

## 1960-61



**President:** Ardyce Buse, Muskogee

**President's Theme:** "Happy Are They Who Have Wisdom"

**18th State Convention Held:** April 28-30, 1961, Ponca City

**State Convention Theme:** Unknown

**Attendance at State Convention:** Unknown

**Guests at State Convention:** Unknown

**Oklahoma Membership:** 102 Chapters

### **SPECIAL NOTES:**

- **By-law Amendments:**
  - Added Philanthropic Chairman to Executive Board and appointed Blanche Marsh as the first Chairman.
  - A vote was taken to continue for another five years with the same State Project, beginning in 1961.
  - \$100.00 was voted to be donated to the Home Fund in the name of Myre Starr, 1960-61 International Council President.
  - Cash award of \$10.00 to be given for best Educational program.
- **State Project:** The two tuberculosis sanitoriums located in Clinton and Talihina. Purchased therapy equipment for Clinton in the amount of \$1,000, and a Jefferson Ventilator, assembly trailer and table and chair for Talihina in the amount of \$1,000, for a total of \$2,000, plus kits for patients in the amount of \$1,126.66.

### **Elected Officers:**

**President:** Ardyce Buse, Muskogee  
**1st V.P.:** Mary Fagan, Tulsa  
**2nd V.P.:** Shirley Burton, Oklahoma City  
**Secretary:** Frances Carter, Oklahoma City  
**Treasurer:** Essie Gooding, Cushing  
**State Project Dir.:** Verta Sherrer, Durant  
**P.J. Editor:** Eleanor Snow Jones, Oklahoma City  
**Corresponding Sec:** Joan Cromer Weakland, Muskogee

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**District Coordinators:**

<b>Northwest:</b>	<b>Maribell Moore, Enid</b>
<b>Northeast:</b>	<b>Marjorie Schoonover Szabo, Muskogee</b>
<b>Southwest:</b>	<b>Frankye Eversole, Grandfield</b>
<b>Southeast:</b>	<b>Tommye Ruth Chandler, Broken Bow</b>

**International**

**Convention Held:** June 16-19, 1960, Hotel Westward Ho, Phoenix, Arizona

**IC Convention Theme:** "Patterns for Paradise"

**IC President Presiding:** Wilhelmina Herbin of North Carolina

**IC President's Theme:** "Let Your Light So Shine"

**Oklahoman's serving on IC Board:** Myre Starr of Ponca City was elected to serve as International Council President for year 1960-61. Tulsa, Oklahoma won bid for 1961 for IC Convention. Bid given by Dorothy Smith, Tulsa Area Council President for 1960.