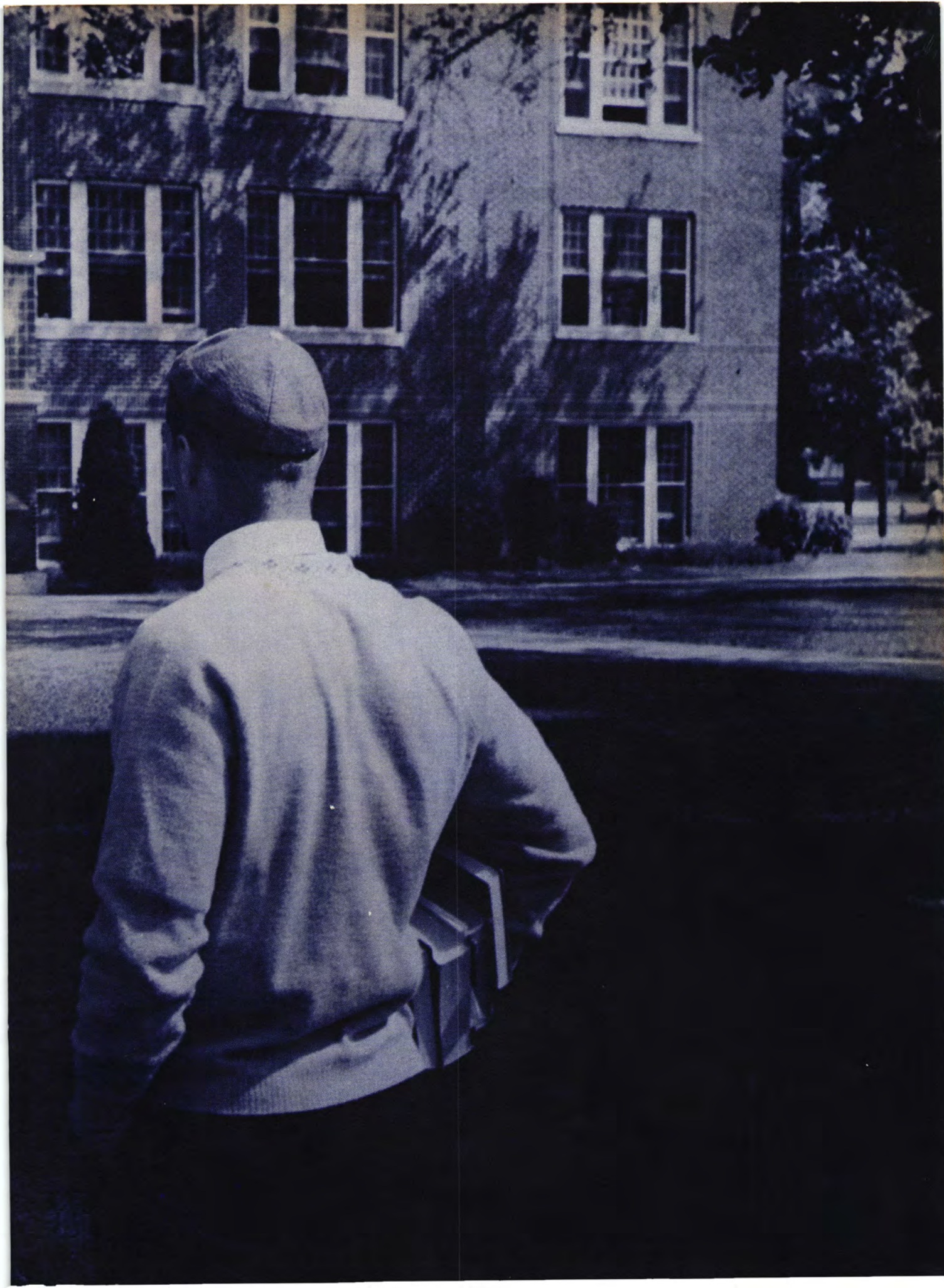




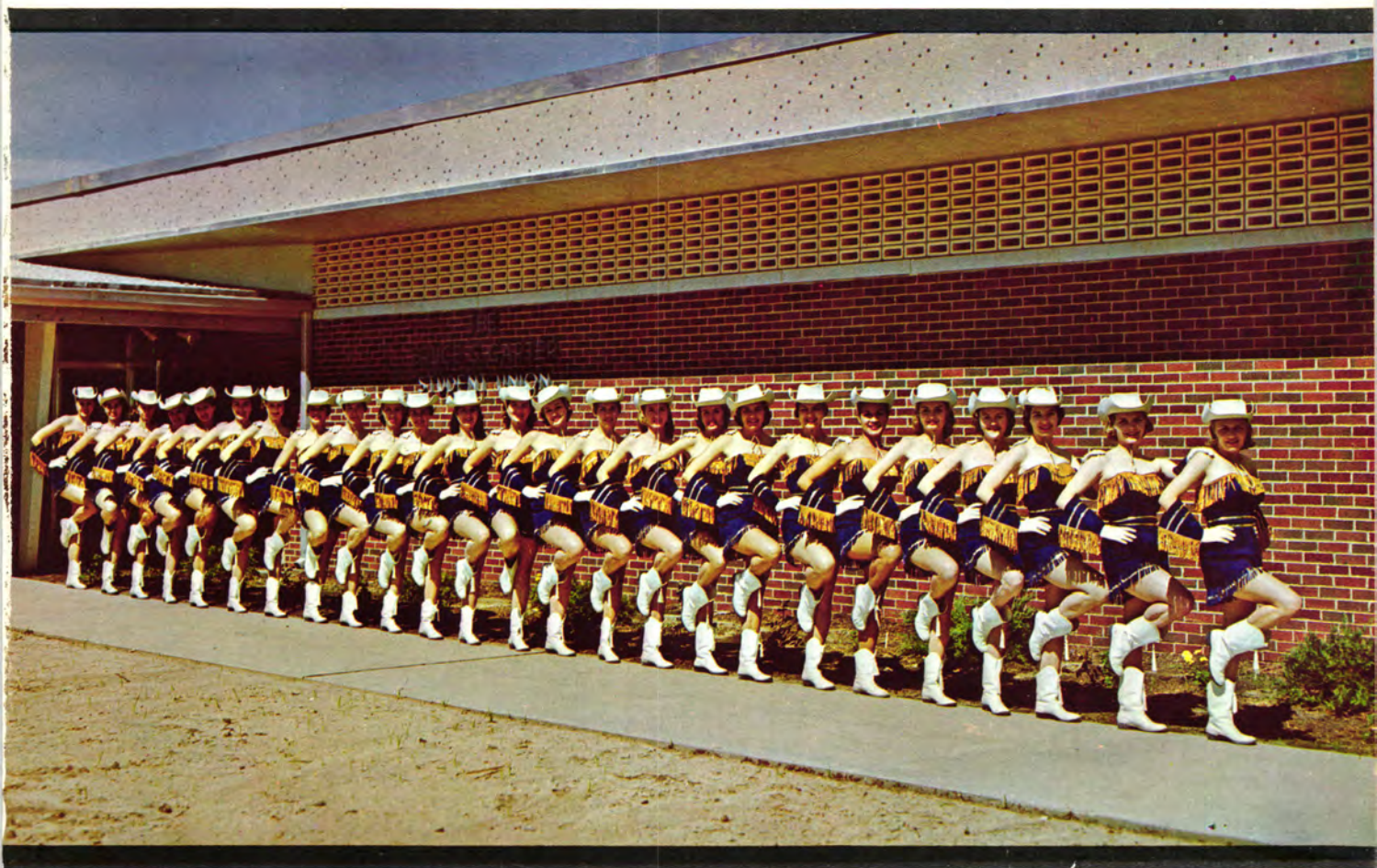
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# NORTHEASTERN A & M COLLEGE



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College Life At A Glance . . . .

# The President



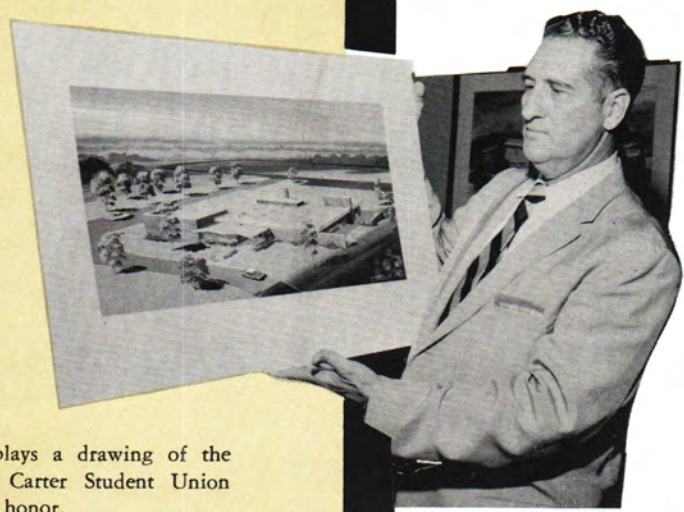
The president's home is the scene of many activities throughout the school year as the president and his wife serve as hosts of various groups and organizations.

Northeastern A&M College in Miami, Oklahoma was organized as a two-year junior college in 1919 and has been doing business as a junior college since that time. We are organized to prepare young people for enriched living and occupational competence, and to offer continued cultural and occupational education to adults. We strive to help students develop a sound philosophy of life, to cultivate self-reliance and independence, and to help students acquire a consciousness of civic responsibility, and to become vocationally competent.

The college at Miami is recognized as one of the outstanding juniors colleges to be found anywhere in America. The college is fully accredited by the North Central Association. We offer two years work in almost any and all of the courses leading to a professional degree. In addition, the college offers many courses in industrial arts which will prove most helpful to those seeking positions in business and industry. Northeastern A & M, with an enrollment of some one thousand students each fall, is a friendly, democratic college that is small enough to give personal attention to each student and, yet, large enough to offer a wide variety of college courses.



The Viking photographer catches Dr. Carter busy at work during a typical day at Northwestern A.&M.



Dr. Carter displays a drawing of the new Bruce G. Carter Student Union dedicated in his honor.

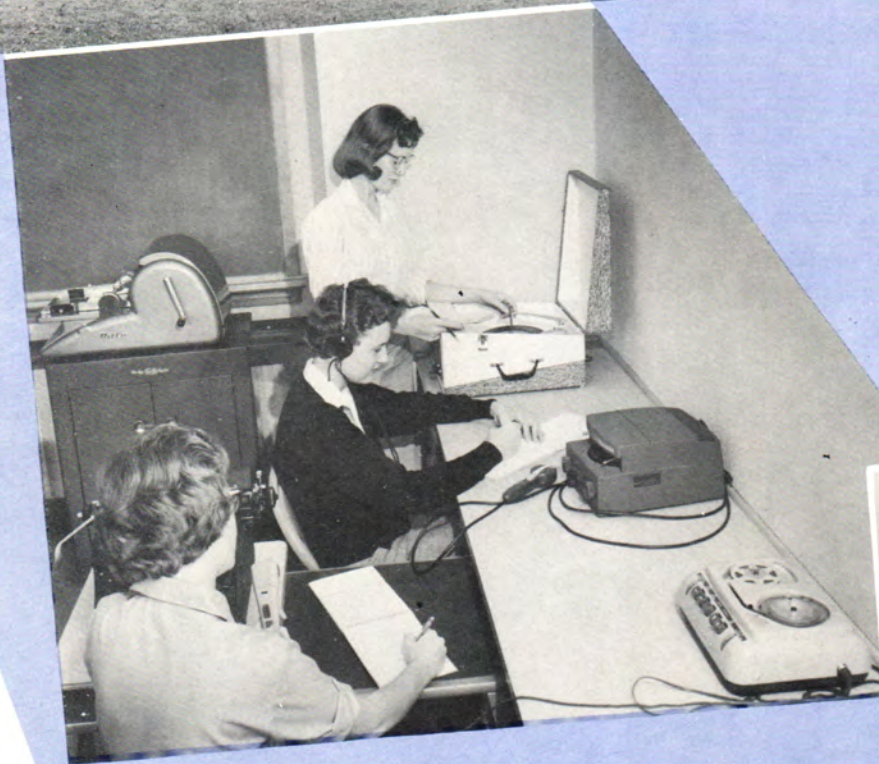


Dr. Carter shows guests new equipment in the modern Northeastern A.&M. college cafeteria. The cafeteria has the latest possible equipment.

# Arts Building



Housing the Business, Music, and Home Economics departments is Northeastern A&M's Art building. The structure is equipped with the latest and most modern equipment available.



Above NEO business students learn how to use latest equipment in the business world. Below students get set for a speed test in a typical typing class.



NEO vocal students prepare for a coming performance. Vocal music plays an important role in college life as the group performs various functions throughout the year.



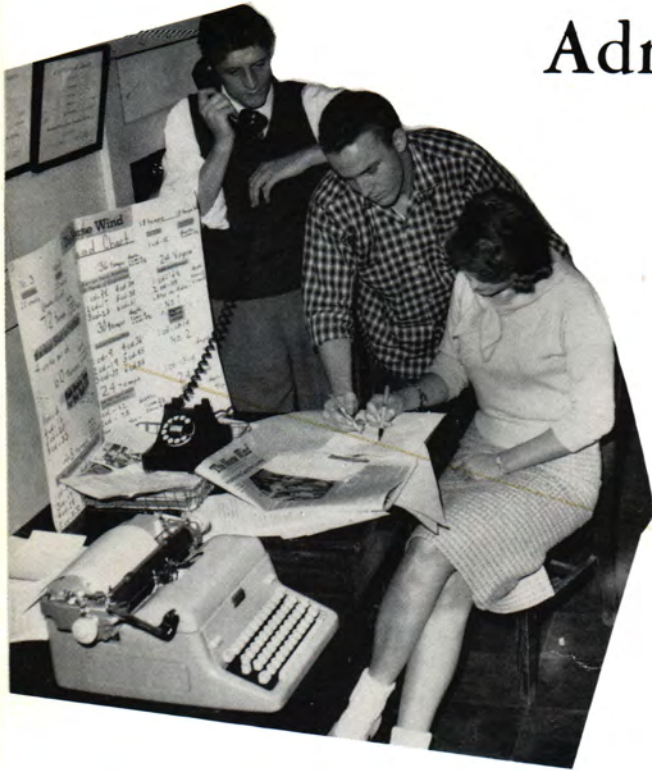
One of the busiest groups on the campus is the college band. The band performs at various functions throughout the area. Above they practice for a future performance.

Sewing is one phase of the home economics program offered at Northeastern A&M college. Above the girls receive individual instruction on their projects.

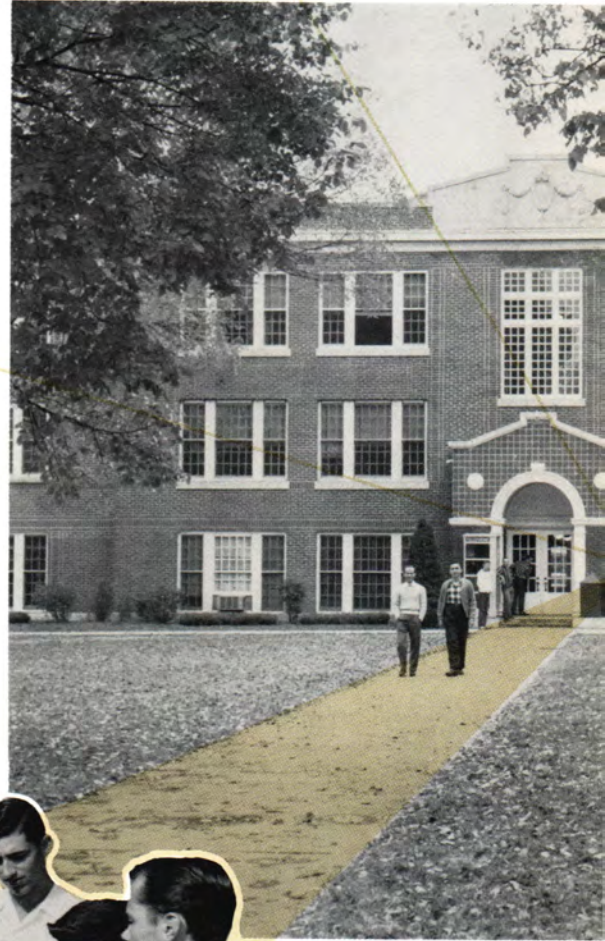




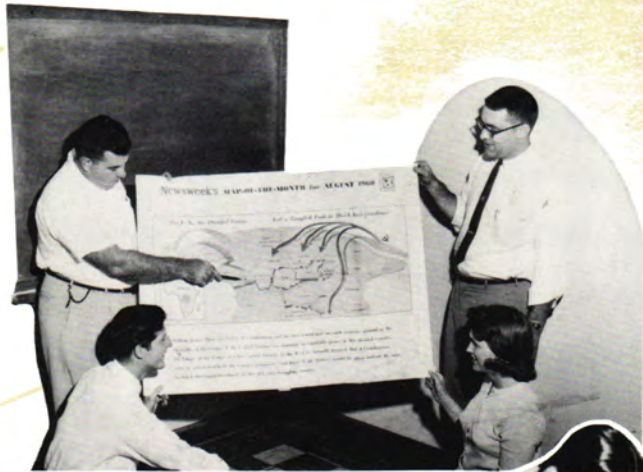
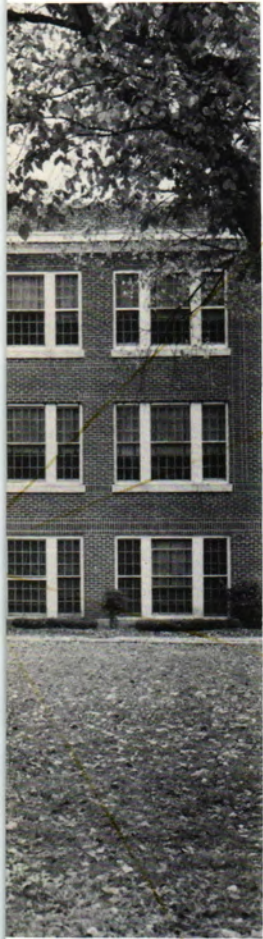
# Administration Building



Journalism plays an important role in Northeastern A&M college life. Here students work on the college newspaper and yearbook along with working on college publicity.



The Administration building houses the Journalism, Math, Speech, Foreign Language, Drafting, and Social Studies departments. The library and administrative offices are also located in the building. Above NEO students learn the techniques of surveying while students in the bottom photograph prepare for a coming play production.

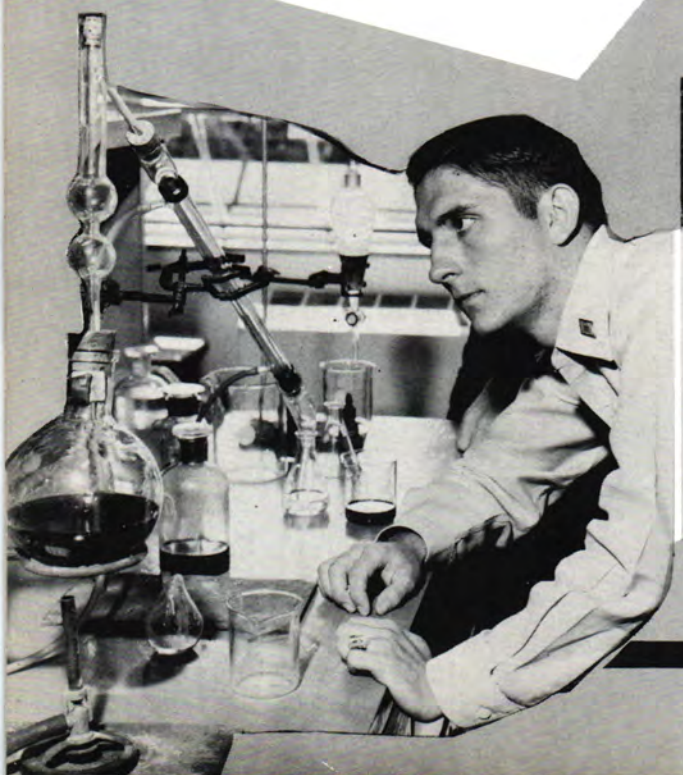


In the upper right hand photo college instructors and students go over a social studies project while drafting students work on a class project in the picture above. Below students listen to a fellow classmate giving a speech in a typical NEO classroom.





The Life Science building houses the Agriculture, Science, ROTC, and Electronics departments. The two story building is located on the north end of the campus. Below a Northeastern A&M student works on a chemistry project during an afternoon lab.



Biological students use a human model to learn how the human body functions. Pointing out the process is Biology instructor Waymond Gibson.

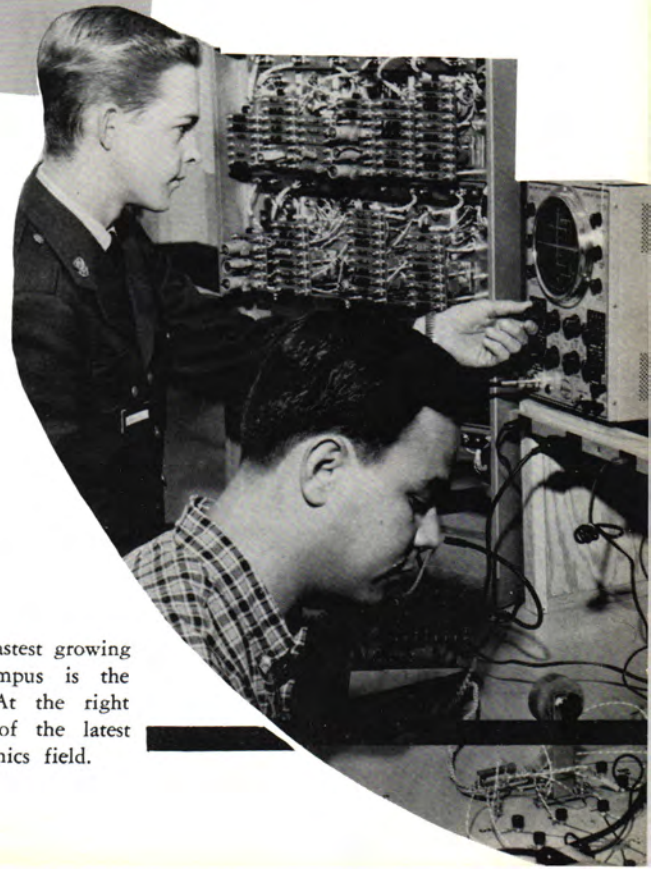
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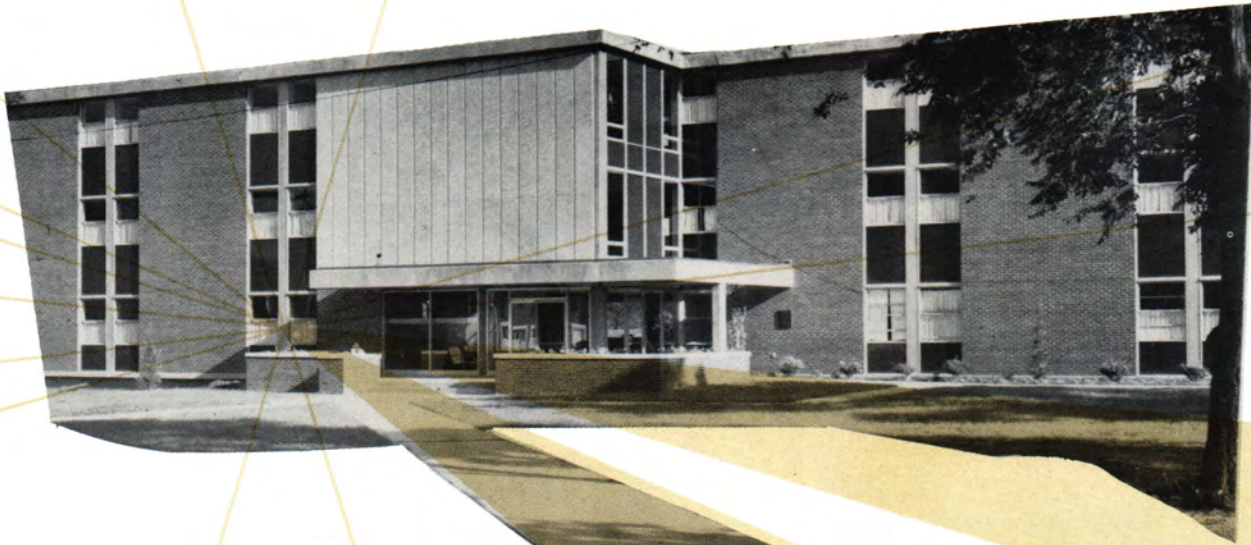
Above ROTC instructors discuss outer space with cadets while at the left NEO agriculture students study grains in a typical class. Agriculture students have won awards from all over the nation in their judging contests.



Charles Banks Wilson, NEO art instructor, explains to students how to capture the highlights of nature in their art work.



One of the newest and fastest growing departments on the campus is the electronics department. At the right students try out some of the latest equipment in the electronics field.



Dyer Hall, one of the newest buildings on the campus, houses 160 male students during the school term. The three story structure is one of the most beautiful and modern buildings available.

At Right a NEO student looks over the lounge on the second floor. There is a lounge on each floor which is used for studying by the students.



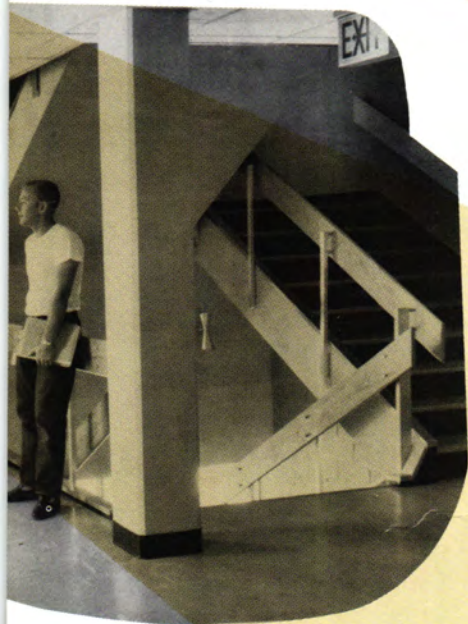
Don and Marian Dyer, for whom the building was dedicated, try out the reception area in the new dorm.

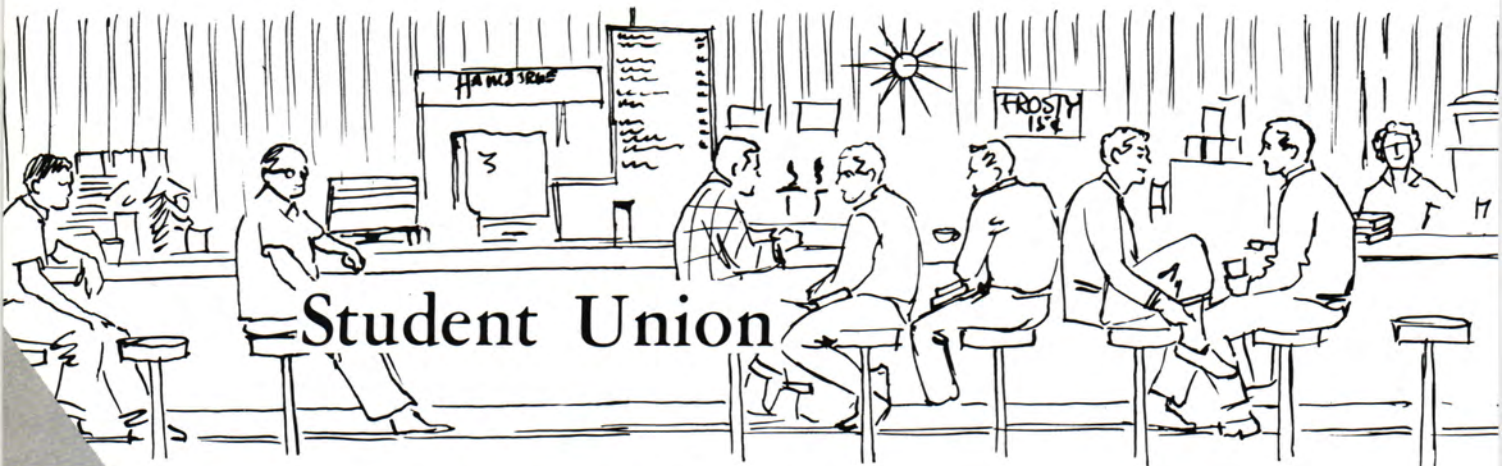
# Dyer Hall

When visitors arrive on the Northeastern A&M campus, Dyer Hall is one of the buildings that always catches their eye. The new boys' dorm has three floors with a lounge on each floor. It also contains a game room in the basement.



Above Mr. and Mrs. Dyer pause to talk to a couple of Dyer Hall residents. Below Mrs. Buelah Elrod, house mother, drops in on a couple of the boys in their room. Each room in the dorm is equipped with modern furniture.





The new Bruce G. Carter student union houses the post office, bookstore, game room, cafeteria, snack bar, and ball room. The building, named in honor of college president, Bruce G. Carter, is the center of most college activities. At the left students purchase necessary merchandise from the bookstore along with checking for letters from home. In the bottom photograph students dance in the union ballroom.





At the right, students engage in pool contests in the game room. This room is one of the most popular places in the union. Below, students enjoy a noon meal in the college cafeteria. The cafeteria offers college students three well-balanced meals each day.





# Kah-Ne-You-Ah



Kah-Ne-You-Ah, home of Northeastern A&M coeds, is the girls home away from home. The dorm also is the home of NEO's famous Norse Star girls' drill team.



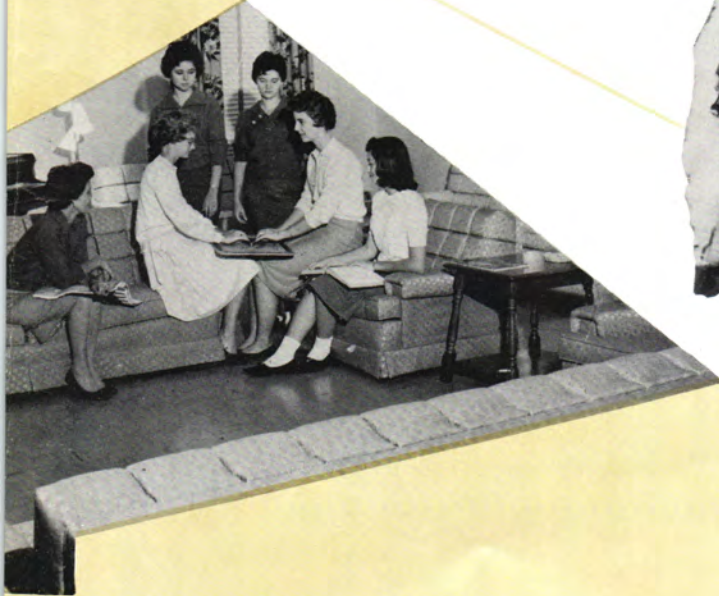
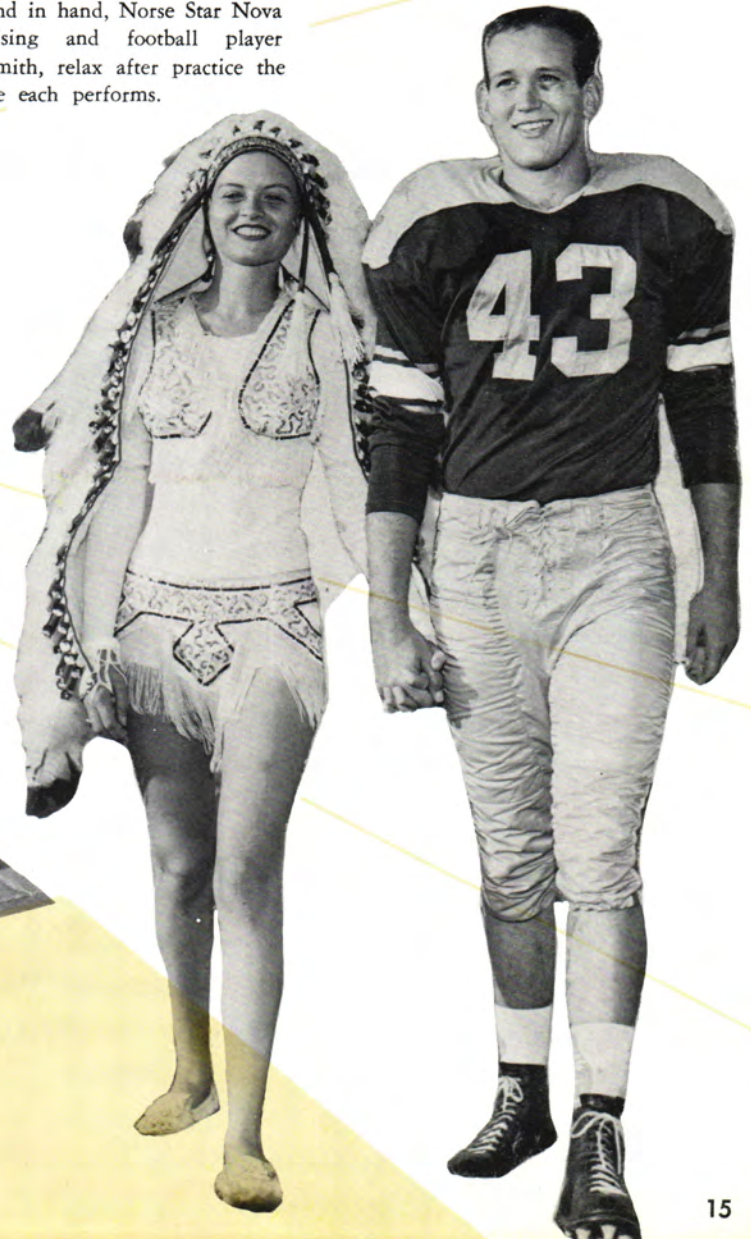
Above NEO girls enjoy themselves in their room as they take a break from their studies. At the left, three pretty Norse Stars pose for the college photographer as they prepare for one of their many performances. At the right the girls relax for a few minutes in the lounge as they prepare to go to class.





Above Northeastern A&M's powerful backfield gets set for another NEO touchdown. Sports play a vital role in college life at NEO as the football team is national defending junior college champions while the basketball and baseball teams added state championships to this honor.

Below, hand in hand, Norse Star Nova Lee Theising and football player Ronnie Smith, relax after practice the day before each performs.







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# C ONTENTS

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To Mr. And Mrs. Don Dyer  
Faithful Service To The Students  
College.



Don Dyer, Director of Housing, is photographed by the Viking yearbook photographer as he starts a typical day.



Mr. Dyer visits with Mrs. Lotus Sprague, house mother at Commons Hall.



LeRoy Porter, proctor at the new Dyer Hall boys' dorm, named in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Dyer, discusses events that have taken place in the dorm during the week.

The 1961 Viking yearbook  
Don and Marian Dyer who  
students, the faculty, and the  
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For 16 Years Of  
Of Northeastern A & M



Don and Marian look over the drawing of new Dyer Hall, named in their honor. The dorm is the latest addition to the campus.

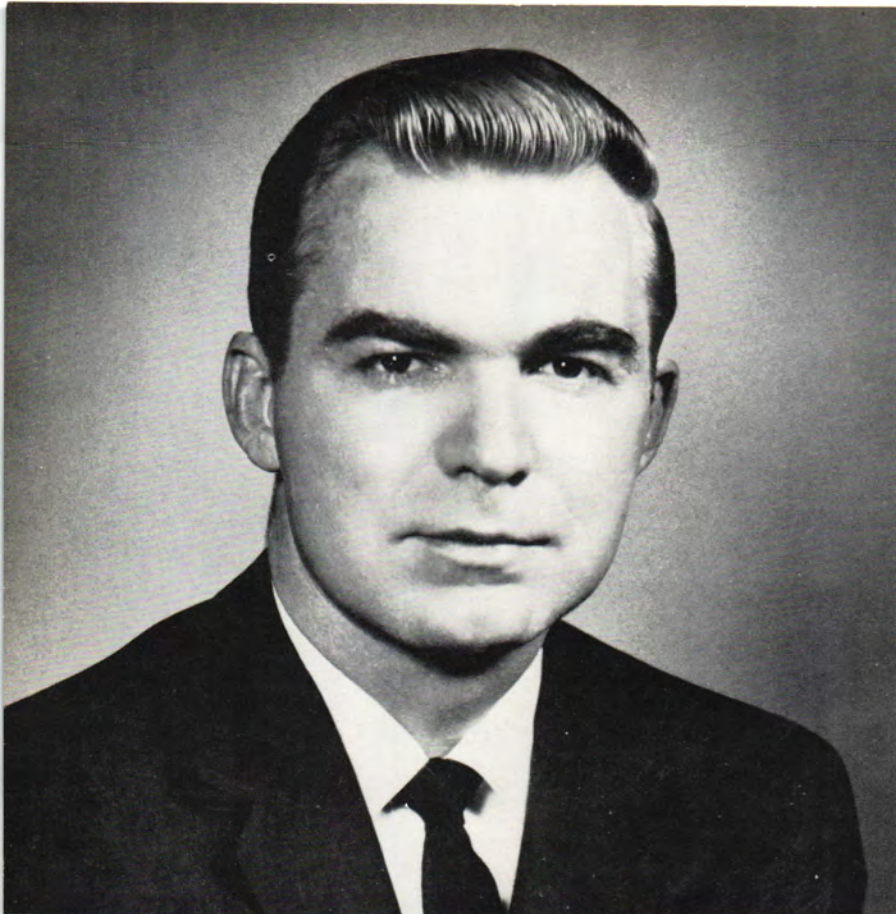


Taking a few minutes from their busy day the Dyers relax in the Bruce G. Carter student union. Managing the union is another one of their jobs.

Discussing plans with Mr. Dyer for a coming event to take place in the union are NEO students Roger Schmacher, Hampton, New Jersey; Shirley Guthrie, Sand Springs; and Ted Fisher, Jenks.



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MAX BUZZARD  
*Physical Education*



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*Chief Clerk*



Mrs. Doris Burnes, seated, new foreign language instructor at Northeastern A&M, takes time out from college instruction to teach Spanish to Miami grade school children. Helping Mrs. Burnes is Mrs. Charles Letcher.

Fac



MERRILL CHANEY  
*Woodworking*



CLADYS COPEN  
*Business*



FRANK CUNNINGHAM  
*Chemistry*



DON DYER  
*Director of Housing*



MARIAN DYER  
*Activities Director*



BEULAH ELROD  
*House Mother*

ulty



Faculty Members T/Sgt. Thomas Baird, Charles Angle, Capt. Don Persons and Capt. Rodney Boaz discuss current ROTC plans while taking a coke break in the union.



MRS. C. C. FERREE  
*Bookstore Manager*



CARL C. FINKE  
*Business*



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*Biology*



E. J. GRIESHABER  
*Political Science*



JOHN HAMMONS  
*English*



JERRY HOLLIS  
*Industrial Education*



IVAN HOLMES  
*Journalism*



ELIZABETH HUTTS  
*Registrar*

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*Electronics*



REV. WELDON MARCUM  
*Bible*



JOHN J. MICKA  
*Agriculture*



J. C. MILLER  
*Agriculture*



OREN NEED  
*Mathematics*



MRS. JO ANNA NELSON  
*Clerk*

ulty



Art instructor Charles Banks Wilson uses illustrations to show students the techniques involved in art. Wilson is considered one of the top art instructors in the nation.



BRUCE OWEN  
*Speech and Dramatics*



ELIZABETH PAINE  
*Librarian*



DOUGLAS PAYTON  
*Piano*



CAPT. DON PERSONS  
*Air Science*



KATHRYN PHILLIPS  
*House Mother*



RAYMOND REID  
*Business*



J. C. Miller, agriculture dairy judging coach, is shown with dairy judging team members: Phil Jayne, Pryor; Joe Snider, Owasso; Melvin Graham, Coyle; and Norris Nichols, Nowata. The team captured top honors at the Tulsa State Fair contest held in October.

Fac



KENNETH RICHARDS  
*Music*



S. A. ROBERTSON  
*Athletic Director*



JACK RUCKER  
*English*



WILLIAM RUSSELL  
*Social Science*



MELVIN SHIPLEY ✓  
*Math*



MRS. BILL SMITH ✓  
*Clerk*



Mrs. Harry Synar, left, and Mrs. Mable Speaker, center, help students in a home economics class learn the art of decorating a table. The girls seem to be enjoying the task.



MABLE SPEAKER  
*Home Economics*



LOTUS SPRAGUE  
*House Mother*



ROBERT SWANSON  
*Music*

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BONNIE SYNAR  
*Home Economics*



HARRY SYNAR  
*Agriculture*



JOHN THEISING  
*Mathematics and Physics*



Northeastern A&M students surround social science instructor Charles Angle as he advises students on what subjects to take.



HOMA THOMAS  
*Business*



JOHN D. WILHOIT  
*Drafting*



CHARLES WILSON  
*Art*



# ROYALTY



Homecoming Queen

Sue Keeter

Freshman

Grove



Football Queen  
Connie Witbracht  
Freshman  
Miami



Basketball Queen  
Sue Nelle Webb  
Freshman  
Miami



Viking Queen  
Marty Stevenson  
Freshman  
Grove

# Homecoming

Carolyn Lane  
Pre Med Club  
Picher



Carol Neihus  
Masquers  
Grove



# Attendants

Ann Lawrence  
Business Club  
Bartlesville



Linda Whitney  
Engineers Club  
Miami



Winonia Schmidt  
Indian Club  
Chiloco



Lillian Long  
Aggies  
Jay



Sallie Luckey  
Sophomore Class  
Miami



Diane Melton  
Freshman Class  
Wichita



Sue Nelle Webb  
Press Club  
Miami



Sandra Hackett  
I.T.S. Club  
Okla. City

Viking Attendants

Virginia Ford  
Tulsa



Lillian Long  
. Jay

Mary Zodrow  
Claremore



Diane Killion  
Miami



Melba Seaton  
Commerce

Judy Eaton  
Nowata





Diane Melton  
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Susie Walker  
Miami





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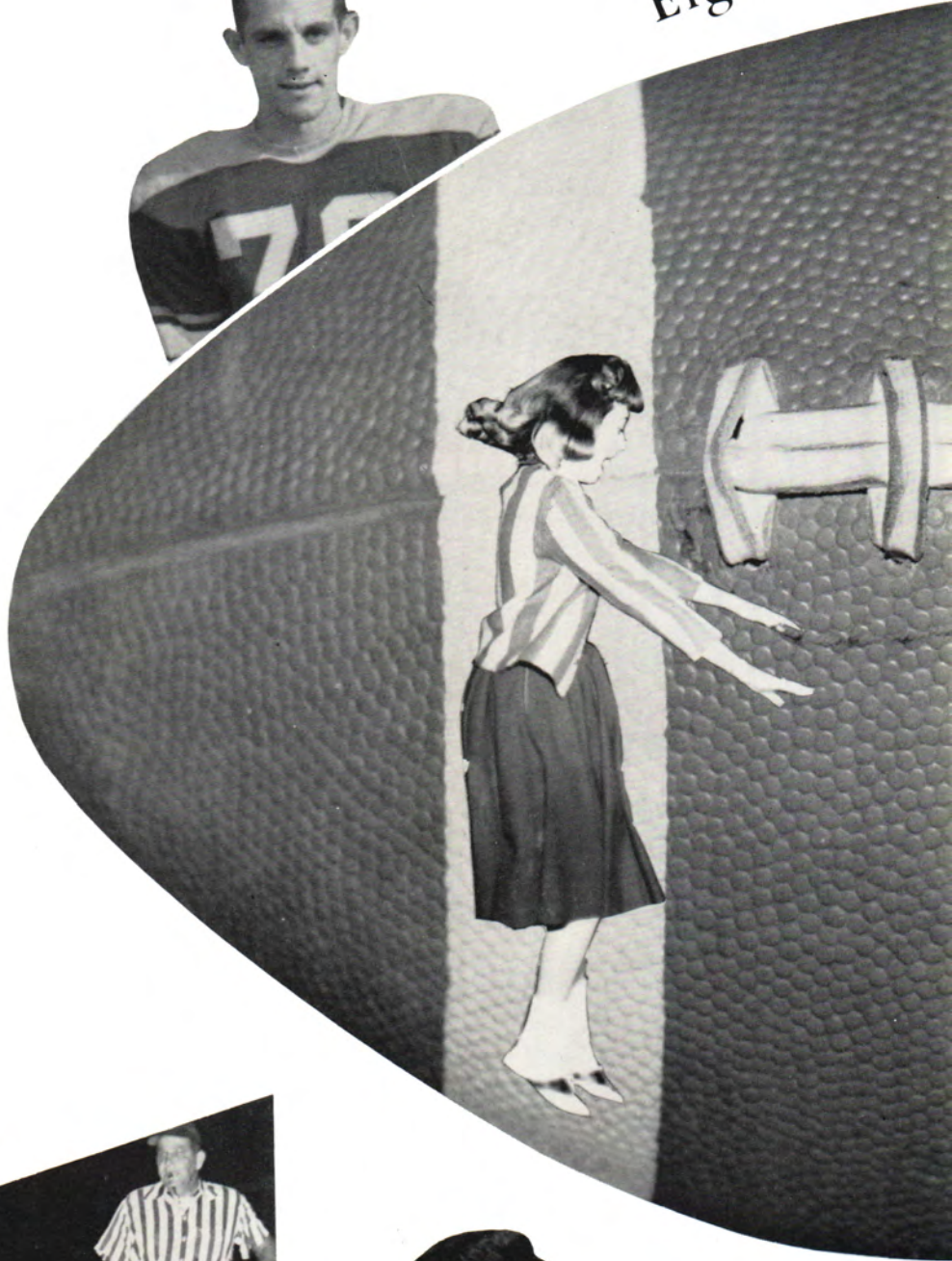


# Spirit Key Eight Wins,

Gene Hart  
*All-American*



Red Robertson  
*Head Coach*



Raymond Reed  
*Line Coach*



Typical of the action in the Grand Rapids contest is the pile of players at the left. NEO won the contest 23-20.

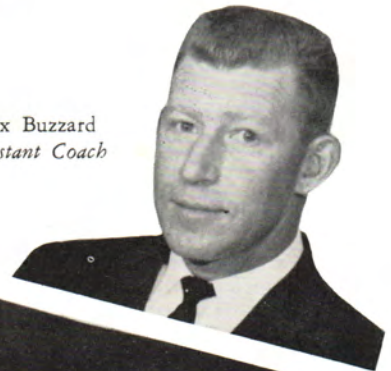


# To Victory Two Losses

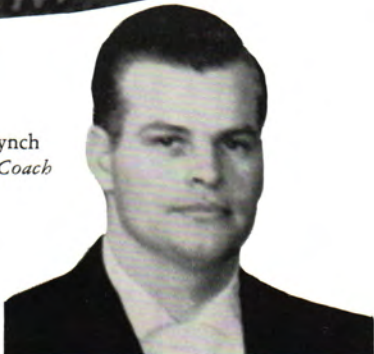
Ronnie Ellis and Don Pitman.  
*All-Americans*



Max Buzzard  
*Assistant Coach*

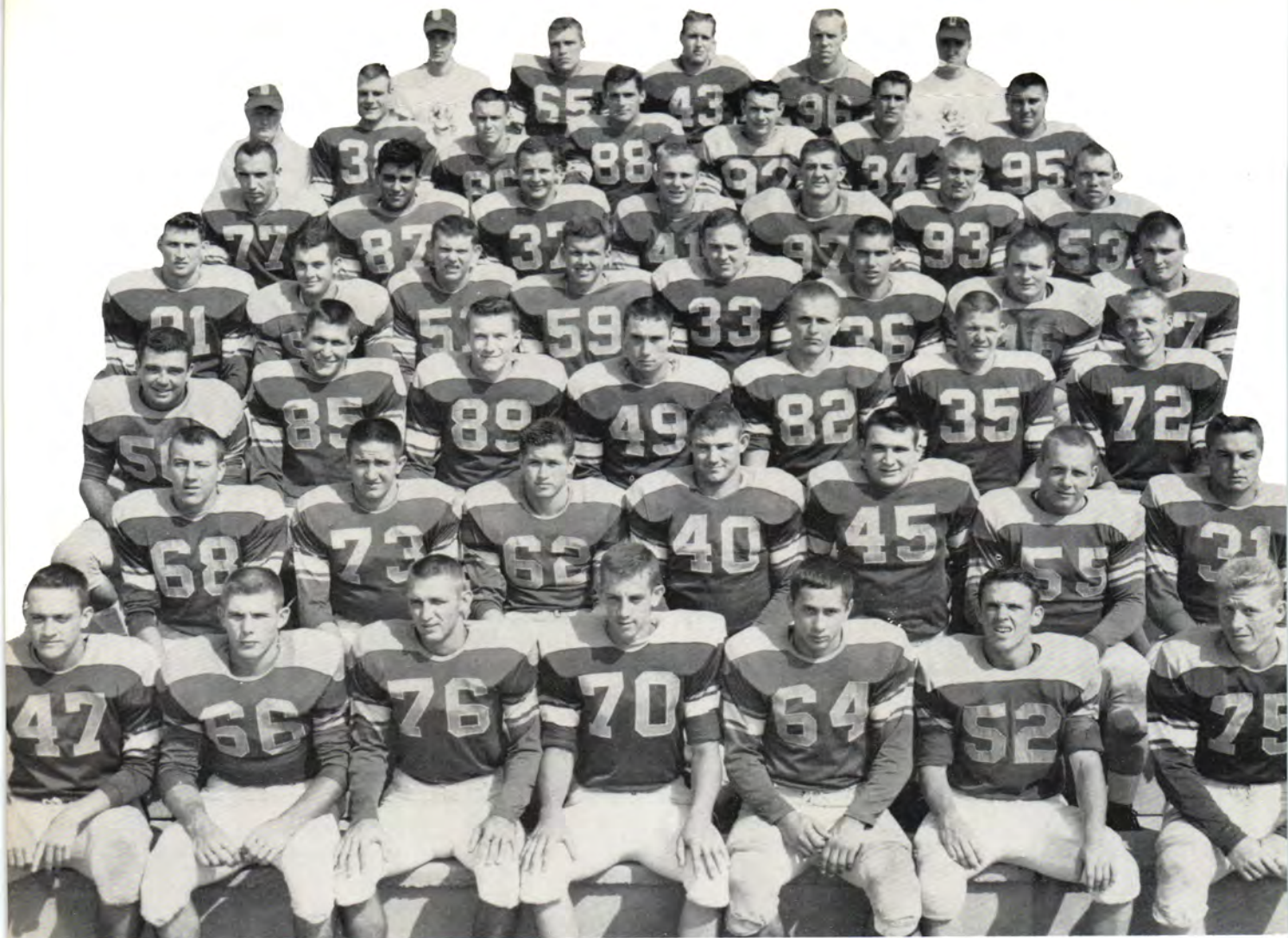


Dewey Lynch  
*Backfield Coach*



A Norse back picks up good yardage against Northern in the NEO homecoming contest. NEO won the game 37-6.





*First Row, Left to Right:* George Fraley, Marcus Goodrich, Maynard Walters, Gene Hart, Robert Johnson, David Draeger, and Raymond Porter. *Second Row:* Hary Gilmore, Bob Bruno, Freddie Martin, Buddy Riner, Paul Ducotey, Julian Biggers, and Paul Payne. *Third Row:* Max Goins, Joe Hutts, James McCall, Nolan Padgett, Tommy Sherrill, John Neaves, and Guy Tucker. *Fourth Row:* Donne Pitman, Cal Harris, Allan Helsel, Timothy Szenderski, John Estes, Harold Shiflett, Doil Abernathy, and

Jim Abernathy. *Fifth Row:* Wayne Jordan, Joe Marcano, Jim Andrews, Robert Leppke, LeRoy Porter, Roger Craichy, and Jack Davis. *Sixth Row:* Buddy Biggers, *Statistician;* Robert Richards, George Everett, James McPeters, Roy Duncan, Stan McGee, and Larry Bohannon. *Seventh Row:* Wayne Epperson, *Manager;* William Carlyn, Ronnie Smith, Ronnie Ellis, and John Walker, *Trainer.*

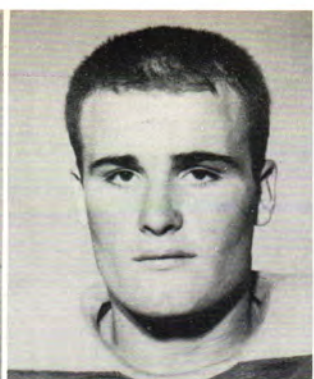
## WE WERE GREEN AND THEY WERE GOOD, BUT

**NORTHEASTERN 19 — ALUMNI 13**

**SEPT. 10 AT MIAMI** — Coach "Red" Robertson knew that his squad was green, but he didn't know how green. He also knew the Alumni were good, but he didn't know how good. Sticking to a ground attack built around fullback Bill Carlyn for most of the first period, the Norse finally took a 6-0 lead on a pass from quarterback Gene Hart to Bob Johnson. Carlyn picked up the second NEO touchdown on an 18-yard run and it looked like an easy night's work. Then the old grads scored on an eight-yard pass from Jack Chitton to Jerry Carlton to close the gap. However, a 16-yard pass from Bob Bruno to end Donne Pitman gave the Norse a little breathing room. But an untimely NEO fumble set up a one-yard plunge by Mickey Heatherly for a final Alumni score.

## NORSEMEN LEAD 20 — 0 AT HALFTIME NORTHEASTERN 27 — EASTERN 13

**SEPT. 17 AT MIAMI** — Bill Carlyn and Bob Bruno spearheaded a Norse attack which saw NEO compile a 20-0 lead as they went to the locker room at halftime. Carlyn added another score in the third period, and it looked as though the Mountaineers would not get the revenge they sought for last year's defeat. But the visitor's backfield then began clicking with near disastrous results. The final score for Eastern came on an 86-yard run by freshman fullback Bob Wallace. Halfback Paul Payne started the Northeastern scoring by throwing a pass to end Wayne Jordan in the end zone. A blocked punt by Paul Ducotey set up a one-yard drive by Hart before the sophomore signal caller threw another touchdown strike to end Cal Harris.



DOIL ABERNATHY

JIM ABERNATHY

JIM ANDREWS

BOB BRUNO

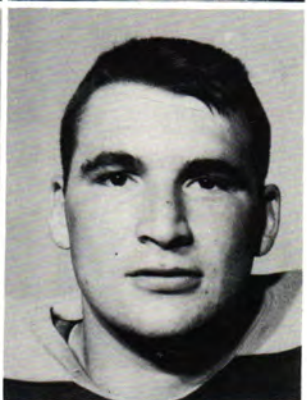
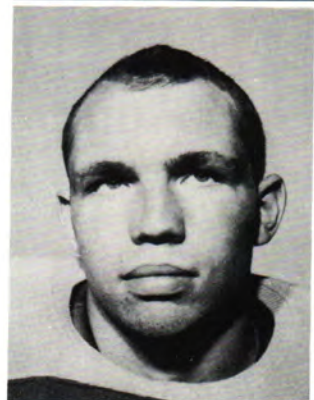
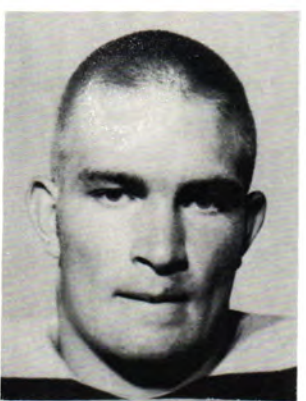
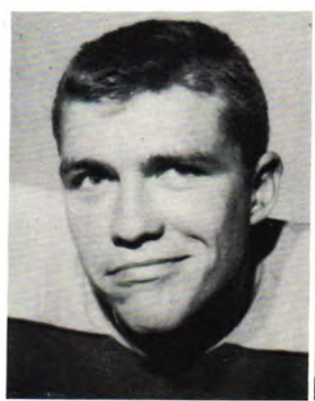
LARRY BOHANNON

**THEY WERE NUMBER ONE IN THE NATION  
TYLER, TEXAS 48 — NEO 7**

**SEPT. 22 AT TYLER** — A huge crowd at Tyler's Rose Stadium expected to see a close game, but was amazed at the casualness with which the Apaches scored against the defending National Champions. It took only eleven plays for Tyler to strike for a lead which they never relinquished. The Norse had several opportunities to get back in the game but could not take advantage of them and the Apaches mounted a 21-0 lead at half-time. The spectacular feature about the contest was the depth and versatility of the Tyler backfield. Several backs unleashed long runs and accurate passing against discouraged Norse defenders. In the final minutes of the game, sophomore back Stan McGee put on a running display for Northeastern fans which enabled Hart to find Pitman alone in the end zone for the final count of 48-7.

BILL CARLYN

ROGER CRAJCHY



JACK DAVIS

PAUL DUCOTEY

ROY DUNCAN

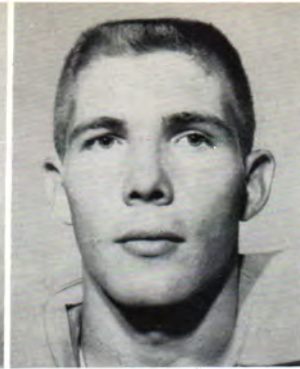
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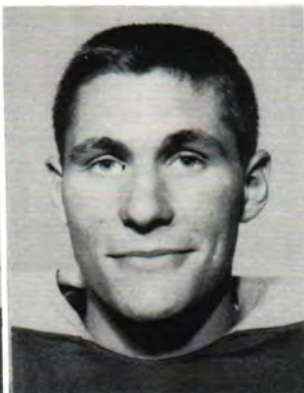
MARCUS GOODRICH

CAL HARRIS

GENE HART

ALLAN HELSEL

JOE HUTTS



BOB JOHNSON

WAYNE JORDAN

**MICHIGAN INVADERS SEEK SECOND STRAIGHT, BUT NORTHEASTERN 23 — GRAND RAPIDS 20**

**OCT. 1 AT MIAMI** — Seeking their second win over Northeastern A & M in as many years, Grand Rapids came to the home of the battling Norsemen in hopes of killing all hopes for a great season at NEO. But quarterback Hart used the talents of his right arm and toe to give the Golden Norsemen an upset victory over the invaders from the North. Northeastern A & M took an early lead on a five-yard scamper by Hart after he found no one open on a pass play. Field general Fred Challa led the Raiders in an offensive burst which gave them a 13-7 lead at half. Hart then unleashed his passing arm in the third quarter finding Cal Harris and George Everett on the ends of touchdown passes for a 20-13 advantage. Challa returned the compliments by connecting with Doug Eggleston for 89 yards and a new ball game. With time running out, the Norse marched down field to the extreme side of the nine-yard line. Hart gambled on a field goal and the ball split the uprights for the victory.

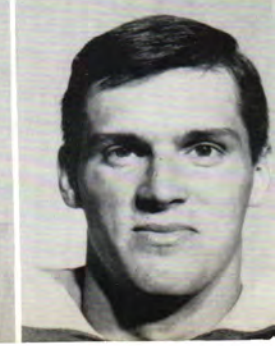
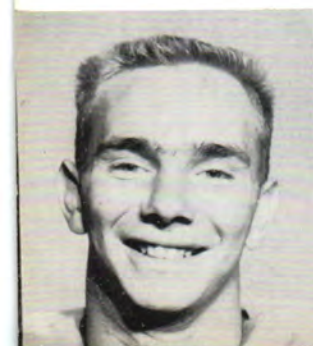
ROBERT LEPPKE

FREDDIE MARTIN

JAMES MC CALL

STAN MC GEE

JIM MC PETERS



## NORSE PLAY GREAT DEFENSE ON ROAD TRIPS

**NORTHEASTERN 34 — MURRAY 0**  
**NORTHEASTERN 7 — WICHITA 0**

**OCT. 8-15 AT MURRAY AND WICHITA** — Showing a complete reversal of form, Northeastern A & M played extremely sharp defense against two offensive-minded foes in important road contests. Once again recording a devastating first half, NEO led Murray, always tough at home, 20-0 at intermission. Hart was again one of the main culprits, throwing a pass to Bruno which covered 78 yards for the first score of the game. Hard nosed running by Carlyn accounted for two Golden Norsemen touchdowns, while Hart continued to fill the air with his deadly passes for six pointers to Paul Payne on two occasions. In the contest at Wichita the Wheatshockers fielded another fine freshman team but could not move inside the NEO 47-yard line in a game featured by two hard-hitting lines. A nine-yard punt set up the only score of the contest. Moving the ball from their opponent's 32, the Norse called on Carlyn for the last eight yards and pay dirt.



Norse blockers lead the way for a touchdown run by fullback Bill Carlyn in the season's final game against Coffeyville.



## NORSEMEN UPHOLD HOMECOMING TRADITION

**NORTHEASTERN 37 — NORTHERN 6**

**OCTOBER 22 AT MIAMI** — Sporting one of the best defenses in the country, the Mavericks came into Miami planning to spoil the day for Homecoming fans. After giving up only 29 points in their first eight games, Northern was stunned by a Northeastern offensive unit which garnered 37 hard-fought points. Meanwhile, the visitors could not do more than cross the goal once against the fired up Norsemen. Northeastern A & M had a great homecoming tradition to live up to, and it did so in fine shape. Hart once again carried the Norse to victory as he deftly mixed running and passing plays for crucial yardage. Carlyn and Bruno provided the running and Pitman, Jordan, and Bruno provided the pass receiving. Hart climaxed first half scoring by kicking a 20-yard field goal. Perhaps the outstanding play of the game was a pass play from Hart to Pitman which netted 47 yards and a touchdown. The 5'9" magician dropped back to his own 40 and heaved a long spiral into the waiting arms of Pitman as he loped into the end zone.

Three Eastern A & M defenders battle with NEO end Donne Pitman in trying to gain possession of the football in Northeastern's 27-13 victory.

**NEO GETS THE BREAKS, LOSES THEM TOO**  
**NORTHEASTERN 22 — CONNORS 0**  
**CAMERON 26 — NORTHEASTERN 14**

**OCT. 29, NOV. 4 AT MIAMI AND LAWTON** — Getting plenty of good breaks when they needed them, the fighting Norse humbled a determined bunch of Connors Aggies 27-0. Then, in a battle for the state championship, the breaks went the other way and for the first time in five years Coach "Red" Robertson's crew did not annex the state title. After a 42-yard run back of the opening kick by Mike Brown, Connors moved to the NEO 15 before being stopped by inches. Just before the initial period ended Hart shot a quick pass to Pitman, and the big end ran right over his defenders for 67 yards and a touchdown. A second period scoring pass from Hart to Cal Harris gave Northeastern a 15-0 lead which remained until the final stanza. Then fullbacks Carlyn and McGee found running room for the final count of 27-0. Cameron, the North's top team, turned the breaks the other way in handing NEO its second and last defeat of the season. The Aggies from Lawton scored first on a blocked kick of Freddie Martin. An interception by Melvin Scott set up a scoring pass to Joe Harris for a 13-0 Cameron lead at halftime. After pulling to only a 19-14 deficit on a recovered blocked punt by John Estes and a Hart to Bruno pass, the Golden Norse allowed the Aggies another TD, for the final 26-14 score.



Donne Pitman, sophomore end, shows the back of his jersey to a covey of Connors defenders as he spearheads a Norse drive with a 50-yard touchdown after catching one of quarterback Gene Hart's passes.

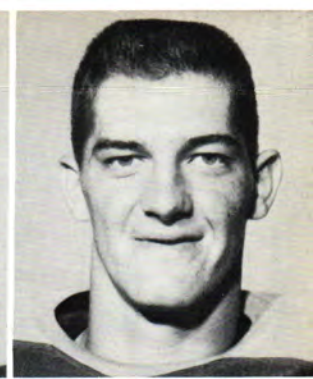
**NEO CLOSSES SEASON WITH WIN OVER KANSAS**

**NORTHEASTERN 35 — COFFEYVILLE 6**

**NOV. 10 AT MIAMI** — Finishing their careers at Northeastern A & M in fantastic fashion, Hart and Carlyn tore apart any Raven hopes for a victory. The highly regarded Kansans could not contain the NEO offensive power, and did not cross the goal until the Norse reserves entered the game in the fourth quarter. Carlyn carried eight times for 56 yards in the first scoring drive, plunging over from the one-foot line. He added 40 yards to his early total before the half ended with the Miamians gripping a lead of 21-0. After taking the second-half kick off, Hart generated his forces 80 yards in seven plays, throwing a 33-yard pass to Wayne Jordan for pay dirt. The Ravens stiffened and held the Golden Norsemen on the next series of downs, but a great punt by Hart put Coffeyville in trouble on their own one-foot line. Jordan and tackle Ron Ellis combined to block and recover a third down punt in the end zone, for the fifth touchdown. Hart converted all five extra points.



Grand Rapids finds the going rough while trying for their second straight conquest of the Golden Norsemen. NEO won the contest on a field goal by Hart.



JOHN NEAVES

NOLAN PADGETT

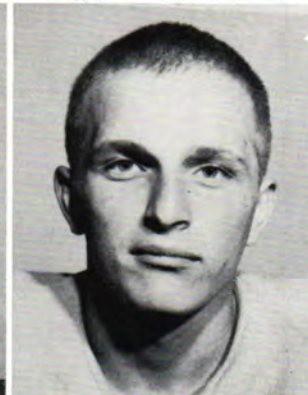
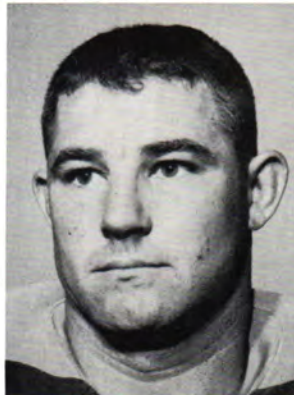
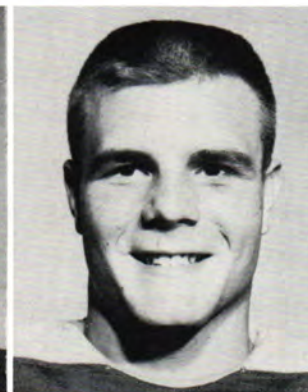
PAUL PAYNE

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### NORTHEASTERN'S GREATEST FOOTBALL MEN?

#### NORTHEASTERN 230 — OPPONENTS 122 FOOTBALL, 1960

— Coach "Red" Robertson's 1959 team won the National Championship. Several NEO teams have gone to post-season bowl games. Very seldom has a Norseman team failed to win the state JUCO championship. Northeastern A & M has had some truly great teams in its history. But could this year's edition have been the greatest group of men ever to bear our school's name? Before the season began, it was apparent that this was going to be "one of those years." Losing almost all of the squadmen from last year, Robertson was faced with a tremendous rebuilding job. From all outward appearances he had not been highly successful as the team lacked size, speed, and depth, three very important factors in winning football. After the first three games, everyone still maintained that the season would get longer instead of shorter. But something happened to the 1960 squad, which never gave up, as was witnessed against Grand Rapids. Game after game they played with an intense desire to win, a desire to prove that they were just as good as anybody, and the football history of 1960 should surely prove it.

HAROLD SHIFLETT

RONNIE SMITH

TIM SZENDERSKI

GUY TUCKER

MAYNARD WALTERS





# Baske



Coach Max Buzard goes through an offensive pattern during a practice session.

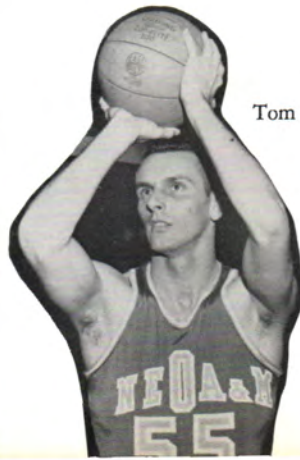


Myrle Calmus

Fighting for a rebound in the NEO-Coffeyville contest are cagers on both teams. Coffeyville won the contest to win the NEO cage tourney.



Northeastern A&M's 1961 cage squad includes, *front row* strong, Nolan Padgett, and Guy Tucker. *Second Row* Allen Helsel, Dave Tadlock, and Ted Fisher. *Third Row* Halligan, Myrle Calmus, and Wayne Epperson.



Tom Halligan

Hit hard by graduation with a 4-8 conference record. The cagers were able to win the tourney over a good Murray square. The junior college tourney he had a rebuilding year, and NEO fans had hopes of an outstanding



From left to right: Steve Ward, Ronnie Arm-  
strong, Ronnie Pitman, Manager; David Malloy,  
Max Buzzard, Coach; David Bray, Tom

The 1961 basketball squad finished the season with an overall record of 6-16. Some of the big ones included a victory over NEO. The team also placed second in the NEO. This was, however, a disappointment as they were looking forward to next year's season.

Allen Helsel

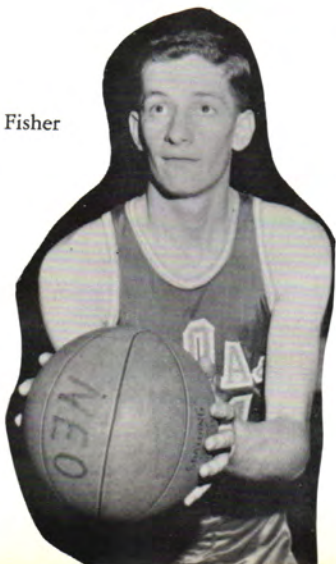


Dave Tadlock



Wayne Epperson goes up for two points against Bacone's Warriors. NEO won the contest in a close game.

Ted Fisher



# Basketball



Nolan Padgett



David Bray

## 1961 NEO BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

NEO 70	Ozark Bible College	52
NEO 65	Bacone	59
NEO 31	Coffeyville	86
NEO 48	Coffeyville	85
NEO 52	Joplin	64
NEO 65	Coffeyville	84
NEO 67	Connors	61
NEO 54	Cameron	80
NEO 59	Bacone	66
NEO 58	Eastern	71
NEO 71	OMA	67
NEO 68	Northern	76
NEO 79	Connors	74
NEO 59	Murray	58
NEO 67	Eastern	83
NEO 69	OMA	73
NEO 80	Northern	81
NEO 82	Iola	96
NEO 65	Cameron	101
NEO 67	Murray	80
NEO 45	Tulsa Freshmen	76
	Regionals	
NEO 70	Parsons	73



Tom Halligan puts up a shot against Bacone in an early conference contest. Halligan hit the bucket but NEO lost the contest.



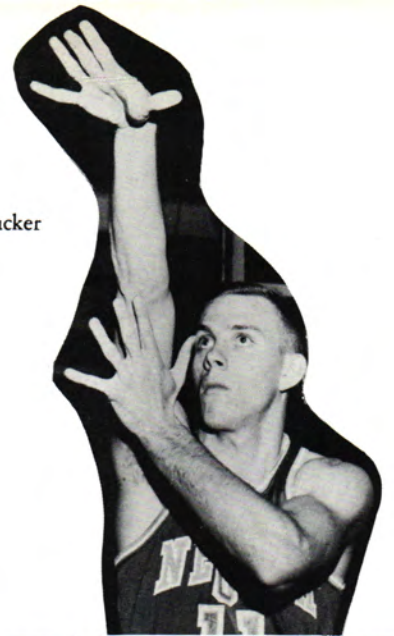
Ronnie Armstrong



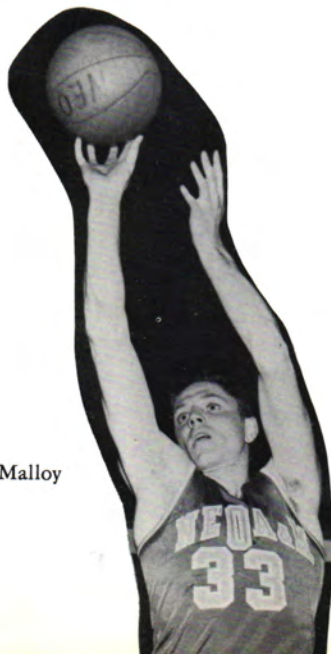
Steve Ward



Guy Tucker



Myrle Calmus, NEO captain, crowns Sue Nelle Webb, freshman from Miami, as 1961 Basketball queen during the halftime of the NEO-Cameron basketball contest.



David Malloy



Bob Bruno gets two on a fast break against OMA. The hot hitting Cadets defeated the Norsemen after NEO had defeated them earlier in the year.



Nolan Padgett  
Mike Cherry  
Bob Johnson  
Steve Ward  
Jerry Legg



Tom Halligan  
Raymond Porter  
John Casillas  
Bob Bruno



Larry Ketcher  
Ronnie Thomason  
John Cowley



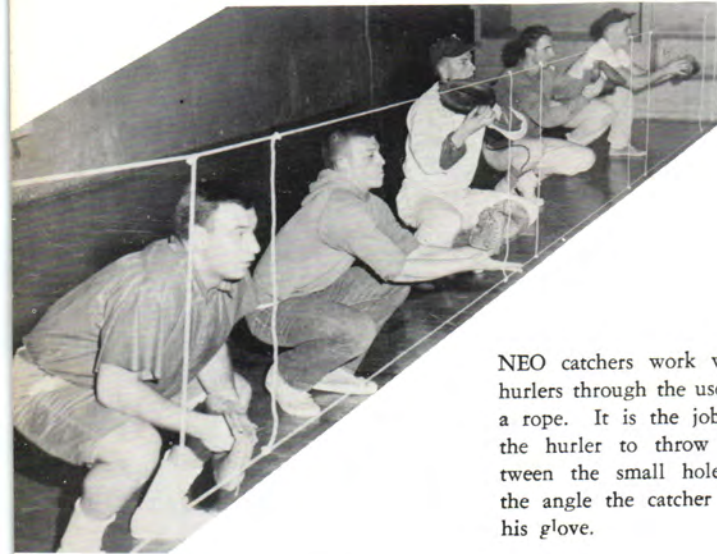
John Cottone  
Jordy Henderson



John Roygeot



Front Row, Left to Right: Hurlers, Jerry Legg, John Cowley, Bob Bruno, and Steve Ward. Second Row: Tom Halligan, John Roygeot, Mike Cherry, Myrle Calmus, and Nolan Padgett.

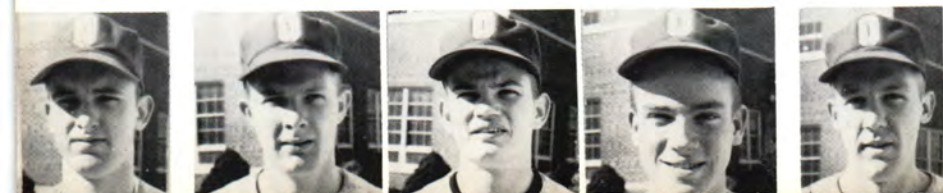


NEO catchers work with hurlers through the use of a rope. It is the job of the hurler to throw between the small hole at the angle the catcher has his glove.

# Baseball



Assistant Coach Max Buzzard, left, and Head Coach Homa Thomas talk over the coming season with All-American, David Berryhill. Berryhill is captain for the 1961 baseball squad.

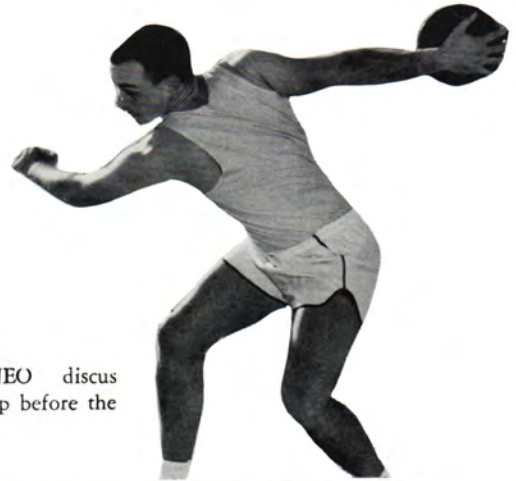


Merle Calmus  
David Foster  
David Berryhill  
Lloyd Ogle  
Ted Koscheski

# Track



Sprinters Calvin Harris and Eddie McBrien show the form they hope will carry them to many victories during 1961.



Leon Holt, NEO discus thrower, warms up before the season opener.

Four lettermen and 36 candidates made up the NEO track squad during 1961. Coach Jack Rucker returned lettermen George Everett, Joey Hutts, and Leon Holt, of Miami, along with Cal Harris, of Key West, Florida. According to Rucker the outlook for the 1961 squad is bright with the conference championship the goal of the team.



Gene Tucker tosses the shot put as weightmen Leon Holt and Dick Risinger watch Tucker's form.



Kent Jefferies shows his form as he goes over the hurdles at full speed.



Champions of IM action with a perfect 9-0 record were the Business club. *Front Row, Left to Right:* Paul Milly, Steve Priborsky, Raymond Porter, and Mayard Walters. *Second Row:* J. B. Simmons, Larry Allison, Phil Sullivan, Darrel Vanpool, and Coach Homa Thomas.



# I n t r a m u r a l

## IM STANDINGS

1. Business club	7-0
2. Falcons	6-1
3. Engineers	5-2
4. Chilly Willies	4-3
5. Red Devils	3-4
6. BSU	2-5
7. Eagles	1-6
8. Ravens	0-7

## PLAYOFFS

Business club	2-0
Engineers	1-1
Falcons	1-1
Chilly Willies	0-2

1st.



2nd.

The Engineers placed second in conference action. *Front Row, Left to Right:* Hooshang Naji, Steve Weintraub, Jim Taylor, Jim Andrews, and Mike Lanning. *Second Row:* Cal Harris, Tim Szenderski, Howard Ratzken, Joe Marciano, and Neal Bigelow.

3rd.



ROTC's Falcons placed third in league action. *Front Row, Left to Right:* George Everett, Jerry Seigal, and Ted Watts. *Back Row:* Joey Hutts, Gerald Sergeant, Monte Berkey, and Stan McGee.

4th.

The Chilly Willies placed fourth in the league standings. *Front Row, Left to Right:* Mike Wyckoff, Ron Thomlinson, Charles Bowman, and Bob Armstrong. *Second Row:* Bill Grover, Pat McGuire, Ron Smith, Dale Sikes, Norris Nichols, and Don Price.





# ORGANIZATIONS





Student Council members, *Left to Right:* Raymond Sikes, Harriett Wyatt, Mary Spriggs, A. H. Kordestaini, Moe McCormick, Carol Niehus, Pat Kerley, Jane Renick, Carolyn Lane, Paul Dixon,

Neal Burcham, Randy Kemberling, Gene Lewis, Donne Pitman, and Don Price, *Student Council President.*

# S t u d e n t C o u n c i l



Student council officers include Don Price, *President*; Donne Pitman, *Vice-President*; and Jane Renick, *Secretary*.

The student council plays an important role in the life of Northeastern A and M college.

The council sponsored the Christmas dance, took charge of various college elections, and had many committees working on various projects to make NEO a better college for the students.



Home Economic offices include, *Left to Right*: Patty Hollis, Mary Nicks, Judy Fronterhouse, Randy Kimberling, and Toni Houck.



"My Blue Heaven" was the theme of the homecoming float entry of the Home Economics club.

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Below Home Economic students gather in the lounge of the Arts building. *Left to Right, Standing*: Mrs. Harry Synar, *Instructor*. Jimmie Cannon, Randy Kimberling, Neva Boyd, Janice Thompson, Jeanie Hamil, Judy Eaton, Glena Harris, Donalene Eads, Helen Foster, Judy Fronterhouse, and Mrs. Mabel Speaker,

*Instructor. Second Row*: Marilee Ross, Pat Jones, Brenda Crosby, Toni Houck, Helen Taylor, Carol Niehus, Mary Gillman, Mary Morris, and Jane Ustler. *Bottom Row*: Brenda Creason, Linda Corbus, Rita Vanatta, Judy Trebilock, and Patty Hollis.





Inter-Collegiate Knights, *Standing, Left to Right:* E. J. Grieshaber, *Sponsor*, Joe Hanes, Norman Pickett, Mike Provine, John Walker, Joe Hutts, Phil Garoutte, Terry Westfall, David Berryhill, David Goodrich, Bob Jamison,

and Charles Angle, *Sponsor*. *Seated:* Al Karther, Ralph Cole, Jim Cole, Jerry Connely, Paul Dixon, Jack Newman, Don Price, Bob Armstrong, and Bob Blair.



Knight officers include, *Seated, Left to Right:* Norman Pickett, *President*; Ralph Cole, and Paul Dixon. *Standing:* Jim Cole, Jerry Connely, Mike Provine, and David Berryhill.

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The 1959-60 college year marked the first year of the Intercollegiate Knights National Honorary service fraternity on the NEO campus. Purpose of the fraternity is to establish, promote, and foster college spirit; and to maintain traditions and worthy activities through service, sacrifice, and loyalty.



Business club officers include Paul Ducotey, Sharon Shephard, and Joe Dareing.

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"Girl of My Dreams" was the theme of the homecoming float entered by the Business club. Business club queen riding on the float was Ann Lawrence.

Club members, *Left to Right:* Ann Lawrence Maureen Apperson, Loleta Saylor, Linda Hale, Marilyn Wilson, Joan Broam, Linda Olvey, Nancy Hoggle, Coetta Manning, Sally Lucky, and

Sharon Shepherd. *Standing:* Joe Dareing, Paul Ducotey, and Barney Sudderth.





Engineer Club Members—*Front Row, Left to Right:* Ali Kouti, Mahammad Shahriary, Ali Daftari, Forood Jahrgiri, Parviz Hashtromdi, Hadi Harraf, Glenn Long, Siavash Bijan, George Everett, and Oran Need, *Sponsor.* *Second Row:* Manouchehr Siami, Ted Koscheski, Ebrahim Morshedi, Ali Talrizi, Houshang Moaddeli, Keramat Delshad, Morad Kohan, Calvin Harris, and Joe Marcano. *Third Row:* Khosro Kordestani, Jack Gray, Iraj Bereliani, Osama Anabtawi, Pat Kerley, Bill Essary, Chuck Mc-

Fadden, Dean List, Bob Blair, and Jim Andrews. *Fourth Row:* Kleo Rhodes, Robert Rhodes, Zaid Malhas, Frank Witt, Don James, Charles Shafer, Tony Shearer, Francis Bartley, John Theising, *Sponsor;* and Don Price. *Fifth Row:* Ab Morshedi, Wilbur Warton, Oran Hall, Abdolhamid Morshedi, Maman Al-chokhacky, Iraz Dardashti, Tom Shaw, Ralph Cole, Ralph Leslie, and Donnie Stevens.

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Engineer Club Officers—*Left to Right:* Pat Kerley, Don Price, Joe Marcano, and Jim Andrews.



"The Angels Sing" was the theme of the Engineers club float. The Queen riding on the float was Linda Whitney.

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Phi Theta Kappa Officers — *Left to Right:* Mary Cunningham, Brooks Shafer, and Veda Grigsby.



Members of Northeastern A & M's Phi Theta Kappa honor society are, *front row, left to right:* Pat Powers, Helen Foster, Connie Wilcox, Deanna Williams, and Patty Hollis. *Standing:* Mary Spriggs, Joyce Rickner, Jim Andrews, Lance Thompson,

Eldon Wilson, Steve Harp, Neil Burcham, Bob Jamison, Jerry Harris, Bob Kerr, Ralph Cole, Joyce Livengood, Carolyn Lance, and Mary Jane Moore.





Pre-Med Club Members are, *front row, left to right:* Madme Hilliard, Fauntella Sandmire, Brenda Cosby, Kay Miller, David Berryhill, Connie Wilcox, Gwen Green, Brenda Creason, Mary Cunningham, and Deanna Williams. *Second Row:* Denton Lazenby, Carolyn Lane, Phillip Bowles, Bar-

bara Clay, Lillian Long, Jane Utsler, Jodawn Newburn, Rosemary Wood, Jerry Grigsby, and Sharon Gill. *Third Row:* Reginal Collins, Coy West, Lee Sergeant, Max Holcomb, Goldie Willet, Paul Dixon, Melba Seaton, Sandra Gray, James Corlett, Ann Middleton, and Sonia Davis.



Officers of the Pre-Med Club include, *left to right:* Kay Miller, Paul Dixon, Sharon Gill, Lindall Duncan, Shirley Guthrie, David Berryhill, and Carolyn Lane.

Carolyn Lane, Pre-Med queen, rides high atop the club's float, "Circus of Beauty" in the homecoming parade.



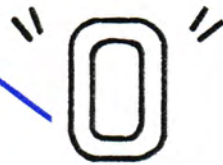


"O" Club Members — *Front Row, Left to Right:* Wayne Epperson, Don Pitman, Bob Richards, and LeRoy Porter. *Second Row:* Myrle Calmus, Ronnie Smith, David Malloy, Jim Andrews, Leon Holt, Noland Padget, and David

Berryhill. *Third Row:* Larry Bohannon, Gene Hart, Ronnie Ellis, Freddie Martin, John Estes, Dave Tadlock, and Tom Halligan.



Officers of the "O" Club are, *left to right:* Ronnie Smith, Don Pitman, and Wayne Epperson.



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The "O" Club is made of Northeastern A & M lettermen. The club initiates new members at the conclusion of the first semester.





Band Members—*Front Row, Left to Right:* Evelyn Campbell, Sandra Gray, Carla Powell, Bill Lotz, Mike Gordon, and Allan Smith. *Second Row:* Ronald Ballew, Barry Jepperson, Glen Ashby, and Donald Bledsoe. *Third Row:* Don Garvin, Jack Allen,

Linda Palm, Howard Snow, Jim Carver, and Max Butts. *Fourth Row:* Gerald Simpson, Bob Swanson, Arlen Bradley, Wendell Twist, John Scott, Joe McCormick, and Pat Gortney.



Performing before Miami residents in the annual homecoming parade is NEO's band. The band also performs at various functions over the state and tri-state area during the year.

# B a n d



# C h o r u s

These Chorus Members take time out to practice, *Front Row. Left to Right:* Jodawn Newburn, Joyce Rickner, Claude McClendon, and Gary Connley. *Second Row:* Clanton Moore, Kerin Boston, and Paul Dixon.

Northeastern A & M's Chorus—*Front Row. Left to Right:* Mr. Richards, *Director;* Connie Wilcox, Gwen Green, Sheril Curtis, Clayton Moore, Jan McLeod, Mike Grant, Patty Shockey, Marty Stevenson, and Helen Foster. *Second Row:* Diane Killion, Donalee Eads, Kerin Boston, Denton Lazenby, James Nunn, Jerry Grigsby, Glen Ashby, Donna Enyart, Kay Miller, and

Linda Hale. *Third Row:* Mary Spriggs, Phillis Utsler, Rita McMillian, Terry Westfall, Calvin McClendon, John VanPool, Max Butts, Joyce Rickner, Ruth Ann Shaffer, and Joy Archer. *Fourth Row:* Julia Frances, Linda Layton, Karen Williams, Gary Connely, Dave Tadlock, Charles McFadin, Paul Dixon, Rosemary Wood, Evelyn Campbell, and Jodawn Newburn.





Aggie society members gather in the Little Theatre for a picture taking session. Sponsors of the group are Harry Synar and J. C. Miller. The group is one of the largest on the campus.



Aggie Officers—*Left to Right:* Lance Thompson, Dean Wade, James Wiford, Neil Burcham, and Jerry Harris.

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The dairy judging team displays the Miller, *Left to Right:* Phillip Jayne, J





Northeastern A & M's livestock judging team displays the trophy received at the Southwest Livestock Exposition at Fort Worth, Texas. The team, under the direction of Harry Synar, finished second in the exposition. *Left to Right:* Robert Lotz, Charles McKinzie, Clyde Booth, Ronnie Inman, James Plier, Harry Synar. *Coach:* James Wiford, Bob Kerr, Ivan Rush, and Neil Burcham.

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rophy along with Coach J. C. Miller. With  
ider, Melvin Graham, and Norris Nichols.



"A Big Bouquet of Roses" was the theme of the Aggie float. Riding on the float was the Aggie queen Lillian Long.



Masquers Club Members — *Front Row, Left to Right:* Harriett Wyatt, Sue Nell Webb, Bonnie Stover, Marty Stevenson, Connie Witbracht, and Carol Niehus. *Second Row:* Pat Powers, Mary Jane Moore, Mary Spriggs, Claude McClendon, Ted Watts, Phillip Garoutte, Mark Hodder, Terry Westfall, Joyce Livengood, Karen Boston, and Donna McNatt.



Officers of the Masquers Club include Terry Westfall and Mary Jane Moore.

## Drama &

"The Pajama Game", a musical in two acts, was produced at eastern A & M college. It was directed by Bruce Owen.





"The Diary Of Anne Frank" was presented by the college drama department Dec. 8-10 under the direction of Bruce Owen. The production was a hit with NEO students.

## Masquers

the most popular productions ever produced at North-  
d Kenneth Richards.



*Above:* Anne Frank, portrayed by Bonnie Stoner, dreams she has been captured by the Germans. Seated next to Anne is Mrs. Frank, played by Harriet Wyatt. Phil Garoutte, who portrays a Jewish doctor, looks on.



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Northeastern A & M photographer catches students in one of their regular noon day services. The students meet each day during the noon hour for songs, prayer, and a short devotional.



These Northeastern A & M students are officers of the Baptist Student Union. *Left to Right:* Joe Daring, Connie Wilcox, and Jerry Grigsby.



"Spirit of BSU" was the theme of the Baptist Student Union float. The Holy Bible was used as the basis for the float as it is considered the center of BSU activities.



Theme of the International club float was "Beauty Is Universal." The theme was built around the idea that beauty can be found in all countries. The queen on the float was Nieves Olivas of Mexico.

International Club Officers — *Left to Right:* Abdullah Morshedi, Moman Al-chokhacky, Asher Javaherian, and Amir Kordestane.



# I n t e r n a t i o n a l C l u b

Members of the International Club — *Front Row, Left to Right:* Osama Anabtaivi, Samir Nabulsi, Ibrahim Al-arnsi, Irad Jayez, Hassan Tutunchi, Abdullah Morshedi, Amir Kordestani, Manoucher Siani, Siavash Bijan, Ali Tabrizi, and Mitzudo Meada. *Second Row:* Ahmed Damen, Wadeh Mansucher, Ordshahi, Micholas Felizola, Alejandro Rivas, and Rolando Felizola. *Third Row:* Zaid Malhas, Sirous

Saghatoleslami, Massoud Behranesh, Farokh Mizanian, Behzad Farrahi, Parsadas Deylami, Parviz Hashtroudi, Massoud Kanani, Kermars Tabatoi, and Hadi Sarraf. *Fourth Row:* Moman Al-chokhacky, Abdulkarim Morshedi, Parviz Dina, Iraj Bereliani, Eskandar Mekhoubat, Houshang Salashourian, Asher Javaherian, Mohammad Moaddilli, Manoucher Yanan, and Morad Ghadosh.







Indian Club Members — *Front Row, Left to Right:* Coetta Manning, Georgia Hilliard, and Janice Sparkman. *Second Row:* Julia Frances, Susie Walker, Phillis Utsler, Wanonia Schmidt, Pat Miller, Fauntella Sandmire, and Sharyn Sippy. *Third Row:* Harold Absher, Stan McGee, Chuck Berry, Jerry Seigel, Raymond Sikes, and *Sponsor:* John Hammons.

# Indian Club



Officers of the Indian Club are Jerry Seigel and Janice Sparkman.



"Oklahoma" was the theme of the Indian Club float. Wanonia Schmidt represented the club as the homecoming queen candidate.

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Industrial Technology Society Officers — *Front Row, Left to Right:* Don Topping and Gary Jolley. *Second Row:* Bob Armstrong and Larry Booth.

Members of the ITS Club — *Front Row, Left to Right:* Charles Broyles, Bob Hoss, Paul Waller, Howard Ducoty., Don Topping, Gary Jolly, Bob Armstrong, Larry Booth, Dale Seamon, Lesley Elliott, and Kenny Grunden. *Second Row:* Ken Cassell, Alex Karther, Jerry Blankenship, Richard Jackson, Joe Eiland, Spencer Nesbiatt, Dennis Jinsen, Bill Hulsey, Sam Colburn, Jim Bowers, Gary Broadhead, Bob Ratliff, and Lan Leader. *Third Row:*

Douglas Bailey, Ralph Rice, Jerry Scott, Arlen Bradley, Rex Captain, Andrew Stephenson, Paul Robinson, Charles Schoff, Alen Gordon, and Stanley Nelson. *Fourth Row:* Gary Bergen, Jimmy Carver, Jerry Young, Glen Ashbey, Dennis McKee, Alan Stergen, Mr. Wilhoit, *Sponsor:* Walley Farris, Ernal Meister, Bill Parten, John Duncan, Gary Henderson, and Eldon Sharp.





Press Club Members — *Front Row, Left to Right:* Fauntella Sandmire, Donna McNatt, Pat Jones, Shirley Guthrie, Mary Zodrow, Karen Edwards, Melba Seaton, Imogene Stewart, Janice Sparkman, Mitsuko Maedo, and Jane Utsler. *Second*

*Row:* Wayne Bishop, Kenneth Boyd, Ivan Holmes, *Sponsor,* Bob Richards, John Oskinson, Jord Henderson, Walter Walters, Ted Watts, and Stan McGee.

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Officers for the Press Club include, *left to right:* Charles Grimes, Karen Edwards, and Kenneth Boyd.

# M i l i t a r y F r a t e r n i t y

The Military Fraternity Club is made up of AFROTC cadet officers. The club is sponsored by Capt. Don Persons and Capt. Rodney Boaz.



"Carrousel" was the theme of the Military Club's homecoming float entry. Queen representing the club was Sue Keeter, who was selected as homecoming queen.

Military Fraternity Members — *Front Row, Left to Right:* Monte Berkey, Joe Hutts, Sam Cole, Joe Hill, and Leon Holt. *Second Row:* Ronnie Scott, Mike Provine, Richard Hatfield, John Oskinson, Bill Blanke, Richard Hale, Joe Dareing, Richard Lock, John McClung, and Donald James.

*Third Row:* Don Searcy, Dale Cleveland, John Roberts, Robert Stipe, Mike Moore, James Bryant, Jerry Young, Jim Johnston, Gary Jolly, and John VanPool. *Fourth Row:* Ted Goss, Jack Dayis, Phil Garoutte, Cal Harris, Franklin Witt, and Paul Dixon.





Sam Cole  
Group Commander



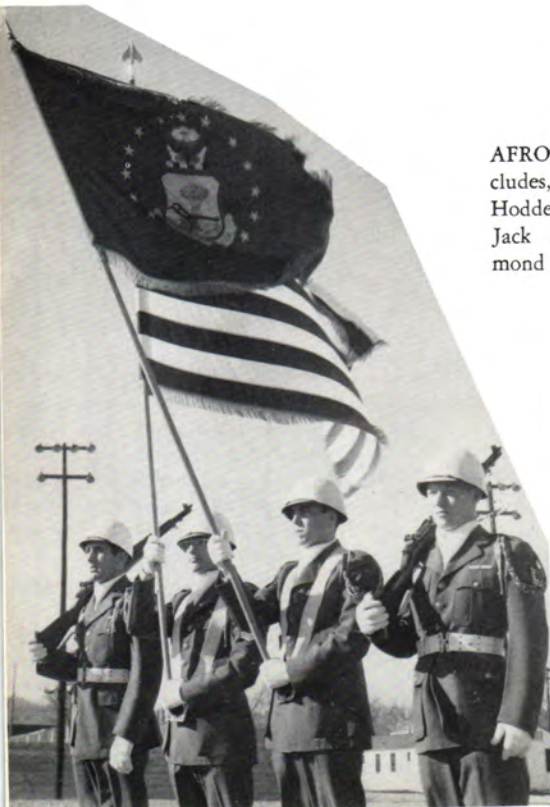
Capt. Don Persons

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AFROTC color guard includes, left to right: Mark Hodder, Charles Grimes, Jack Spencer, and Raymond Porter.

Northeastern A&M's ROTC staff includes — Front Row. Left to Right: Richard Hatfield, Special Officer; Cecil Cox, Special Officer; James Graves, Staff Sergeant; Gene Tucker, Staff Sergeant; and Ralph Daughtery, Staff Sergeant. Second Row: Sam Cole, Group Commander; Leon Holt, Deputy Group Commander; Joe Hill, Group Inspector; Jack Roberts, Group Operations Officer; Allan Gordon, Group Administrator Officer; Ernie Serale, Group Personnel, and Joe Dareing, Group Materials Officer.





Capt. Rodney Boaz



Sgt. Thomas Baird



Sgt. Baird discusses Air Science activities with Cadet group commander, Paul Dixon, Miami; and Cadet Captain, Don James, Fairland.



Capt. Boaz discusses H. E. Bombs and Rockets at a regular Air Science class meeting. The classes keep students informed on the latest techniques in Air Science.





Flight A

## 25th Squad

Flight B

Officers of the 25th squad are, *Left to Right: G. M. Provine, Executive Officer; W. A. Essary, Administrative Officer; and M. R. Berkey, Commanding Officer.*

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## 24th Squad

Officers of the 24th squad are, *Left to Right: R. L. Lock, Executive Officer; F. L. Witt, Administrative Officer; B. E. Blanke, Commanding Officer.*

Flight A



Flight B





Flight A

## 23rd Squad

Flight B

Officers of the 23rd squad are, *Left to Right*: R. Jamison, *Executive Officer*; J. W. McClung, *Administrative Officer*; and T. T. Westfall, *Commanding Officer*.

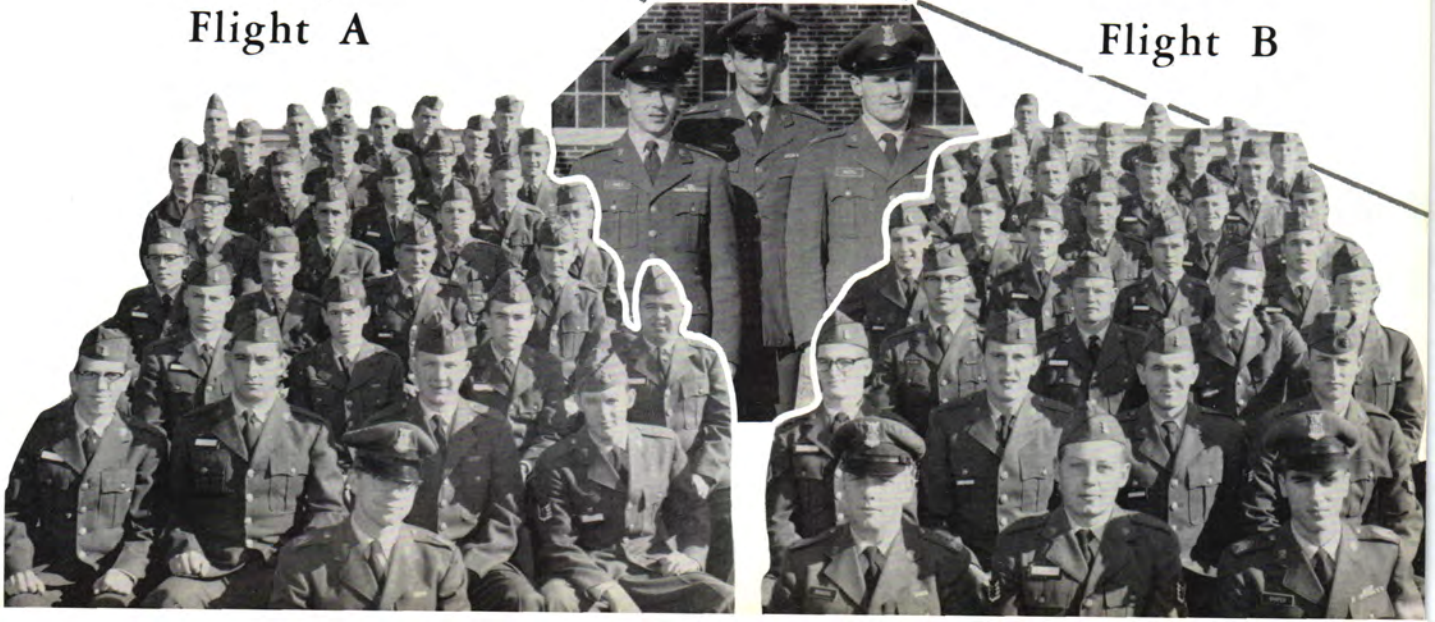
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## 22nd Squad

Officers of the 22nd squad are, *Left to Right*: D. G. James, *Executive Officer*; D. M. Cochran, *Administrative Officer*; and J. C. Hutts, *Commanding Officer*.

Flight A

Flight B







Flight A

## 21st Squad

Flight B

Officers of the 21st squad are, *Left to Right: B. C. Blair, Executive Officer; J. W. Young, Administrative Officer and C. H. Harris, Commanding Officer.*

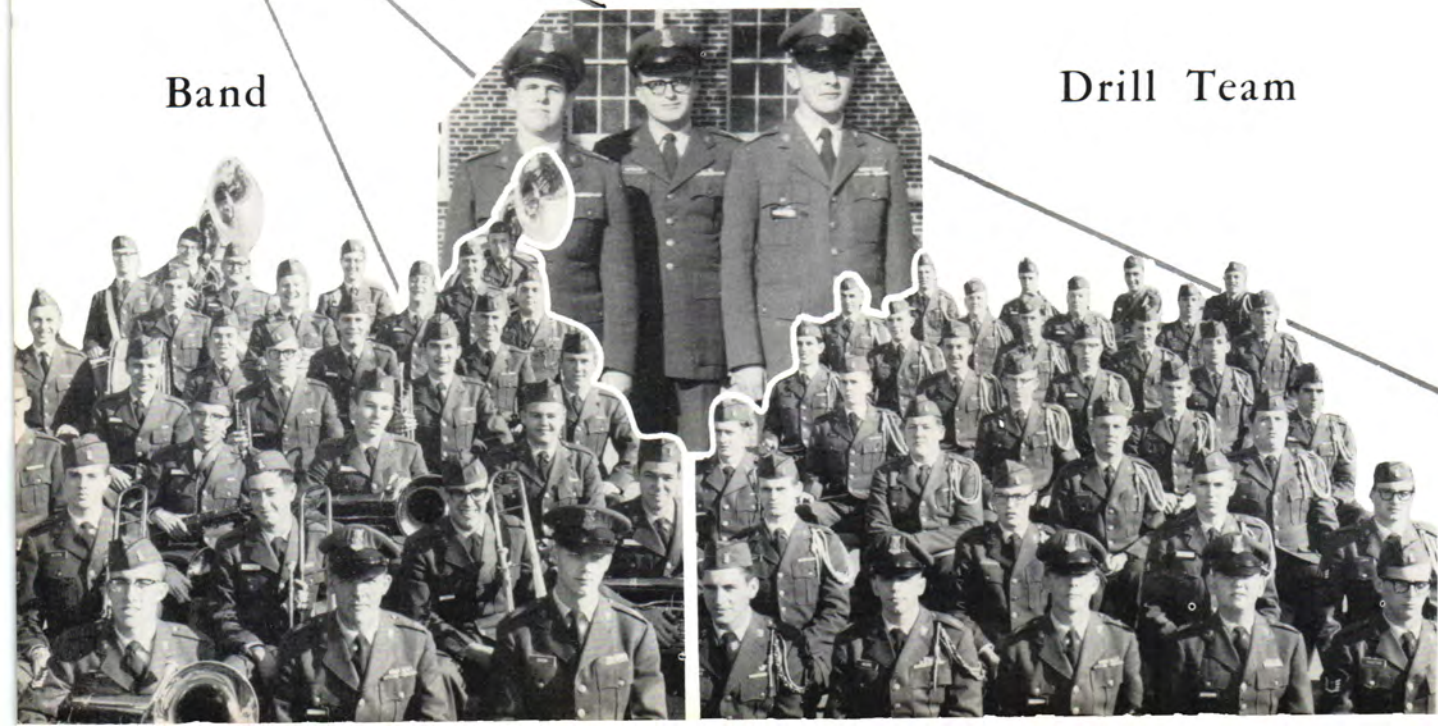
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## 20th Squad

Officers of the 20th squad are, *Left to Right: J. B. Rowe, Administrative Officer; D. D. Garoutte, Executive Officer; and R. L. Hale, Commanding Officer.*

Band

Drill Team





# A CTIVITIES



Taking time out from one of their many performances to pose for the Viking photographer are Northeastern A&M's pretty Norse Stars. The girls drill team is known throughout the area for their outstanding performances.

Posing in front of the new student union building are Norse Stars, *left to right*; Deanna Smithson, Bonnie Stoner, Dana Hudson, Connie Witbracht, Shirley Guthrie, and Linda Olvey.



# Norse

The Norse Stars go through one of their routines at the halftime of a NEO football contest. The girls kept busy performing at various football games throughout the season.



Northeastern A&M's photographer catches the Norse Stars in one of their many performances before local Miami residents. Here they perform during the Christmas parade.



Making NEO's homecoming a more successful one, the Norse Stars parade through downtown Miami during the homecoming parade.

Coming off the football field after taking part in the crowning of the homecoming queen are NEO's lovely Norse Stars. The Norse Stars and ROTC added extra color to halftime ceremonies.



# Stars



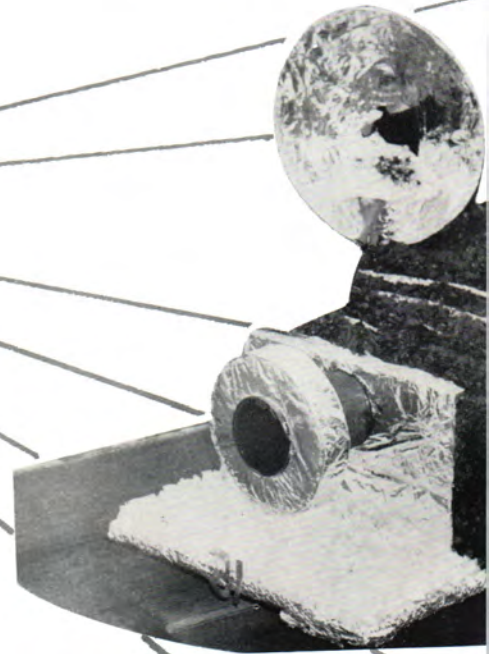


Homecoming queen Sue Keeter, Grove, is escorted off the football field by Jack Roberts, Miami, after being crowned queen.



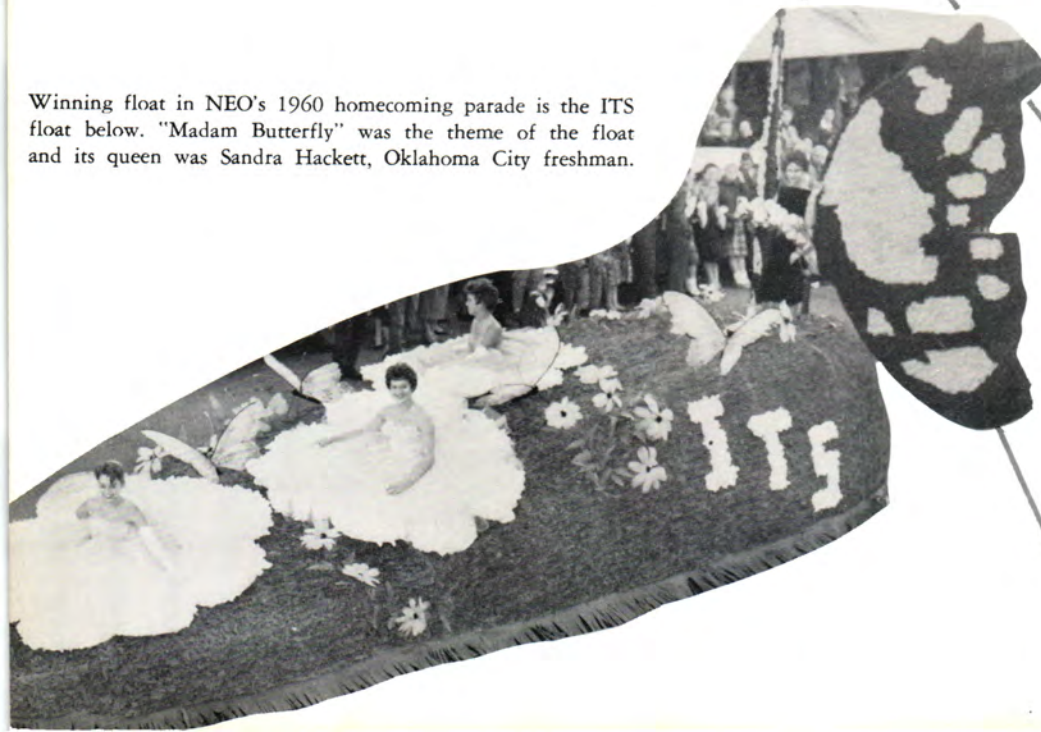
# Home

Northeastern A&M's AFROTC cadets help make homecoming more colorful. Above cadets form a line for queen candidates.



Second place winner in the homecoming floats was the Press club float "As Pretty As A Picture." Miss Sue Nell Webb was the club's homecoming queen candidate.

Winning float in NEO's 1960 homecoming parade is the ITS float below. "Madam Butterfly" was the theme of the float and its queen was Sandra Hackett, Oklahoma City freshman.



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Third Place winner in the homecoming parade was the Masquers float "Oriental Rhapsody." Carol Niehus, Grove, was the queen candidate representing the club.



Homecoming queen candidates leave the football field after the crowning of Miss Sue Keeter as queen. Raymond Sikes, Commerce, escorts Miss Winonia Schmidt, Gamo, while Joe Dareing, Miami, escorts Ann Lawrence, Bartlesville.





Members of The Norse Wind, NEO college newspaper, take time off from reporting duties to let the Viking photographer snap this shot. *Seated. Left to Right:* Maeda Mitsuko, Shirley Guthrie, Mary Zodrow, Imogene Stewart, Melba Seaton, Janice Sparkman, and Stan McGee. *Back Row:* Jord Henderson, Walter Walters, John Oskison, Bob Richards, Ted Watts, Wayne Bishop, and Ivan Holmes, *Sponsor.*

## The Norse Wind

The Norse Wind is published twice a month for the enjoyment of college students. Any student interested in writing is able to become a member of the staff. Purpose of the newspaper is to keep the students informed on events on and off the college campus.

Staff members, *Seated, Left to Right:* Mary Zodrow, Melba Seaton, and Imogene Stewart. *Standing:* Wayne Bishop, *Editor,* and John Oskison.





Viking yearbook staff members hold one of their many staff meetings in preparation for a deadline. *Left to Right:* Karen Edwards, Mary Zodrow, Jane Ustler, Wayne Bishop, Kay Miller, and Editor Kenny Boyd.

The 1961 edition of the Viking yearbook includes many features that have never been present in previous editions. Editor Kenny Boyd and his staff spent many long hours working on the 1961 Viking with little reward. The staff hopes you enjoy the '61 annual and will treasure the memories it brings to you.

## The Viking

Viking editor Kenny Boyd holds an organizational meeting to prepare for a coming deadline. Attending the meeting were left to right, Karen Edwards, *Royalty Editor*; Kay Miller, *Activities Editor*; Mary Zodrow, *Organization Editor*; Jane Ustler, *Class Editor*; Wayne Bishop, *Sports Editor*; Ivan Holmes, *Sponsor*; and Boyd, *Editor*.







**JIM ANDREWS** — Engineering major from Cushing. Jim is president of the Engineers club, member of Phi Theta Kappa, lab assistant for the physics department, member of the "O" club, and was an all-conference football lineman.



**PAT POWERS** — Social Science major from Fairland. Pat is a member of the Home Economics club, Pre-Med club, Masquers club, member of Phi Theta Kappa, listed on honor roll, and is a college librarian.



**NORRIS NICHOLS** — Agriculture Education major from Nowata. Norris is a member of the NEO judging team, member of the Agriculture club and proctor in Commons hall boy's dorm.

## Who's

**RALPH COLE** — Social Science major from Vinita. Ralph is a member of the Intercollegiate Knights, Phi Theta Kappa and is a college librarian.



**CAROL NIEHUS** — Elementary Education major from Grove. Carol is a member of the Masquers club, BSU, Chorus, Home Economics club, cheerleader, student council representative, homecoming queen candidate, and was a member of the "Pajama Game" cast.



**NEIL BURCHAM** — Animal Husbandry major from Jay. Neil is an officer in the Agriculture club, member of the student council, and superintendent of the livestock judging contest for Agricultural Achievement Day held for 4-H and FFA members.





JOEY HUTTS — General Education major from Miami. Joey is a member of the student council, BSU, Intercollegiate Knights, "O" club, a football and track letterman, Religious Emphasis Week chairman, and flight commander of the AFROTC program.



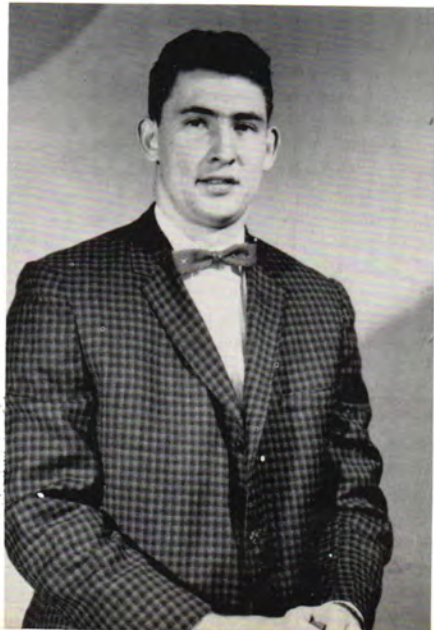
HELEN FOSTER — Elementary Education major from Vinita. Helen is a member of the Professional Educators Society, Home Economics club, Phi Theta Kappa, BSU, Chorus, is on the honor roll, and is secretary to the dean of the college.



DON PRICE — Math major from Nowata. Don is a member of the BSU, president of the Student Council, president of the Engineers club, and is a member of the Intercollegiate Knights.

## Who

DON PITMAN — Education major from Tulsa. Don is president of the "O" club, vice-president of the student council, a two year football letterman, being selected as an all-american this year, and is a part time PE instructor at NEO.



MARY CUNNINGHAM — English major from Commerce. Mary is secretary of Phi Theta Kappa, member of the Pre-Med club, Chorus, Professional Educators Society, and on the honor roll.



PAUL DIXON — Accounting major from Miami. Paul is a member of the Intercollegiate Knights, Chorus, is a drum major in the band, and is group commander of NEO's AFROTC.



Carol Niehus



Donna Gammon



Gail Hart



Connie Witbracht



Sondra Hackett



Virginia Ford



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A tower of school spirit is being built by NEO cheerleaders. *Bottom, Left to Right:* Carol Niehus, Gail Hart, *Head Cheerleader*, and Connie Witbracht. *Second Row:* Donna Gammons, and Sondra Hackett. On top is Virginia Ford.





# SOPHOMORES



Verba Allen  
Miami



Osama Anabtawi  
Jordan



Jim Andrews  
Cushing



Maureen Apperson  
Welsh



Bob Armstrong  
Nowata



Glen Ashby  
Vinita

# Soph



Home economic students, *left to right*, Mary Martin, Jane Utlser, Jeanne Hamil, and Mary Ethel Nicks, prepare a serving table for one of the many parties on the campus.



Northeastern A & M training. *Left to Right*: Ar Roger Schumacher, Hampt and Paul Gatewood, W

Robert Barnett  
Los Angeles, Calif.

Doug Barnwell  
Disney

David Berryhill  
Oklahoma City

Parviz Bina  
Iran

Bob Blair  
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Bell Blake  
Nowata





Kerin Boston  
Adair

Charles Boyd  
Altus

Kenneth Boyd  
Cardin

Neva Jean Boyd  
Miami

David Bray  
Lindsay

Bob Bruno  
Tulsa

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OTC cadets go through hazing as part of their officers' training. Left to right: Max Butts, Fairland; Myrle Calmus, Tulsa; "Boo" Carlyn, Swamp Scott, Mass.; Gary Carroll, Langley; Jerald Charter, Bartlesville.



Sophomore class officers take time out to glance at a late edition of the Norse Wind, campus newspaper. *Left to Right:* Harriet Wyatt, Student Council Representative; Ted Fisher, President; Flordeana Elliott, Treasurer; Joe Dareing, Vice-President; Carol Neihus, Secretary; and Don Pittman, Student Council Representative.

Neil Burcham  
Jay

Max Butts  
Fairland

Myrle Calmus  
Tulsa

"Boo" Carlyn  
Swamp Scott, Mass.

Gary Carroll  
Langley

Jerald Charter  
Bartlesville





Myrna Chesnutt  
Chetopa



Marvin Christian  
Centralia



Raymond Clark  
Vinita



Dale Cleveland  
Dewey



Don Cochran  
Commerce



Ralph Cole  
Afton



NEO photographer catches Kay Miller, Mr. Richards, music instructor, and Ted Watts getting ready to enter the college Administration building.

Glen Combs  
Chouteau

Gary Connelly  
Miami

Gerald Conner  
Catoosa

Brenda Cosby  
Miami

John Cowley  
Columbus, Kan.

Cecil Cox  
Quapaw



# Sopho



Bill Essary, math major  
Essary was selected a



Brenda Creason  
Trece, Kan.

Mary Cunningham  
Commerce

Sharil Curtis  
Bartlesville

Jim Curry  
Fairland

David Dallas  
Tulsa

Iraj Dardashti  
Iran

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om Miami, prepares a typical physics experiment.  
e outstanding math student last year.



Taking time out from practice session are freshman Powder Puff Bowl contestants, *left to right*: Marlene Jameson, Sue Nelle Webb, and Nova Lee Thiesing. The freshmen lost the hard fought contest.

Joe Dareing  
Miami

Jack Davis  
Tulsa

Melvin Davis  
Miami

Sonia Davis  
Miami

Owen Ray Deacon  
Welch

Keramat Delshad  
Iran







Paraedas Deylami  
Tulsa Oklahoma

Paul Dixon  
Miami

Paul Ducotey  
Fairfax

Joyce Duggan  
Chetopa, Kan.

Freeman Eads  
Commerce

Flordeana Elliott  
Seneca

## Sopho



Putting up boughs on the student union  
are Joe McCormick and John Wright.  
The new union was all decked out for  
the holiday season.



Taking their Chr  
Right, Sharyn Sipp  
day vacation duri

Wayne Epperson  
Delaware

Bill Essary  
Miami

George Everett  
Skiatook

Bill Ezzell  
Glenpool

Jeanne Fare  
Miami

Mary Ann Fessler  
Miami





Barbara Fields  
Miami

Ted Fisher  
Jenks

Helen Foster  
Vinita

Marvin Foote  
Big Cabin

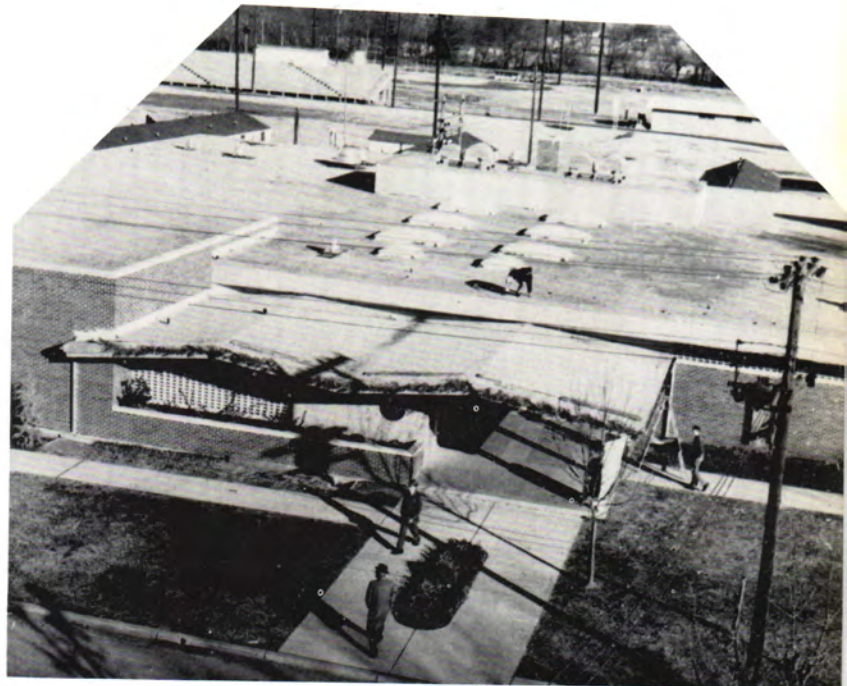
George Fraley  
Chelsea

Sue Franklin  
Miami

## nores



as tree home with them for the holidays are: *Left to*  
ay Miller, and Patty Miller. NEO students got a 17  
e Christmas season.



Center of attraction at NEO is the Bruce G. Carter student union.  
Here the college photographer gets a top view shot of the building.

Donna Gammon  
Miami

Jack Garber  
Strong

Phillip Garoutte  
Miami

Jolly Gary  
Tulsa

Earlene Green  
Picher

Harold Green  
Picher





Bill Gibson  
Tulsa



Sharon Gill  
Afton



Marcus Goodrich  
Columbus



Allan Gordon  
Miami



James Graves  
Picher



Veda Grigsby  
Miami



Putting NEO'S telephone booth to good use are left to right, Ken Cassell, Larry Booth, Bob Hoss, and Dale Sikes. The boys seem to be enjoying their conversation to the party on the other end of the line.

Janice Groeneman  
Miami

Bill Grover  
Lenapah

Kenny Grunden  
Afton

Milton Guine  
Commerce

Patricia Hail  
Miami

Richard Hale  
Miami



# Sopho



Getting ready for  
The attraction dre



Tom Halligan  
Richeyville, Pa.

Joe Hanes  
Blue Jacket

Steve Harp  
Langley

Calvin Harris  
Key West, Fla.

Jerry Harris  
Wagoner

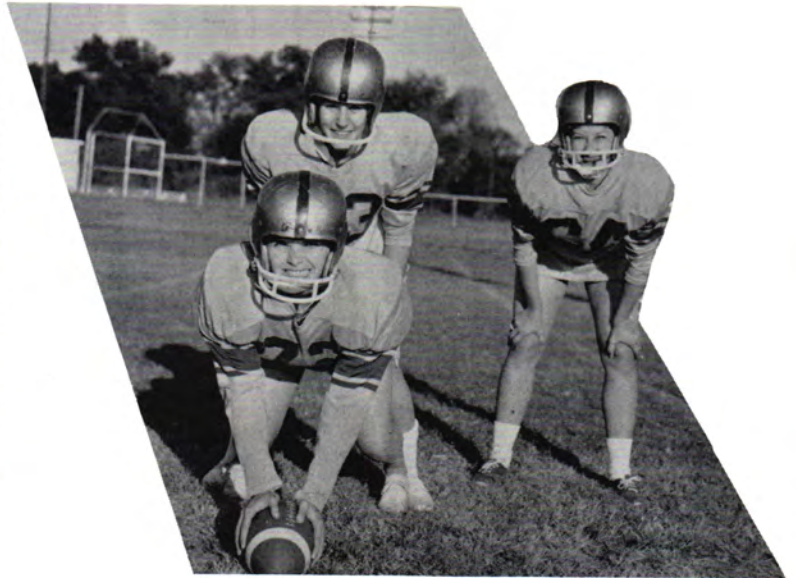
Gail Hart  
Tulsa

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pp rally NEO students get the bonfire ready for the gathering.  
large number of students before the evening was over.

Warming up for the powder puff bowl are sophomores Sallie Lucky, center; Joyce Livengood, *quarterback*; and Nancy Hoggle, *half-back*. The sophomore girls defeated the freshman females as Livengood scored four touchdowns for the winning sophomores.



Gene Hart  
Tulsa

Richard Hatfield  
Miami

Joe Henderson  
Tulsa

Clara Hickman  
Blue Jacket

Joe Hill  
Miami

Virginia Hite  
Miami





Jim Hodges  
Jay



Nancy Hoggle  
Pryor



Patty Hollis  
Welch



Fred Holt  
Miami



Leon Holt  
Miami



Jim Horsman  
Bartlesville

# Soph



NEO art students  
try to achieve  
body.

Eddie Huggins  
Grove

Joe Hutts  
Miami

Steven Jackman  
Vinita

Forood Jahngiri  
Iran

Don James  
Fairland

Torbati Javad  
Iran





Asher Javaherian  
Shiraz

Dale Javine  
Barnsdall

Martha Jenkins  
Vinita

Don Johnson  
Picher

Jimmy Johnston  
Tulsa

Clarence Jones  
Grove

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live model while studying anatomy. Structural form in their drawings of the human



Making snowmen for the holiday season are home economic students, left to right, Jeanne Hamil, Jane Renick, Mrs. Speaker, home economics instructor, Lillian Long, and Mary Ethel Nicks.

Alexander Karther  
Miami

Pat Kerley  
Miami

Linda Kessee  
Miami

Arthur Kite  
Dewey

William Kitlica  
Sand Springs

Amir Kordestani  
Iran





Ted Koscheski  
Adair



Robert Lansdown  
Bartlesville



Ann Lawrence  
Bartlesville



Gene Lewis  
Nowata



Robert Lindley  
Paoli



Dean Liston  
Nowata



Carolyn Lane, pre-med major, looks over George, a female skeleton, as she studies the bones in a human body. The skeleton helps students to learn vital information concerning human bones.

# Sopho



Displaying their new hair styl DeLacey Smith, and Bob Hess, Clyde Harding, and Gene Tucker the traditional haircuts.

Joyce Livengood  
Manchester

Richard Lock  
Miami

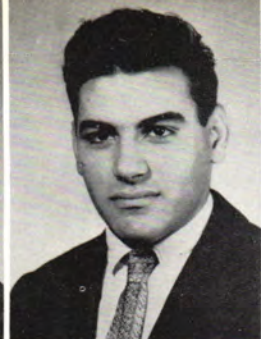
Sallie Luckey  
Miami

George Mackey  
Siloam Springs, Kan.

Donald Maddux  
Talala

Patsy Mael  
Fairland





Ethel Mailath  
Commerce

Coetta Manning  
Miami

Joe Marcano  
Venezuela

Kanani Massoud  
Iran

Edward McBrien  
Miami

Claude McClendon  
Claremore

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front row, left to right, John Chastain,  
and Row: Thorpe Kunsman, Frank Shearer,  
ese are only a few of the freshmen who got

KVOO radio and television personnel visit the college campus to produce a program on college life at Northeastern A&M. Below newsmen discuss developments in the vocational technical department with Joe Ables, department head.



John McClung  
Afton

James McDonald  
Vinita

Stan McGee  
Berryhill

Wayne Melton  
Chelsea

John Milam  
Chelsea

David Malloy  
Galena







Mary Jane Moore  
Fairland



Mike Moore  
Miami



Treva Moore  
Southwest City, Mo.



Mary Mooris  
Ponca City



Abdulkarim Morshedi  
Iran



Mike Mullin  
Greensburg, Penn

# Soph



Making a fast dash from the college gym to their dorm are John Neaves and Tommy Sherrill. The weather outside was about 25 degrees when the photograph was taken.



NEO students in D  
to Right: Robert Johnson

Stan Nelson  
Watts

James Newman  
Skiatook

Norris Nichols  
Nowata

Carol Niehus  
Grove

James Nunn  
Commerce

Ronald Nye  
Bartlesville





John Oskison  
Vinita



Pearl Owen  
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Paul Payne  
Wewoka



Linda Palm  
Miami



Jim Patrick  
Vinita



Carmaleta Payton  
Jay

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All boys dorm decorate their Christmas tree. *Left* Elvin Davis, Donald Maddux, and Butch Davis.



College photographer gets a bird's-eye view of the NEO campus from atop the Administration building. *Above*, the photographer snaps a shot of the Life Science building.

Gene Philpott  
Muskogee

Norman Pickett  
Tulsa

Donne Pitman  
Catoosa

LeRoy Porter  
Midwest City

Jim Powell  
Barnsdall

Patricia Powers  
Fairland





Don Price  
Nowata



Mike Provine  
Miami



Howard Ratzken  
Brooklyn, N. Y.



Don Reed  
Sperry



Diego Reina  
Venezuela



Jane Renick  
Miami



Jerry Grisgby, freshman from Miami, talks with Capt. Don Persons and visiting Chaplain, Lt. Col. Robert W. Tindal about the future of chaplains in the AFROTC. Lt. Col. Tindal was formerly from Oklahoma.

# Soph



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took time out from p

Ralph Rice  
Chouteau

Kleo Rhodes  
Wyandotte

Robert Rhodes  
Miami

Joyce Rickner  
Wyandotte

Jack Roberts  
Miami

Jerry Rowe  
Ramona





Lenoard Sargent  
Delaware

Tony Schehrer  
Miami

Ernie Searale  
Tulsa

Donald Searcy  
Miami

Melba Seaton  
Commerce

Lee Sergeant  
Southwest City, Mo.

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orse Stars receive lessons on bowl-  
wling alley. The girls' drill team  
e to learn bowling skills.



National driving champion Denton Lazenby,  
Miami freshman, shows off the trophy he re-  
ceived for being selected the top driver in the  
United States. Lazenby was selected over con-  
testants from all over the nation.

Brooks Shafer  
Miami

Mike Shannon  
Nowata

Sharon Shepherd  
Miami

Harold Shiflett  
Tulsa

Kenneth Shockey  
Wyandotte

Patty Shockey  
Wyandotte





Manouchehr Siani  
Iran



Dale Sikes  
Miami



Klonie Smith  
Commerce



Ronnie Smith  
Midwest City



Joe Snider  
Sperry



Jan Sparkman  
Miami

# Soph



Working out class plans in the student union are these freshman class officers. *Left to Right:* Guy Tucker, *Vice-President*; Connie Witbracht, *Yell Leader*; Sue Nelle Webb, *Secretary-Treasurer*; and Mark Hodder, *President*.



Getting the year off to a good start on campus. Students surround the speaker. The rally was held out of doors.

Mary Spriggs  
Wyandotte

Dick Steinberg  
Broken Arrow

Imogene Steward  
Grove

Martha Stevenson  
Grove

Joan Stitch  
Miami

Bob Stipe  
Tulsa





Tim Szenderski  
Toledo, Ohio

Eugene Taggart  
Miami

Lance Thompson  
Hennessey

Ronnie Thomlison  
Stark City, Mo.

Donald Topping  
Ramona

Lola Tosh  
Miami

# nores



EO students hold a pep rally on the  
ders who lead students in college yells.  
se of limited seating in the auditorium.



Trying on costumes for one of their many play productions pro-  
duced during the year are, *left to right*, Claude McClendon,  
Harriet Wyatt, Mary Spriggs, Fred Holt, and Phil Garoutte.

Bill Underwood  
Vinita

Jane Utsler  
Miami

John Vanpool  
Miami

Price Vanover  
Adair

Martin Veale  
Tulsa

John Walker  
Columbus, Kan.





Maynard Walters  
Tulsa



Maxine Watkins  
Wyandotte



Bill Watts  
Miami



Steve Weintraub  
Brooklyn, N. Y.



Joe West  
Tulsa



Terry Westfall  
Miami



Dale Sikes and Ronnie Scott enjoy a game of ping pong in the Dyer Hall play room. The room, which also has a TV, is the favorite room in the dorm.

# Soph



Freshman students t  
A & M. Students  
college classes.

Charles Wheeler  
Quapaw

Jim White  
Lincoln

Linda Whitney  
Miami

Ardis M.  
Whittington  
Miami

James Wiford  
Miami

Orvan Williams  
Rogers, Ark.





Connie Wilcox  
Miami

Eldon Wilson  
Nowata

Jerry Winton  
Welsh

Frank Witt  
Fairland

Norman Wolff  
Chelsea

Alice Womack  
Miami

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...e ACT entrance exam before enrolling at Northeastern  
...quired to take the test before they enroll in regular



Mrs. Jo Anne Nelson, college clerk, checks out float building materials to Jimmy Carver, Dale Sikes, Gary Jolley, and Bob Hoss, all members of the Industrial Technology Society. The society took first place on their float.

Harriett Wyatt  
Miami

Jerry Young  
Tulsa

Dean Wade  
Stark City, Mo.

James Bryant  
Seneca Mo.

Janell Kapp  
Vinita

Larry Bohannon  
Tulsa







Harold Absher  
Miami



Darrell Coble  
Miami



Donald Coble  
Miami



Carolyn Lane  
Cardin

## Sophomores



Students flow out of the college auditorium after attending an early morning assembly.



Biology students study genetics under the direction of instructor Waymond Gibson. The formula on the board is only part of the work required to come up with the right answer.



# FRESHMEN



Amonman  
Al-Chokhachy  
Iraq

Jack Allen  
Picher

Kenneth Allensworth  
Vinita

Larry Allison  
Tulsa

Jane Allman  
Commerce

Joy Archer  
Bluejacket

Robert Arko  
Pryor

Don Arnold  
Chouteau



College cheerleaders practice for a coming performance. *Bottom Row, left to right,* are Carol Niehus, Connie Whitbract, and Gail Hart. On the second row are Donna Gammon and Sondra Hackett while Virginia Ford stands on top of the pyramid.



Striking up a little mu at the drums; J doing the singing; a large number of studen

# Fresh

James Aud  
Tulsa

Gary Baergen  
Chouteau

Douglas Bailey  
Siloam Springs,  
Kan.

George Baldrige  
Miami

Benny Ball  
Miami

Ronald Ballow  
Tulsa

Mack Balkman  
Fairfax

Stanley Barlov  
Collinsville





Darrell Barnes Miami    Dennis Barnes Jet    Mike Barnes Vinita    Francis Bartley Grove    Tom Basett Afton    Delores Bench Miami    Iray Bereliani Persia    Hellen Bernardi Miami

men



uring the freshman class elections are Paul George, McPeters, with the bongos; Jerry Young, with guitar; and Tommie Sherril, bass fiddle. The popular music drew a

These two pretty Japanese freshman coeds, Noriko Shinoda, left, and Mitsuko Maeda, right, discuss American college life with Nancy Hoggle, sophomore from Pryor. Shinoda is planning to major in drama while Maeda is majoring in Journalism.



Charles Berry Nowata    Eunice Berry Vinita    Neal Bigelow Toledo    Buddy Biggers Midwest City    Strippy Biggers Midwest City    Siavash Bijan Iran    Wayne Bishop Tulsa    Jerry Blankship Miami





Beverly Ann  
Blaylock  
Fairland



Don Bledsoe  
Jay



Larry Booth  
Miami



Sonny Booth  
Miami



Jim Bowers  
Tulsa



Phillip Bowles  
Jay



Barbara Boyd  
Picher



Jerry Boyd  
Wyandotte



These Northeastern coeds are working hard in order to finish their shorthand before class is over for the day. *Left to Right* are, Karen Williams and Jeanne Hamil.

# Fresh



A Northeastern A & J  
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Arlen Bradley  
Syracuse, N. Y.

Gary Broadhead  
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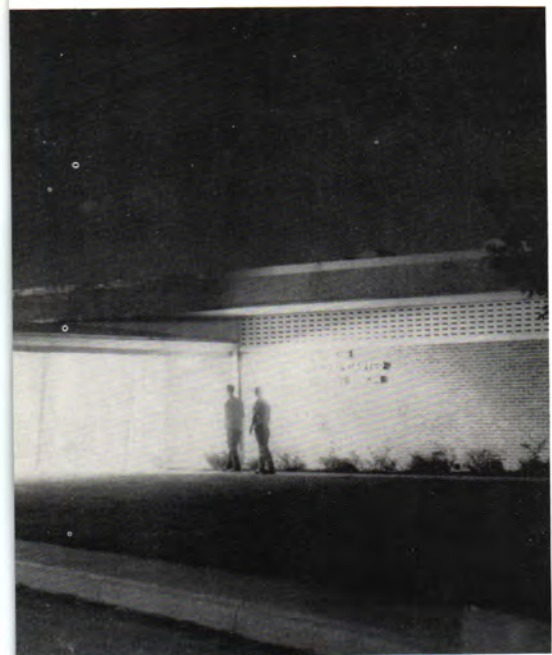
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Miami





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ight class photography student tries his skill on The nion.



Cheerleaders Marlene Jameson and Donna Gammons lead Northeastern A & M students during a basketball game at the civic center. The yells seemed to help as NEO took second place in the JUCO tournament.

Ken Cassell Miami    Richard Chalk Sapulpa    Charles Chaney Miami    John Chastain Dewey    Irma Chenoweth Miami    Carolyn Cherry Miami    Elizabeth Chestnut Miami    Jess Clanton Tulsa





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Wyandotte

Barbara Clay  
Miami

Richard Cloud  
Turley

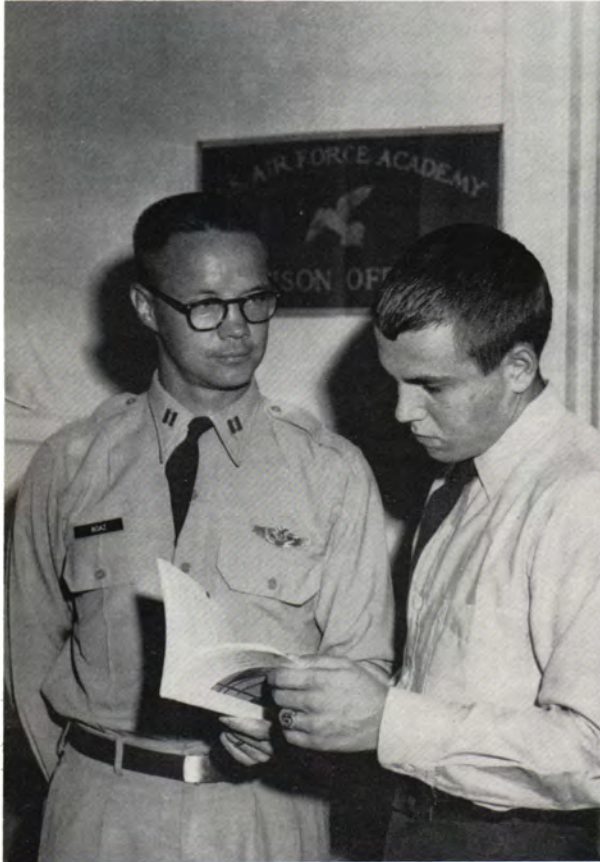
Sam Colburn  
Tulsa

Reginald Collins  
Claremore

Janet Cook  
Afton

Jim Cook  
Blue Jacket

Paul Cook  
Picher



Capt. Rodney Boaz discusses an AFROTC future with freshman cadet Jack Spencer. NEO's AFROTC program is rated one of the finest in the United States.

# Fresh



Over 250 students gathered for an election reception party. Students kept election reception party was sponsored by

Linda Corbus  
Commerce

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Vinita

Jim Corlett  
Talala

Lloyd Cowgill  
Miami

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Miami

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Dewey

Patsy Coyne  
Vinita

Laura Cricc  
Miami





Darlene Crossland Grove    Richard Crow Carl Junction, Kan.    Ali Daftari Iran    John Dale Fairland    Ahmad Damen Jordan    Tom DeHanas Tulsa    Patsy Dark Broken Arrow    Ralph Daugherty Miami

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Little Theatre to attend the NEO electoral party. they watched two television sets on the stage. The northeastern A & M political science department.

ROTC instructor Capt. Rodney Boaz explains the function of the rocket engine to cadets Allan Gordon, Miami, and Calvin Harris, Key West, Fla. At the right is Capt. Don Persons, head of the ROTC program at Northeastern A&M college.



Butch Davis Miami    Rodney Davis Copan    Jerry Delozier Chelsea    Jerry Deshong Tulsa    Karan Divine Sand Springs    Stephen Dixon Jay    Maxine Dobbs Miami    Lindell Duncan Haskell







Ramond Duncan  
Chetopa

Howard Ducotey  
Fairfax

Louise Duggan  
Salina

Kay Dunn  
Guymon

Tom Dunovan  
Lincoln

Donalene Eads  
Welch

Jimmie Eads  
Commerce

Earnest East  
Ketchum



NEO students enjoy soft drinks and cookies provided by the Northwest Baptist Church. The booth was set up during enrollment so that students might have a minute of relaxation from orientation and enrollment duties.

# Fresh



Agriculture students get valuable experience at the college. NEO's judging team is under the direction of Harry Synar and...

Judy Eaton  
Nowata

Karen Edwards  
Miami

J. D. Eiland  
Galena, Kan.

Leslie Elliott  
Miami

Donna Enyart  
Wyandotte

Jim Estes  
Bartlesville

Don Evans  
Miami

Wallace Farris  
Bartlesville





Didrick Fegley  
Baxter Springs,  
Kan.

Aquiles Felizola  
Venezuela

Nicholas Felizola  
Venezuela

Rolando Felizola  
Venezuela

Judy Flanery  
Tulsa

Virginia Ford  
Tulsa

Douglas Forsman  
Tulsa

Julia Francis  
Tulsa

men



Music students rehearse for a future performance. *Front Row, Left to right,* are Jodawn Newburn, Joyce Rickner, Claude McClendon, and Gary Connley. *Back Row,* are Clayton Moore, Carolyn Boston, and Paul Dixon.

perience in cattle judging on a farm near  
ve won contests all over the nation under  
C. Miller.

Judy Jean

Glenn Friend  
Miami

Fronterhouse  
Fairland

James Gatewood  
Wyandotte

Gary Gartside  
Miami

Don Garvin  
Miami

Jack E. Gary II  
Fairland

Carolyn Gallagher  
Baxter Springs,  
Kan.

James Gentry  
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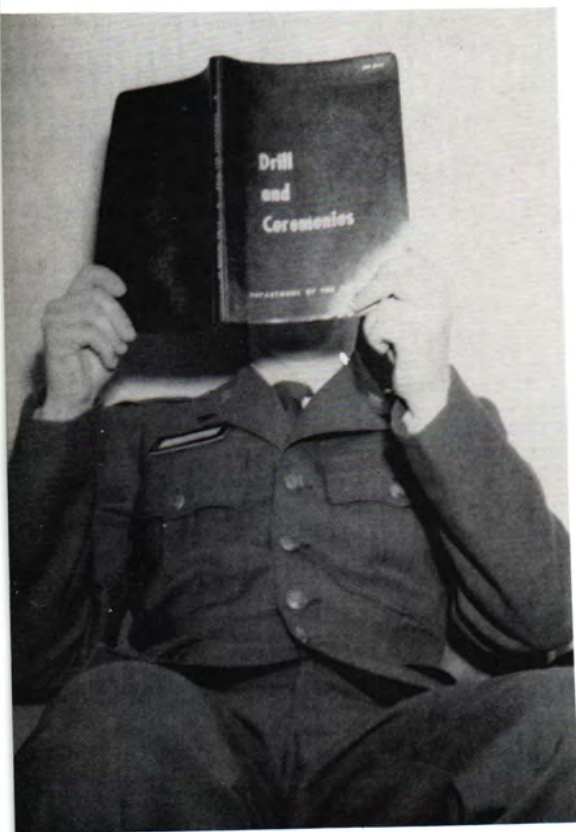
Joel Colpitts  
Tulsa

Mike Gordon  
Miami

Bill Gouglar  
Talala

Judy Graber  
Greeley, Pa

# Fresh



A ROTC cadet seems to be getting a close look at Air Force life through the use of a drill and ceremonies manual.



Students get inside information class. The class was held

Joann Graham  
Miami

Melvin Graham  
Coyle

Mike Grant  
Wyandotte

Sandra Gray  
Morrilton, Ark.

Gwen Green  
Miami

Jerry Grigsby  
Miami

Charles Grimes  
Grove

Buddy Guinn  
Tulsa





Charles Gunkel  
Coyle

Shirley Guthrie  
Sand Springs

Pat Gwartney  
Noel

Mel Hackett  
Oklahoma City

Sandra Hackett  
Oklahoma City

Linda Hale  
Vinita

Oran Hall  
Adair

Sandra Hall  
Wyandotte

men



Northeastern A & M at a freshman original-college auditorium.



International students wash cars to obtain money for homecoming. The money was used to build a float for the parade.

Clyde Harding  
Sperry

James Harding  
Sperry

Gienard Hare  
Grove

Parviz Hashroudi  
Persia

Allen Helseo  
South Haven, Ka 1.

Bob Hess  
Bartlesville

Harold Hickman  
Tulsa

Georgia Hilliard  
Grove





Maedine Hilliard  
Grove

Mark Hodder  
Midwest City

Ronnie  
Hollandsworth  
Wyandotte

Dale Hopp  
Miami

Roger Horn  
Pryor

Tony Jean Houck  
Jay

Gary Housley  
Miami

Dana Hudso  
Miami



Putting on makeup for "The Diary of Anne Frank" are, *left to right*, Ted Watts, Fred Holt, and Mark Hodder.

# Fres



Highlighting the foot  
student union. Steaks

Bill Hulsey  
Broken Arrow

David Hunt  
Vinita

Ronnie Inman  
Blue Jacket

Marline Jameson  
Miami

Phil Jayne  
Pryor

Kent Jefferies  
Miami

Dennis Jensen  
Parkridge, Ill.

Barry Jeppesen  
Broken Arrow





Patty Johnson    Robert Johnson    Robert Johnson    Dewey Jones    Herman Jones    Pat Jones    Sue Keeter    Jerry Kern  
 Baxter Sprgs.,    Tulsa    Midwest City    Stillwater    Stilwell    Sand Springs    Grove    Sapulpa  
 Kan.

men



ason was the annual football banquet held in the  
 he entertainment were enjoyed by all.



Warming up before the Tyler contest are NEO band  
 members. The band and Norse Stars performed at halftime  
 activities before the hometown Texas fans.

Larry Ketcher    Vernon Ketchum    Freddie Kidd    Diane Killion    Randy Kimberling    Joan Kirk    Alirza Kouti    Gary Krokroskia  
 Miami    Talala    Vinita    Miami    Vinita    Miami    Iran    Picher





Thorpe Kunsman  
Tulsa

Linda Layton  
Chelsea

Denton Lazenby  
Miami

Lan Lee Leader  
Anderson, Mo.

Viki Leamon  
Miami

Lewis Ledgerwood  
Shamrock

Garry Lee  
Baxter Sprgs.  
Kan.

Ronald Lee  
Tulsa

# Fresh



Claude McClendon works behind the scenes of "The Diary of Anne Frank". The production was presented December 8-10 in the college auditorium.



NEO freshmen displayed the barber

Jerry Legg  
Centralia

Robert Leppke  
Owasso

Ralph Leslie  
Cardin

Ray Lomax  
Miami

Glenn E. Long  
Siloam Springs  
Ark.

Jimmy Long  
Barnsdall

Lillian Long  
Jay

Bill Lotz  
Shidler





James Lowe Bartlesville    Connard A. Luper Miami    Frank H. Mahan Fairfax    Eskndanids Makhoupat Iran    Eric Martin Muskogee    Freddie Martin Henryretta    Ronnie Masias Dewey    Savannah Mason Fairland

men



haircuts received during initiation. The haircuts of the sophomores.



Looking over the Norse Wind newspaper and Viking yearbook are Northeastern A & M publication members, left to right, Kenny Boyd, Wayne Bishop, and Mary Zodrow.

Behravesh Massoud Iran    Warren L. McBee Vinita    Jim Mc Call Tulsa    LeRoy McCall Vinita    Calvin McCoendon Claremore    Joseph A. McCornick Ochelata    Charles McFadin Blue Jacket    Dannie McFarlin Inola







Kay McGowen  
Tulsa

Dennis McKee  
Wyandotte

Jan McLead  
Bartlesville

Rita McMillian  
Miami

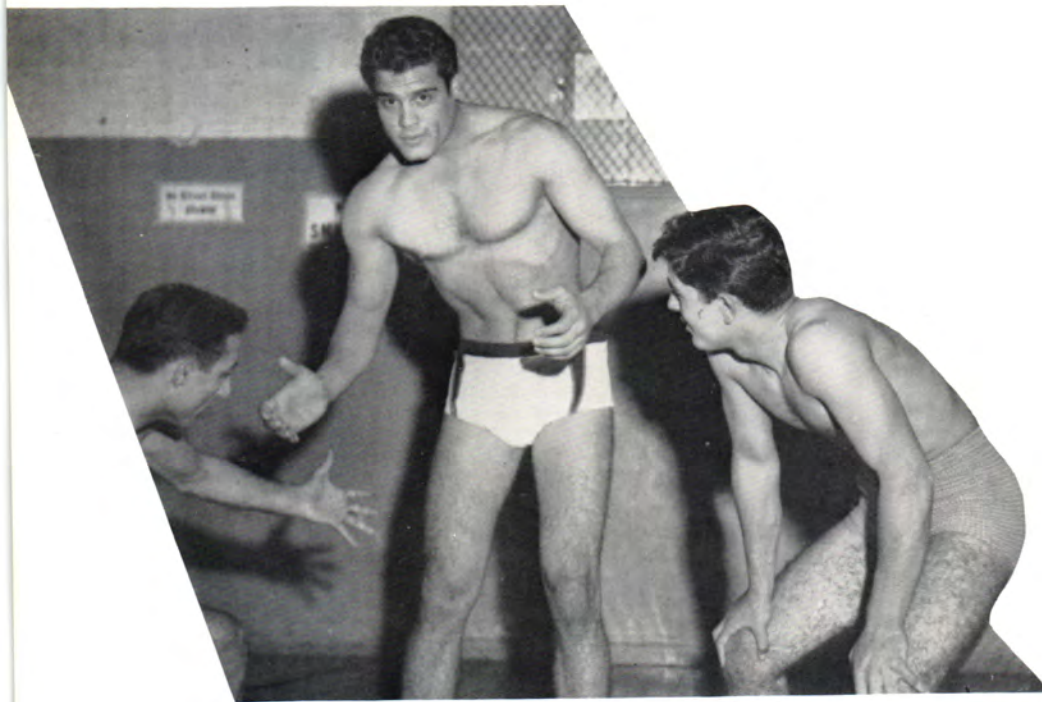
Donna McNatt  
Miami

Ernal Meister  
Carthage, Mo.

Alexis Melendeyz  
Puerto Rico

Diana Melton  
Wichita  
Kan.

# Fresh



Main feature at the International Club's fall festival was the three-man wrestling bout between "Li'l Abner" Salashourian, center, and "Joe" Al-chokhacky of Iraq, right, and "Happy" Saghatoleslami of Iran, left.



Students jam into t  
of NEO's ma

Anna Louise  
Middleton  
Miami

Kay Miller  
Columbus, Kan.

Patty Miller  
Tulsa

John Mitchell  
Bartlesville

Fawrrokh Mizania  
Iran

Hoshang Moaddeli  
Iran

Mike Moguin  
Tulsa

Clayton Moore  
Picher





Norman Morris  
Nowata



Richard Morrison  
Chelsea



Absolhanid  
Morshedi  
Iran



Ebrahim Morshedi  
Iran



Billy Mount  
Wyandotte



Don Murphy  
Jay



Jack Myers  
Commerce

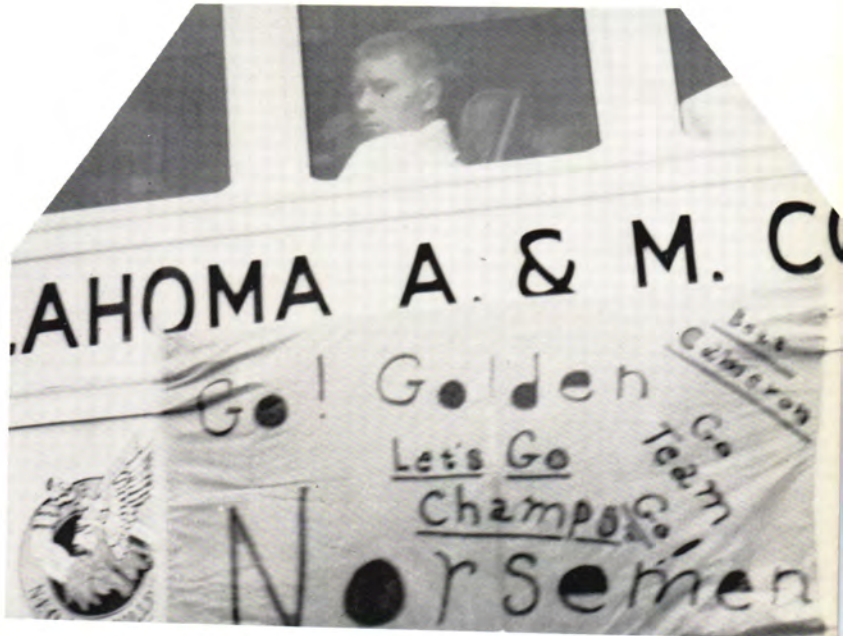


John Neaves  
Oklahoma  
City

men



College auditorium to hear a visiting speaker at one assemblies.



"Go Golden Norsemen!" This was the theme of NEO students as they traveled to Cameron for the conference football championship ball game.

Gerald Nelson  
Chelsea

Tom Newberry  
Miami

Jodawn Newburn  
Grove

Bob Newman  
Miami

Gene Newton  
Catoosa

Spencer Nesbit  
Glendale

Jim Nichols  
Tucson, Arizona

Mary Ethyl  
Nicks  
Grove





John Nitz Nowata    Charles Ray Odle Pryor    Lloyd Ogle Tulsa    Linda Olvey Afton    Roger Parmley Wyandotte    Bill Parton Bartlesville    Sandra Patty Vinita    Don Petters Quapaw

# Fresh



Sue Keeter, homecoming queen, is escorted off the field by Jack Roberts following the halftime ceremonies.



Getting set for t... Hackett, Kay McGowen, a

Karen Pierce Seneca, Mo.    Ruth Pine Columbus, Kan.    Douglas Pitcher Miami    Janet Pitman Catoosa    Sam Pitts Midwest City    James Pliker Miami    David Poe Bartlesville    Raymond Porter Tulsa





Carla Powell  
Fairland

Ernest Price  
Quapaw

Ronnie Price  
Picher

Beverly Pyne  
Columbus, Kan.

Bob Ratliff  
Tulsa

Fred Reid  
Jenks

Chester Reyichert  
Skiatook

Alexander  
Ribsas  
Venezuela

# men



Students prepare for a car parade through downtown Miami before a NEO football game. The spirit seemed to help as the Norse won the contest.

Thanksgiving vacation are, *left to right*, Sandra  
Marty Steveson

Bob Richards  
Jacksonville  
Fla.

Dick Risinger  
Fairfax

Paul Robbins  
Paoli, Indiana

Wayne Rogers  
Noel, Missouri

Marilee Ross  
Commerce

Ivan Rush  
Jasper, Mo.

Sirous  
Saghatoleslami  
Iran

Hooshang  
Salahshourian  
Iran





Fauntella Sandmire Miami  
 Hadi Rezai Sarraf Persia  
 Gerald Sasser Salina, Kansas  
 Gary Saylor Comurgo  
 Loleta Saylor Lindsay  
 Charles Schaff Miami  
 Tom Schiek Tulsa  
 Wanonia Schmidt Grove

# Fresh



Ralph Terry, former NEO student and now a major league hurler for the New York Yankees, presents the most valuable player trophy to Jerry Burton of Coffeyville. NEO took second place in the annual JUCO tournament.



Band members go through basketball contest. *Left to Right* Green, clarinet; Berry Jepeso

John Schneider Tulsa  
 Jim Scholley Quapaw  
 Kenneth Schoonover Tulsa  
 Roger Schumacher Hampton, N. J.  
 John Scott Baxter Sprgs. Kan.  
 Dale Seamon Miami  
 Carole Searcy Miami  
 Jerry Seigel Vinita





Mike Sexton  
Baxter Sprgs.,  
Kan.

Eldon Sharp  
Miami

Mohammad  
Shahriari  
Iran

Tom Shaw  
Bartlesville

Frank Shearer  
Tulsa

Connie Sheehan  
Miami

Tom Sherrill  
Owasso, Kansas

Gary Shepherd  
Miami

# men



practice session before performing at a college  
outh Shafter, flute; Max Butts, baritone; Gwennie  
ench horn and John Scott, bass drum.



Calvin Harris gives an unidentified freshman an initiation  
haircut in front of the student union. Students seem to be  
enjoying the hair trimming session.

Tommie  
Sheward  
Henryetta

Jerry Shirley  
Miami

Ed Shuck  
Picher

Raymond Sikes  
Commerce

Jerald Simpson  
Wyandotte

Sharyn Sippy  
Vinita

Harold Smart  
Nowata

Allan Smith  
Addison, III.





Daile Smith  
Picher

DeLacey Smith  
Bartlesville

Elaine Smith  
Sand Springs

Lahunta Smith  
Grove

Sharon Smith  
Tulsa

Deanna Smithson  
Miami

Allen Snively  
Paoli

Howard Snow  
Muskogee



Joan Broam and Mary Zodrow post the latest clippings of articles that have been published in state newspapers about NEO.

Fresh



NEO students enjoy students seem to be

Jack Spencer  
Miami

Raymond Spitlog  
Wyandotte

Kenneth Spurgeon  
Tulsa

Rod Staehlin  
North Port, L. I.

Rose Mary Stanley  
Miami

Robert Stanley  
Commerce

Sandra Stebbins  
Miami

Ramona Stelts  
Miami





Donald Stephens Fairland    Andrew Stephenson Sand Springs    Melvin Stepp Miami    Bonnie Stoner Miami    Gary Stout Claremore    Ruth Ann Strafer Miami    Raymond Stripling Miami    Allen Sturgeon Bartlesville

men



semi-formal dance in the student union. The all swing when the photographer took this shot.



Jimmy Carver, drafting student, works on one of his class projects. Drafting students get lots of practical experience in the various drafting classes.

Marvin Suneagle Pawnee    John Synar Muskogee    Ali Tabriai Persia    Nolan Tadgett Tulsa    Dave Tadlock Columbus, Kan.    Manoruchehr Tanan Iran    Helen Taylor Miami    Ellis Teel Jay







Nova Lee Thiesing Miami    Janice Thompson Nowata    Charlene Thurman Miami    Judy Trebilcock Westville    Gene Tucker Miami    Guy Tucker Midwest City    Hassan Tutunchi Iran    Wendell Twist Catoosa

# Fresh



Flordeana Elliott and Carol Niehus, both sophomores, try on football helmets for NEO's Powder Puff Bowl which the upperclassmen won by two touchdowns.



A night shot catches NEO's librarian for the beautiful building.

Rita Vanatta Miami    Jane Vandiver Miami    Darrel Vandpool Miami    Bradley Veale Tulsa    Patricia Walker Miami    Paul Walker Bartlesville    Wilbur Walton Commerce    Walter Walters Tulsa





Steve Ward  
Sulphur



Linda Watkins  
Denver, Kansas



Ted Watts  
Miami



Sharon Weaver  
Miami



Cliff Webb  
Tulsa



Sue Nell Webb  
Miami



Coy West  
Jay



Judy Whetstone  
Commerce

men



Christmas tree in full splendor. Respon-  
sibility was Mrs. Paine, college



Agriculture students get judging practice on a farm near  
Miami. The students learn the art of judging by actual ex-  
perience.

Goldie Willet  
Miami

Wilbur Williams  
Centralia

Paul Willy  
Vinita

Marilyn Wilson  
Nowata

Connie Witbracht  
Miami

Rex Witzansky  
Grants, N. M.

Al Wonderley  
Tulsa

Rosemary Wood  
Miami





Gary Woolman  
Vinita

Gerry Workman  
Miami

Jeanne Workman  
Miami

Karen Williams  
Miami

Mary Zodrow  
Claremore

## Freshmen

Music students Joyce Rickner and Max Butts work on a new arrangement with music instructor Robert Swanson.



Sitting one out at the NEO Christmas Dance are, left to right, JoDawn Newburn, Max Goins, Cheryl Curtis, and John Chastain. The Christmas Dance is one of the highlights of the school year.

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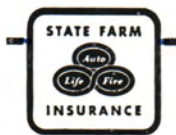
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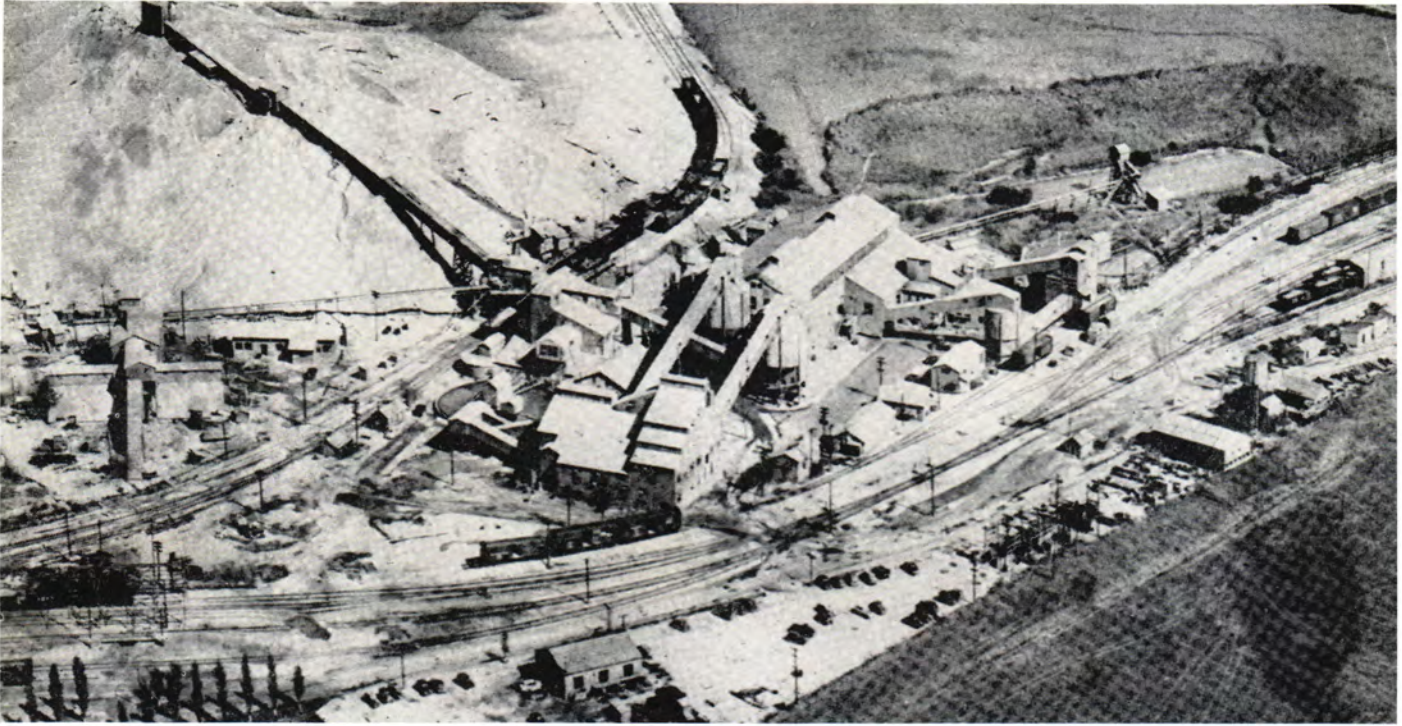
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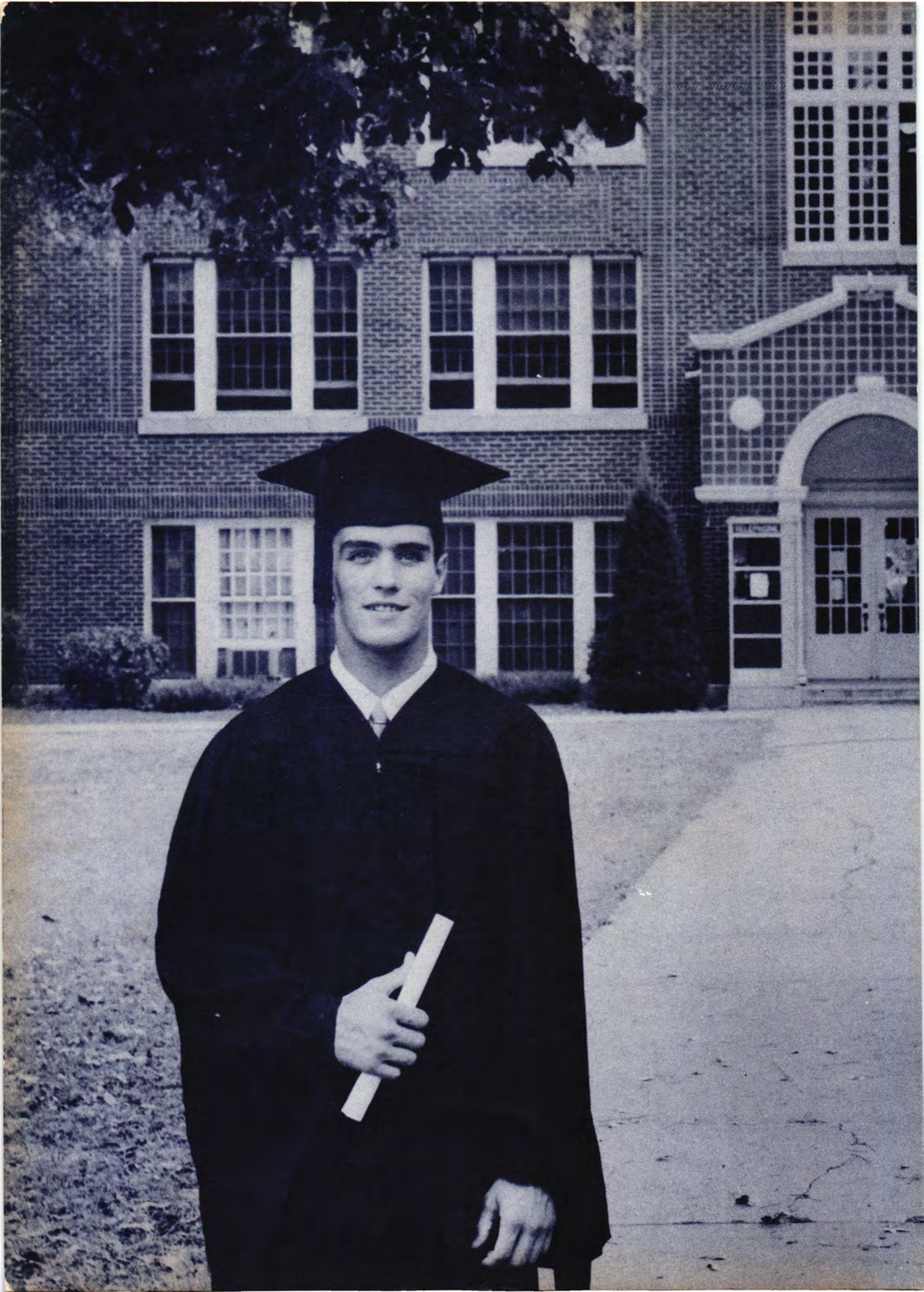
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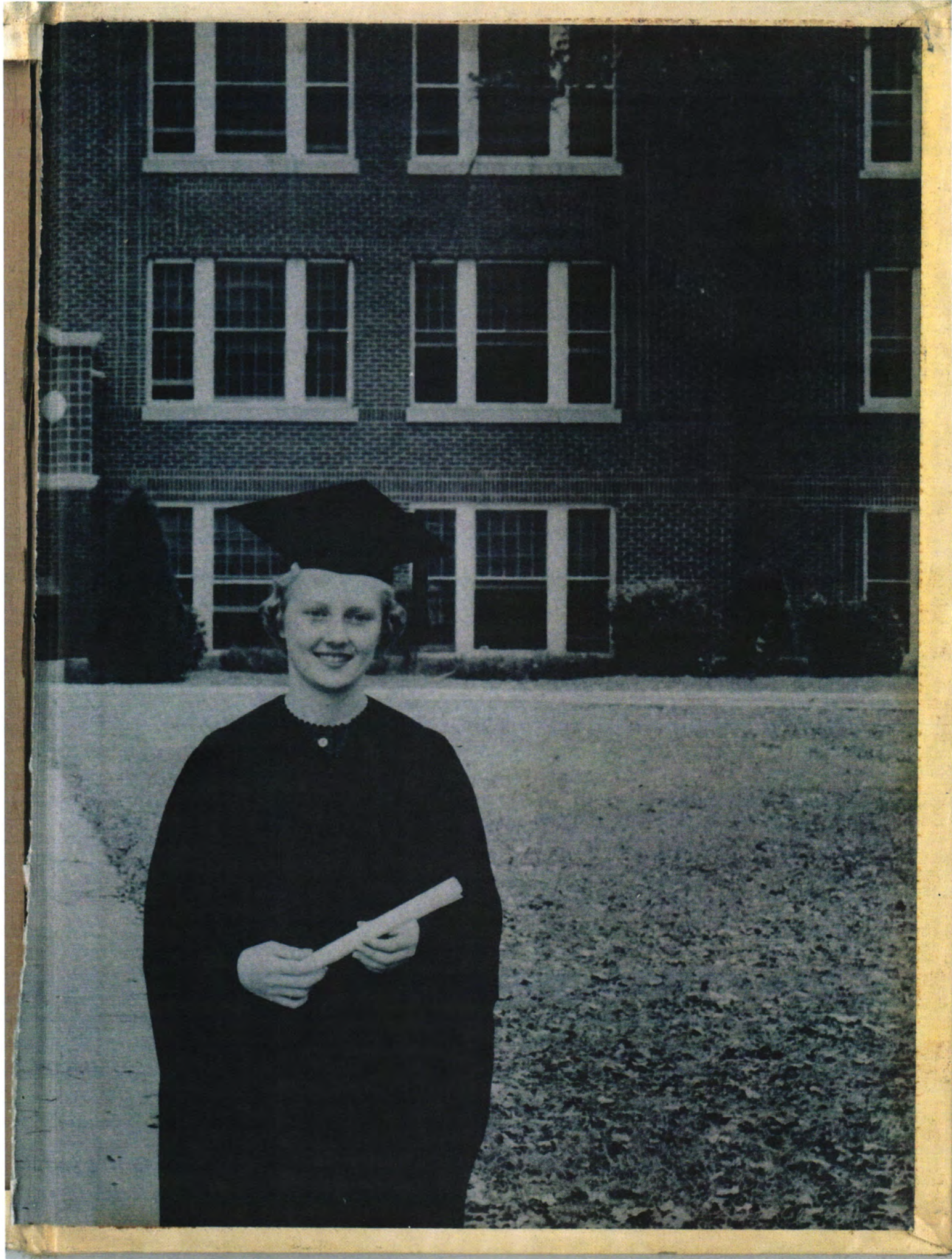
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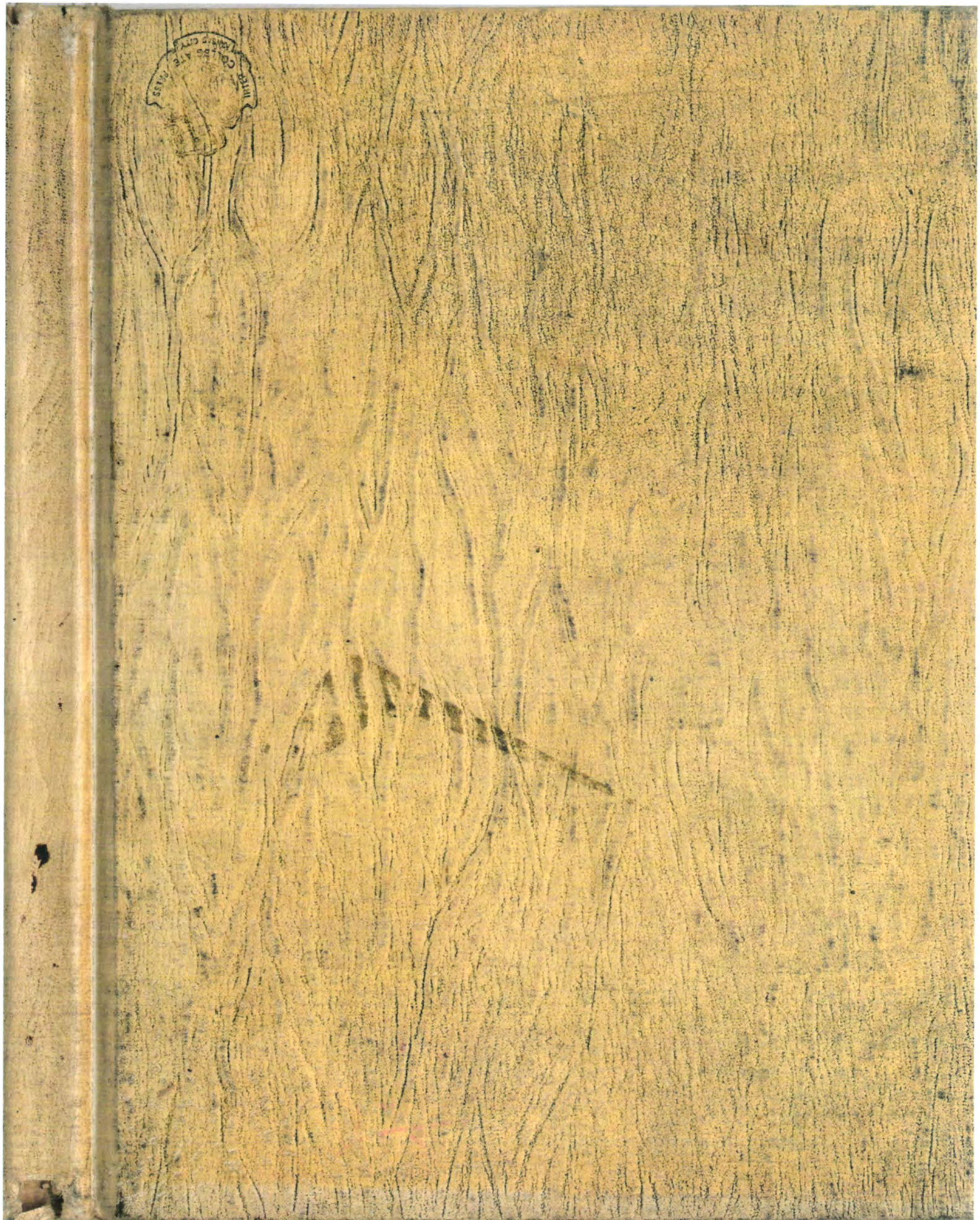
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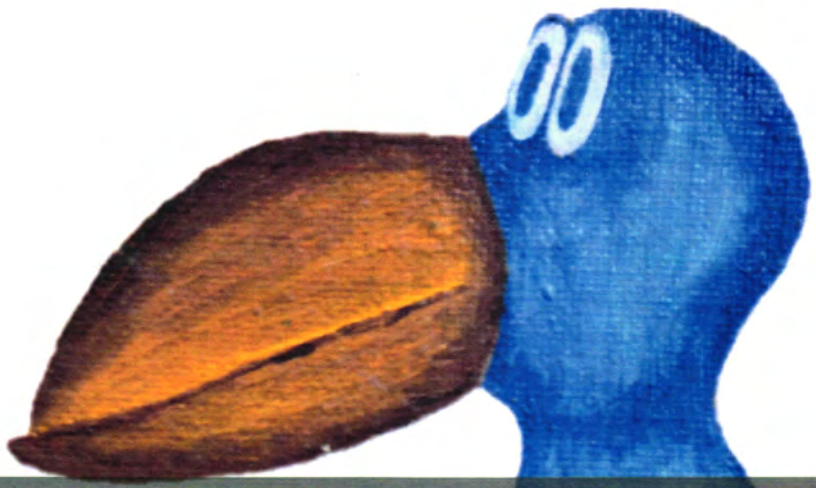
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