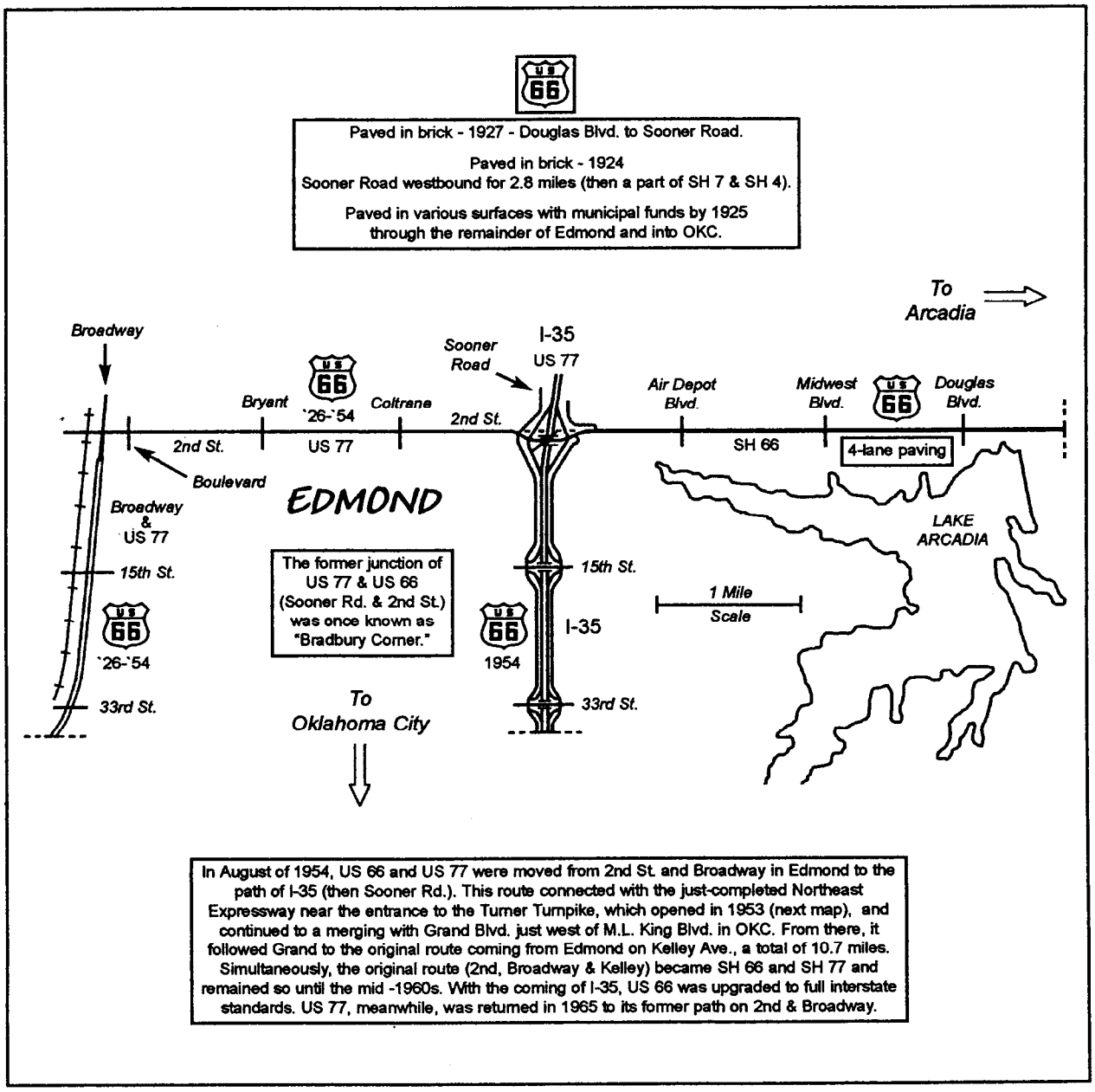
OKLAHOMA ROUTE 66
MAP #33



In August of 1954, US 66 and US 77 were moved from 2nd St. and Broadway in Edmond to the path of I-35 (then Sooner Rd.). This route connected with the just-completed Northeast Expressway near the entrance to the Turner Turnpike, which opened in 1953 (next map), and continued to a merging with Grand Blvd. just west of M.L. King Blvd. in OKC. From there, it followed Grand to the original route coming from Edmond on Kelley Ave., a total of 10.7 miles. Simultaneously, the original route (2nd, Broadway & Kelley) became SH 66 and SH 77 and remained so until the mid -1960s. With the coming of I-35, US 66 was upgraded to full interstate standards. US 77, meanwhile, was returned in 1965 to its former path on 2nd & Broadway.