S REXALL DRUG. It's a good place to meet the gang and have a soda.

Ted and Joe know where to go when they need shoes. Charles, here at MILLNER-BERKEY'S R. E. S. SHOE COMPANY, has a pair of shoes for you.
At Dail West's MIAMI SALES GOODRICH store you can select any size of tire you may need. This store also has many other household and farm supplies.

Good ole' DOC'S BAR-B-Q! Many a happy moment has been spent down there with the crowd. Why don't you join the crowd?

One of Miami's most modern stores is where Charles and Glenn look for the latest suits. It's the HUB CLOTHING STORE.

Your fellows and gals that are planning on setting up housekeeping should go over to SCOGGINS. They can help you.
The sadness caused by the loss of a loved one in a family has been lightened many times by the fine service of the COOPER FUNERAL HOME.

Members of the Pep Club—Home Ec. boys dare to eat their own cooking—The boys having a snack at Ben’s—Papoose Bowl—Remember? Time out—Sweetheart’s Dance—Reams and Reams of it and still a long way to go.

The VIKING STAFF wishes to sincerely thank the advertisers in this section who have helped make possible a better annual. We hope all readers will keep these business establishments in mind.
The End

Remember this also, and be well persuaded of its truth:
the future is not in the hands of Fate, but in ours.

—JULES JUSSEURAND
Women's Physical Education

The Women's Health and Physical Education Department strives for a well-rounded program for the women students of Northeastern Oklahoma A. & M. College. The program includes deck tennis, volleyball, folk dancing, with the social dance element considered, basketball, bowling, and badminton. Volleyball has been an interesting activity, resulting in a varsity team chosen to play against teams from surrounding institutions.

The health and physical education department has as their purpose the furthering of health, physical education, and recreation both for themselves and fellow students.


Seated: Wanda Kuns, Harriett Dunn, Mildred Gibson, Billye Sue Poynor, Lula Witte.
Out at the school there are some pretty sharp dressers. The kind of fellows that catch your eye. The B AND K CLOTHIERS can outfit you.

Talk about food! Everyone can tell you that nowhere is there a better place to get good food than at BEN STANLEY'S CAFE. They don't fool you, they feed you!

The store for college veterans and their wives to purchase the best foods is the COLLEGE GROCERY. Look at all the good things Gladys Smith is buying from the Cox's.

The guys and gals out at Northeastern A. & M. who always look the best send their suits and dresses to the MIAMI LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANING.
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