



Almurta – 1918



R. F. and Almurta – 1922



Almurta - 1994

Riley and Almurta Shiflett Scholarship

Est. 1992

Riley F. Shiflett was a math and science professor PAI, and Oklahoma State University graduate, a former Texas County Extension Agent and a World War I veteran.

Almurta Ross was born in 1903. She enrolled at PAI in 1917 and graduated in 1921. In 1922, Riley and Almurta were married. Over the years, they had a family of ten children, one of whom died in infancy. Eight of their children attended PAMC and hold college degrees. Seven hold degrees from PAMC. In 1953, Almurta finished her B.S. degree from PAMC. Almurta taught school for a total of 15 years in Oklahoma. Mrs. Shiflett has remained very involved in university activities attending most events and is a strong supporter of the Alumni Association.

The family of Riley F. and Almurta Shiflett established this scholarship on February 14, 1992 in the name of their loving parents and grandparents.

Mrs. Almurta Shiflett passed away November 28, 2004. She was 101 years and nine months old. She is survived by her nine children, 36 grandchildren, 80 great, grandchildren and 20 great, great grandchildren.