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YEABOOK & PRINTING CLASSES

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A MESSAGE FROM MR. C. O. TILLMAN, SUPT.

CHILOCCO? WHAT IS CHILOCCO?

Chilocco is a light house, a beacon that beckons to those on the troubled sea of life.

Chilocco is the light in the window of that prairie cabin seen after a long hard day.

Chilocco is the Statue of Liberty, in it is hope, anticipation, the future for the abused, rejected, maligned, unwanted.

Chilocco is mom, dad, sister, brother, love.

Chilocco is that pathway covered with deep snow that leads from buckskin to blue jeans.

Chilocco is Indian Tribes fighting for education for their Indian youth.

Chilocco in its closing is sorrow.

Chilocco, is another, in a long list of broken promises.
A MESSAGE FROM
MR. DEE GREGORY, PRINCIPAL

Someday in the future, some historian will pull together all the historical facts concerning the Chillico Indian School. From these facts will emerge so many wonderful, beautiful, tragic, humorous, exciting, happy, and sad events. They will be so intriguing that a person will have to stretch the imagination to believe these things have really occurred at such a place as Chillico.

Chillico means many things to a lot of people. The image was never that of a cold traditional school, but rather a place of activity with the center of focus on activities involving both students and staff.

Chillico in its early days was called the "light of the prairie". At the present time this "light" is flickering and in June of 1980, the "light" will be extinguished.

This event will be significant to many Indian youngsters who have been a part of the making of Chillico, especially those of you who are presently enrolled.

The entire school staff have contributed in their own way to your education. As the school year ends, there is always the feeling that we might have done things better. You students will probably reflect as to whether you did the best you could in your school work.

As the school year 1979-80 winds down, we can hardly believe the many things that have happened to Chillico. Regardless of the pressures, the school year progressed in an orderly manner. This can be attributed to the professionalism of the staff and the efforts of the student body.

The school staff extends its congratulations to the graduating seniors, hoping, that many of your goals will be reached as you join the "mainstream" of life.

To those who have further school years, we offer encouragement for you to continue your high school career wherever you choose.
SUMMER OF '79 ACTIVITIES
Chilocco students visit a University in Wichita, K.A.

Chilocco students are busy checking the books that college students use.

Summer school students visited KAKE radio station while on a field trip to Wichita, K.A.

While visiting KAKE radio studio the students got to tour the offices.

The summer school students pose proudly on the steps of one of the buildings at the University in Wichita, K.A.
Initial ceremonies of the 1979 Police Academy recruits at Chillico.

Graduation exercises of the 1979 Police Academy.

Administering oath of office of the 1979 Police Academy.
SUMMER 1979

ALUMNI MEETINGS

CHILOCCO INDIAN SCHOOL
SUMMER 1979

ALUMNI MEETINGS

CHILOCCO INDIAN SCHOOL
OLD HOME 3

OLD CENTRAL, original administration building

REMEMBERING CHILOCCO OF OLD
Faith Wilson

Robert Orth

Leonard Gorman

Darryl Odostine

Francis Wartz

Kidd Tom

POST GRADS

Sophia Biggoose

Manuel Charlie

Jimmy Gibson

Leonard Gorman

Ernie Holmes

Virgil Jones

Darryl Nodestine

Robert North

Vince Parker

Daniel Morgan

Faith Wilson

Guy Thomas

Francis Wartz

Chuck Bia

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Jeff Bear Bow
Rudy Brown
Gina Calls Him
Pat Desjarlait
Linda Dow
Ruth Dubray
Barbera Gruno
Michelle Hamby
Karen Goodteacher
Randy Harlan
Jeanne Highwolf
Arthur Hill
Theresa Hinman
Ronnie Horse
SPECIAL PEOPLE
THE SCHOOL BOARD, CHILOCCO INDIAN SCHOOL

Miss Patti HeCrow was Miss Chilocco for the 1979-80 school year and attended the festivities at the Ark City, KA Arkalalah.

Chilocco won first place for its Float entr in the Arkalalah Parade.

Staff member Jim Larney is a participant in the Arkalalah Parade.
JEANNIE RAE HIGH WOLF
Chilocco Princess
1979-1980
1979-80 GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM

Lt. to Rt.: Sharlene Sago, Wendy Fireplace, Ethaleen Wilson, Teresa Leemhuis, Tweet Whiteskunk, Cheryl Warrior, Karen Testerman and Norma Tommie.

1979-80 BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM

Football Homecoming Queen and escorts
- Sequoyah game.

Chillico Football Cheerleaders 1979

Watching anxiously from the sidelines.

Dog-gone it! Missed again!
CHILOCCO INDIAN SCHOOL FOOTBALL COACHES

Lt. to Rt.: Louie Jackson, Alan Colbert and Al Wilson.
Chilocco vs. Wichita College.

Steve Dixon trying to pass the ball to his teammates.

Troy Edwards jumps for the ball.

Chilocco tries for two points.
Quentin Merrick looks awe-struck after receiving a trophy in boxing.

Pat Desjarlait, a happy boxer after winning a hard fought boxing bout.

Quentin Merrick shows his boxing skills against a Haskell Indian Junior College boxer.
Class Flowers, Mottos, and Colors—1927 to Present

1927
Class Flower: Cornflower
Colors: National Blue & Gold
Motto: Semper Fidelis

1928
Class Flower: Lily
Colors: Purple & White
Motto: Loyalty

1929
Class Flower: White Rose
Colors: Blue & White
Motto: Be True

1930
Class Flower: Gaillardia
Colors: Crimson & Gold
Motto: Exsclor

1931
Class Flower: Rose
Colors: Green & White
Motto: Fidelity Forever

1932
Class Flower: Yellow Rose
Colors: Blue & Gold
Motto: Loyalty

1933
Class Flower: Iris
Colors: Purple & Gold
Motto: Exsclor

1934
Class Flower: Lilac
Colors: Black & Orange
Motto: Perseverance

1935
Class Flower: Larkspur
Colors: Blue & White
Motto: Forward Ever

1936
Class Flower: White Carnation
Colors: Green & White
Motto: Fidelity

1937
Class Flower: Iris
Colors: Purple & Gold
Motto: Labor Conquers

1938
Class Flower: Pink Carnation
Colors: Pink & White
Motto: Endeavor to Excel

1939
Class Flower: Snap Dragon
Colors: Maroon & White
Motto: We Choose to Lead Rather Than Follow

1940
Class Flower: White Carnation
Colors: Royal Blue & Gold
Motto: Success is the Reward of Labor

1941
Class Flower: Purple Iris
Colors: Purple & Silver
Motto: Never Try Dying—Always Die Trying

1942
Class Flower: White Carnation
Colors: Royal Blue & White
Motto: Success is the Reward of Effort

1943
Class Flower: Red Carnation
Colors: Red & White
Motto: Forward Ever—Backward Never

1944
Class Flower: White Carnation
Colors: Maroon & Gold
Motto: The Elevator to Success is Broken—Take the Stairs and Climb

1945
Class Flower: Red Carnation
Colors: Royal Blue & White
Motto: Forward Ever—Backward Never

1946
Class Flower: White Rose
Colors: Blue & Gold
Motto: Seldom Equalled—Never Exceded

1947
Class Flower: White Carnation
Colors: Blue & Gold
Motto: Today We Sail—Where Shall We Anchor?

1948
Class Flower: Gardenia
Colors: Blue & White
Motto: Climb Though the Path be Rugged

1949
Class Flower: Rose
Colors: Maroon & White
Motto: Either we will find a Way or Make One

1950
Class Flower: Yellow Rose
Colors: Blue & Yellow
Motto: Life is a Picture—Paint It Well

1951
Class Flower: Red Rose
Colors: Blue & Gold
Motto: The Impossible is Worth a Try

1952
Class Flower: Sweet Pea
Colors: Pink & Silver
Motto: Forward Ever—Backward Never

1953
Class Flower: Carnation
Colors: Blue & Gold
Motto: We Choose to Lead Rather Than Follow

1954
Class Flower: Rose
Colors: Rose & Gold
Motto: Building Today for a Better Tomorrow

1955
Class Flower: Yellow Rose
Colors: Green & Gold
Motto: We Strive to Meet New Horizons

1956
Class Flower: Sweet Pea
Colors: Maroon & Gold
Motto: We Have Set Sail—Where Do We Anchor?

1957
Class Flower: Rose
Colors: Maroon & White
Motto: By Courage and Faith We Will Succeed

1958
Class Flower: Pink Carnation
Colors: Pink & Brown
Motto: Building Today for a Better Tomorrow

1959
Class Flower: Pink Carnation
Colors: Green & White
Motto: By Our Efforts We Hope To Rise

1960
Class Flower: Pink Carnation
Colors: Lavender & White
Motto: Only By Our Own Efforts Will We Succeed

1961
Class Flower: Pink Carnation
Colors: Rose & Silver
Motto: We Strive to Win Through Determination

1962
Class Flower: White Carnation
Colors: Blue & White
Motto: The Impossible Is Worth A Try

1963
Class Flower: Carnation
Colors: Rose & White
Motto: We Choose to Lead Rather Than Follow

1964
Class Flower: White Rose
Colors: Turquoise & White
Motto: Knowledge Comes—But Wisdom Lingers

1965
Class Flower: Carnation
Colors: Royal Blue & White
Motto: Strive for the Best and Aim for Success

1966
Class Flower: Red Rose
Colors: Turquoise & White
Motto: Today We Follow—Tomorrow We Lead

1967
Class Flowers: Colors: Red & White
Motto: We Choose to Lead Rather Than Follow

1968
Class Flower: Red Rose
Colors: Maroon & White
Motto: Students of Today—Challengers of Tomorrow

1969
Class Flower: Red Carnation
Colors: Blue & Gold
Motto: We May Be Personally, Defeated but our Principles Never

1970
Class Flower: White Carnation
Colors: Blue & White
Motto: Look Back with Pride, and Forward to Success

1971
Class Flower: Pink Carnation
Colors: Red & Gold
Motto: Learners of Today and Leaders of Tomorrow

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<td>Royal Blue &amp; Silver</td>
<td>Every Tomorrow Holds New Challenges</td>
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<td>Only the Beginning</td>
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<td>Paddle Your Own Canoe</td>
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<td>Iris</td>
<td>Red &amp; White</td>
<td>By Work We Will Succeed</td>
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<td>Through Sharing We Have Found Friendship</td>
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“Remembering Chilocco When———”
CHIEF CHILOCCO INDIAN SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS

1. James Haworth
2. Dr. H. J. Minthorn
3. Rev. W. J. Branham
4. Thomas C. Bradford
5. George W. Scott
6. Benjamin S. Coppock
7. Benjamin F. Taylor
8. C. W. Goodman
9. S. M. McCowan
10. J. R. Wise
11. Edgar A. Allen
12. Oscar H. Lipps
13. Clyde M. Blair
14. L. E. Correll
15. W. Keith Kelley
16. Leon Wall
17. Gordon Gunderson
18. Frank Self
19. Dan Sahmaunt
20. C. O. Tillman
21. Jim Baker
22. C. O. Tillman (2nd Superintendency)
THE OLD HOSPITAL BUILDING

OLD POWER PLANT

REMEMBERING CHILOCCO OF OLD
Do you recognize your self in this old picture of students of yesteryear?

A graduation of yesteryear.
Students of Yesteryear in the old Sewing Room.

Students of Yesteryear looked so different!

Students of Yesteryear in the old Chemistry Lab.

Mr. Virgil England teaching students in Printing.

Students of Yesteryear in Agriculture.

Hey! Weren't they neat a long time ago!
Portions of Chilocco as viewed from the watertower, northwest quadrant of the campus.

Southwest quadrant of the campus from the watertower.

Recognize these old buildings in this campus shot?

CHILOCCO’S WRESTLING TEAM.

Many of these are gone now.
YEARBOOK & PRINTING CLASSES
Auto Mechanics classroom emblem.

Sheila Vondal working hard on an engine block.

Nena Brown and Reggie Walkingsky working on a brake assembly.

Nena Brown working on a brake drum.
Greg Lieb busy in the Auto Body Shop.

Garth Charlie, Bill Madbull work hard in the Auto Body Shop.

Minerva Porcupine, Jean Highwolf and Joey Jumper are in the Building Trades classes.

Chuck Bia is cutting parts to make a fence.

Lance McClenden strikes an arc while learning to weld.
Cheryl Warrior, Mary Gayton and Teri Toppah working on mailing out the Chilocco Journal.

Mr. Cooper, Patty Leemhuis and a company representative look at the various graduation announcements.

Mike Johnson getting ready to set handset type from a printers California job case.

Ethaleen Wilson learns how to jog paper before it is put on the press.

Cheryl Pisano from New Mexico helped the printers with a job for the Central Office of the BIA.

Summer Shemayrne gets to try out the new phototype-setting machine.
Nathan Benton, Jr.

Frances Bennett
Home Ec. Teacher

Bobby Begay
Recreation Assn.

Twyla Beaver
Educ. Aide

John Beaver
Educ. Aide

Lucille Bearskin
Educ. Aide

James Bearskin
Janitor

Rupert Cooper
Printer

Melvin Collins
Educ. Aide

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Bernice Henderson
Post Master

Henry Hendrickson
Carpenter

Francis Hernandez
Cook

Tillie Hernandez
Administrative Officer

Deloyce Howe
Educ. Aide

Angelo Lacovelli
Teacher, Lang. Arts

Louie Jackson
Coach

Imogene James
Clerk

Willie James
Mtr. Veh. Opr.
James Salmon
Training Instr., Auto Mech.

Albert Schmidt
Plumber

Charles Snell
Serrage Disposal, Plant Oper.

Karl Stone
Math Teacher

Maron Stone
Educ. Aide

Horace Taylor
Teacher, Phy. Ed.

Robert Tetrault
Psychologist

Ernest Toppah
Laborer

Melba Toppah
Secretary Sterno
Chilocco students enjoying themselves at the annual school picnic.

The Chilocco staff getting ready to "greet."

The Chilocco staff enjoys visiting and eating with the students at the annual picnic.
Among the many activities on the Chilocco campus every semester the basketball games at the Chilocco gym is always a favorite with students. These pictures illustrate the interest the students have in basketball and also in 'munchin' ' on goodies along with visiting with your friends.
Norma Tommie is trying to fly high!

You spell V for Varsity! (Beauty)

One and two—where is three??

...is this an example of women's IBD or ERA??

Monkey see, Monkey do!

Future NBA star??
I don't know how to really drive, I just like posing.

X-rated picture. Almost!

Is that really me??

Getting into Sesame Street.

High 'ole Silver away!

Give me a home where the buffalo roam.
She's whipped on Chilocco.

Little Rascals!

Talking the latest gossip???

Wild and Crazy Gals!

Silvia's Favorite song "Chase Me"!
The trip to Oklahoma City


(Lt. to Rt.) Steve Dixon, Jerry Willis Dan Willis, Sophia Biggoose, Gilbert Lasley, Carol Steeprock.
Pictured are some of the candidates for the summer Police Academy held this past year on the Chilocco campus.

The staff and students enjoyed the Thanksgiving dinner together.

The Chilocco staff seem to enjoy the meal in the cafeteria.

Um! That's good! What is it?
Cheesy Smile!
Peek-A-Boo
Acting Bad
Cheesy Smile!
Don't look too hard
Mischiefous Eyes
No smoking on the bus!
Dance Fever

MARTY: What are you thinking about??

- Bad look too hard
Ha, Ha, I've got a secret.

Getting ready to put on her morning face.
Peter Flying Horse enjoys his stay in the hospital after an operation.

Teresa Leemhuis is intently reading a magazine.

Mona Mathews — What are you smiling around about?

Margaret Testerman’s imitation of the “Fonz.”
Mary Gayton, Cheryly Warrior and Carol Steeprock watch intently and with a healthy smile at the boxing matches.

Betsy Williams shows her appreciation for the Pendleton blanket given to her by the staff as a going away gift.

Margaret Testerman and Nan Page pose proudly with a cheeky smile for the cameraman at a recent boxing match.
May 19, 1910 Graduating Class

(Do you recognize any of these former Chilocco Graduates?)
Addendum to Classes and Personnel Roster

"O Chilocco, School of Beauty"

On the broad and sweeping prairies,
'Neath the skies of blue
Stands our lovely Alma Mater,
Alma Mater true.
Indian Braves and Indian Maidens
Walking hand in hand,
Great our past, we face the future,
In this glorious land.

CHORUS:
O Chilocco, School of Beauty
May she ever be
Filled with courage, pride, and honor
Love and loyalty.
NELSON WEBSTER
1961-1980
GRADUATE
Dec. 1979
THE LIGHT ON THE PRAIRIE HAS BEEN EXTINGUISHED!

This is the final copy of Chilocco Indian School’s Yearbook
The Chiloccoan 1980

INITIALS FOUND THROUGHOUT THIS YEARBOOK ARE THOSE OF THE FOLLOWING STAFF AND STUDENT INDIVIDUALS:

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ANGELO B. JACOVELLI : B

MARIAN BALD EAGLE : MB

KIM DECORAH : KO

AGNES WHITE : AW

PATTY LEEMHUIS (STUDENT EDITOR) : P

Mike Johnson is the student who designed the cover.