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Anne Hodges Morgan and H. Wayne Morgan, both widely respected historians, have recently edited a book compiled of six important, thought-provoking essays that offer in-depth study of the reasons for Oklahoma's history and development. OKLAHOMA: NEW VIEWS OF THE FORTY-SIXTH STATE has a variety of material ranging from an essay by Douglas Hale titled "The People of Oklahoma: Economics and Social Change" to a piece by Anne Hodges Morgan called "Oklahoma in Literature." All of the essays are fact-filled works that draw conclusions about our state's development, people, economics, politics, and place in literature.

The future cannot be prepared for without a thorough examination of the past — not only by natives of the state, but also by newcomers seeking information about their new home. This book contains fresh information concerning our state's past growth that is presented in a scholarly manner. This book is not for the blasé browser of Oklahoma history. It is specifically for the enthusiastic history reader who is looking for new facts about our state.

This book, which was selected as one of ten Diamond Jubilee books in celebration of the state's 75th anniversary, is available for \$16.95 from the University of Oklahoma Press, 1005 Asp Avenue, Norman, Oklahoma, 73019.

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