

**Ruth Reder**  
**(1898-1956)**

Ruth Reder was born at Logansport, Indiana, December 31, 1898 and died at Stillwater, Oklahoma, January 23, 1956.

She received the A. B. degree from Oberlin College and the A. M. and Ph. D. from the University of Illinois.

Dr. Reder came to Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College in 1929 as Assistant Professor and Research Investigator in Agricultural Chemistry Research. She was promoted to Associate Professor in 1932 and Professor in 1952.

Dr. Reder was one of the founders of the Southern Cooperative Group. She was the author of nearly 50 scientific papers, research articles in foods, nutrition, and vegetable studies. She held membership in the American Chemical Society, Phi Beta Kappa and Iota Sigma Phi.