



GAMMA PHI CHAPTER

First Row: Mrs. Marion Gilliland, Housemother; Robert W. Allen, Samuel T. Allen, Paul A. Andres, Charles E. Aughtry, William H. Aughtry, Loren V. Baker, Richard D. Bell, John W. Bentley, Everett E. Berry, William G. Blanchard.

Second Row: Jack M. Buckley, Otis F. Burris, Harold D. Cook, W. Richard Cook, John A. Croom, Richard M. Dannenberg, Roy B. Dannenberg, E. Julian Davis, John C. Durie, Martin E. Dyer, Morgan W. Eddleman.

Third Row: Curtis D. Edgerton, J. Wallace Feild, David E. Fields, Joe W. Fields, Bill Finney, Richard K. Ford, Jim W. Fritzlin, Floyd W. Gooch, Leigh H. Hammond, Jr., John P. Harlen, Gene Harrill.

Fourth Row: Dick Hegton, John E. Heller, Dick Hoover, William F. Howard, Creed T. Huddleston, Robert M. Keith, Philip C. Kidd, Warner Lewis, Phillip J. Lunsford, Robert L. Lunsford, Lloyd A. Lynd, Jr.

Fifth Row: John E. Mahaffey, Richard Mahoney, Richard B. Martin, Jack T. Massey, Harold L. Mathias, William Meek, Keith Miller, Robert C. Millsbaugh, Burke G. Mordy, Lawrence S. McAlister, B. Rooney McInerney, James P. Neal.

Sixth Row: John R. Nielsen, Mahlon Ozmon, Lee W. Parrish, Hartley Powell, Bob Reid, Victor Rood, Bill E. Rook, Robert J. Sheldon, William R. Shirley, Merle G. Smith, Jr., Jim Snyder, Donald P. Sobocinski.

Seventh Row: Kenneth Spence, Wilson R. Spence, Thomas H. Sterling, Jr., Donald Stillwell, Richard A. Thomas, Charles O. Thompson, James R. Thompson, Melvin L. Tolson, Ralph M. Tolson, Richard L. Walton, James H. Willard, Robert J. Young.

BETA THETA PI

OFFICERS

KEITH MILLER	President
RALPH TOLSON	Vice President
PAUL ANDRES	Secretary
KENNETH SPENCE	Treasurer
BILL MEEK	Social Chairman



Beta Theta Pi's origin is traced to Pater Knox, who, on August 8, 1839, made public his fraternal intentions. This founding was the first of the three fraternities known as the "Miami Triad." Since its founding, Beta's ever-growing strength and soundness have progressed through one hundred and ten years. The Oklahoma chapter of Beta was formed through the efforts of Dr. David Ross Boyd, first president of the University; Dr. J. S. Buchanan, later president of the University, and Dr. J. H. Felgar, past dean of the College of Engineering.

Lodged in Beta's memorabilia is the traditional Beta-KA football game known as the Beer Bowl; the fabulous Barn

Dance, where the Spences and Tolsons managed to teach the non-Pawhuskans how to Square Dance; the sedateness of the Senior Dinner. These and many other inimitable recollections drop thought provokingly in this year's archives.

At the guiding helm again this year was the warm heart of Beta's revered house mother, Mrs. Gilliland. The homey atmosphere of the Beta house was largely due to her unceasing efforts.

Stressing scholarship and maturity, Gamma Phi Chapter moves with propriety to keep up the standards it has set in the past for the betterment of Beta Theta Pi and the Greek world as a whole.

Beta officers Lloyd Lynd, Joe Fields, Ralph Tolson, Kenny Spence and Keith Miller prepare their candidate for the U. G. O. C. contest.

