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Commencement Weekend Will Be Busy for Cadets

Commencement activities will make St. John's Military School a busy place the weekend of May 16-19.

Activities will begin with the first Awards Convocation on SJMS Perkins Field at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 16. Academic, military and activity awards will be presented.

Activities on Friday will include the annual alumni dinner at 6 p.m. in Nichols Dining Hall. "Old Boys" that have arrived on campus will be guests of the Cadet Corps. The second Awards Convocation will begin at 7 p.m. again on Perkins Field. Major awards for academic achievement, leadership and development will be given that evening.

At 8 p.m., the Cadets in the 86th Corps will display their talents in the second "SJMS In Review" in the school gym. The SJMS Band will play a concert, the vocal music group will sing and the Cadets will present a variety of skits and dramatic acts.

Activities on Saturday, May 18, will be many and varied. Parents who wish to confer with teachers or staff members may do so between 9 and 11 a.m. Appointments are to be made through the Director of Studies Office. The St. John's Foundation luncheon will be held at 12 noon at the Hilton Inn.

Military Field Day will begin at 2 p.m. on Perkins Field. The Senior Ball will begin at 7:30 p.m. with the senior receiving line on the SJMS campus. The dance will be held around the new Memorial Plaza area. The Crack Squad, commanded by Walter Webb, will drill and the new commander named for next year. Dancing will continue until midnight with passes ending at 1 a.m.

For those wishing to attend a church service, SJMS parents, Cadets and families will be welcome at the 7:30 a.m. Service of Holy Communion at Christ Episcopal Cathedral or the 6:30 and 8 a.m. Masses at Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Cathedral.

The barracks will be inspected and secured at 10 a.m. Sunday morning. The Baccalaureate service will be at 10:30 a.m. in the auditorium of Salina High School Central, East Crawford and Front streets. The speaker will be the Rev. Rudolph W. Treder, rector of St. Cornelius Episcopal Church, Dodge City. Fr. Treder has been a long-time friend of St. John's School and a member of this year's graduating class, Walt Webb, is a member of his parish.

Cadet Chapel Council Formed

A Cadet Chapel Council has been formed to make plans for the Chapel program and services according to the Rev. Loyd Holifield Jr., Chaplain. Members of the council are Jim Wellman, chairman, a Roman Catholic; Greg Paul and Gary Cavey, Episcopalians; Steve Miller, Methodist, and Robin Clary, Disciples of Christ.

The Wednesday chapel service will be planned by the Council. Fr. Holifield said that he will provide guidance and have some veto powers. He said this is a new project because the Cadets have never had any voice in chapel program planning before.

A board of faculty consultants will also assist in the chapel programming. The members are Lt. Col. Paul H. Kellogg, Commandant; Maj. Richard Stamm, Senior Army Instructor; Lt. Larry Lysell, Lt. Ron Bartlett and Lt. Dale Mellon, all teachers and coaches.

The Chaplain said he hopes to have a Board of Chapel Alumni consultants. Two "old boys" E. J. Guerrant, '62, and Mike Heywood, '74, have agreed to serve. Fr. Holifield would like to have an alumni representative from the classes in the late '40's or early '50's who lives fairly near Salina.

Commencement Regulations

Only senior Cadets will be permitted to drive automobiles without an accompanying adult during Commencement weekend and the car must be owned by the parents, guardians or relatives.

Appointments for conferences with teachers and staff members should be made with Mrs. Don Kirn in the Director of Studies office.

Cadets are required to attend the Baccalaureate service at 10:30 a.m. Sunday at Salina High School Central.

As a final point, Colonel Duckers stressed that no post-graduation parties are endorsed or approved by the School. Actions of the Cadets after leaving the campus on Commencement day are the responsibility of the parents.

Cadets are reminded of several policies in regard to activities during Commencement weekend.

No Cadet will be excused to leave before the final dismissal of the Battalion about 3 p.m. Sunday, May 19. Cadets will not be permitted to stay overnight with parents during the period from May 15-19 although the parent-pass policy will be most liberal according to Col. Keith G. Duckers, Superintendent.

Parents are to make arrangement for transportation home for their sons if they are not planning to attend Commencement activities.

COMMENCEMENT SCHEDULE

Awards Convocation, Perkins Field..... 7 p.m., May 16

Alumni Dinner, Nichols Dining Hall..... 6 p.m., May 17

Awards Convocation, Perkins Field..... 7 p.m., May 17

"SJMS In Review", Gymnasium..... 8 p.m., May 17

Parent-Teacher Conferences..... 9-11 a.m., May 18

St. John's Foundation Luncheon..... 12 noon

The Hilton Inn

Military Field Day, Perkins Field..... 2 p.m., May 18

Senior Ball, SJMS Campus..... 7:30 p.m., May 18

Senior Receiving Line

Crack Squad Drill & Change of Command

All Passes End..... 1 a.m.

Holy Communion,

Christ Episcopal Cathedral..... 7:30 a.m., May 19

Mass,

Sacred Heart Catholic Cathedral..... 6:30 or 8 a.m., May 19

(Optional attendance)

Baccalaureate Service,

Salina High School Central..... 10:30 a.m., May 19

Buffet Luncheon, Nichols Hall..... 12 noon, May 19

Commencement, Perkins Field..... 1:30 p.m., May 19

Processional - 86th Corps of Cadets

Music - 1st Infantry Division Band

Graduation Candidates Named

The names of 18 seniors have been announced as candidates for graduation from St. John's Military School according to Maj. Kenneth Faerber, Director of Studies/Admissions.

They are Chester Duane Bay-singer Jr., and Xavier Bryant Flowers, both of Wichita; Lance Marlo Bove, Longmont, Colo.; Christopher Craig Cadwell, Winfield; Robert Hansen, Boulder, Colo.; Mark Harper and Chad Hart, both of Denver; Michael David Heywood, Kirkwood, Mo.; Fred H. Johnson Jr., Carbondale, Colo.; Roy Abner Knight III, Weatherford, Texas; George Hamilton McElroy II, Overland Park; Dale Olson, Edina, Minn.; Brad Price, Prairie Village; Thomas E. Rudolph, David City, Neb.; Mark Benson Thomas, Manchester, Ks.; Dana Ross Tretheway, Kansas City, Mo.; Walter Loris Webb, Dodge City, and Richard Bowden Nelson, Laramie, Wyo.

Col. Guernsey Honored For Dedicated Teaching

Lt. Col. R. L. Guernsey, Science Department chairman, has been honored for 25 years of dedicated teaching by the School of Education of the University of Kansas.

He was honored by the parade and pass-in review on Sunday, May 5.

2 Cadets to Get State Awards

Two Cadets will receive three state awards given on the basis of academic achievement tests given by Emporia State College.

Matt Baker will be honored for outstanding achievement in general science and John Livingston will receive two awards for outstanding work in biology and science.

Field Day Drills Set

Activities for Military Field Day have been scheduled by the Cadet Battalion S-3. Activities will include a manual-of-arms drill; fieldstrip of the M-14 rifle; Squad drill, Platoon drill Company drill, awards presentations and pass-in review.

In competition for the manual-of-arms award will be four ROTC Cadets, each representing a Company. "C" Company, the Cadets in the Lower School, will have three non-ROTC students involved in the drill-down.

For the Squad drill, each company may pick one 10-man squad. The next event will be the Platoon drill which will also count for the Company drill except for "C" Company who will march as three separate platoons and then as a complete company.

Awards will be given to those excelling in the drills.

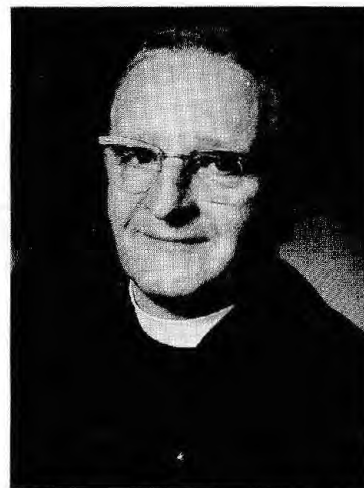
Octagon Club Gets Charter

A new club at St. John's Military School was chartered during ceremonies May 13. The Octagon Club, sponsored by the Salina Noon Optimist Club, is a high school service group for school and community improvement.

The Rev. Loyd Holifield Jr., Chaplain and Optimist member, is the chairman of Club activities, and will be the faculty sponsor. The other members of the club committee are Merle Andreen, a retired Salina businessman, and Lyle Fackler, a Salina stockbroker with A. G. Edwards & Company.

Greg Paul, son of a charter member of the Denver Bear Valley Optimist club, will be the first Cadet president. Roger Paul will be elected secretary. 20 Cadets will be charter members.

The charter was presented by the Lieutenant Governor of the Kansas Zone of Optimist International at the regular noon meeting of the local club at the Cavalier Club.



The Rev. Rudolph W. Treder

Western Kansas Priest to Be Speaker

The Rev. Rudolph W. Treder, rector of St. Cornelius Episcopal Church, Dodge City, for 35 years will be the speaker at Baccalaureate services at 10:30 a.m. Sunday, May 19, at the Salina High School Central Auditorium. Fr. Treder is also an honorary Canon of Christ Cathedral in Salina and has served the Diocese of Western Kansas in various capacities during the years.

A scholarship given to sons of clergy members in the Diocese of Western Kansas who attend SJMS in named in honor of Fr. Treder.

His father was an Episcopal clergyman and served as the Dean of St. Luke's Episcopal Church in East Hampton, Long Island, N.Y. Fr. Treder was valedictorian of his graduating class from The Harrisburg Academy, Harrisburg, Penn.; was graduated cum laude from Pennsylvania State College and was graduated from the General Theological Seminary, New York City.

He came to western Kansas in 1937 where he was a member of the Associate Mission at Hays. The Rt. Rev. Robert H. Mize, in whose honor Mize Hall is named, assigned Fr. Treder to St. Cornelius church in 1938. Besides serving the Dodge City parish, he has taken services at churches in other towns in Southwest Kansas until clergy were available to serve. St. Alban's Mission, Cimarron has always been under his care.

Cadets Assist at

Law Day Ceremonies

The Crack Drill Squad and the Cadet Color Guard assisted with Law Day ceremonies at Schilling Manor, home of the waiting wives, near Salina, May 1.

Certificates of citizenship were presented to a number of Schilling Manor children during the afternoon.

Law Day is observed nationwide on May 1 by Presidential, Gubernatorial and Mayoral proclamation as a special day celebrated by the American People in appreciation of their liberties and an occasion for rededication to the ideals of equality and justice under law.

Creativity Expressed by Seniors

(Editor's Note — The following four poems and essays were written by members of this year's graduating class. They were the result of class assignments in Lt. Ron Bartlett's senior English classes).

A SPRING EVENING

By Roy Knight

Casting long shadows through the evening,
The sun sinks taking my heart with it.

The birds bathe in the gutters, preening
Their wings of droplets and hopping in a fit.

A restlessness takes hold of my soul —
A wish for something just out of reach —
A loneliness borne of longing begins to flow.
I look for a sympathetic, who, myself could teach.

Thoughts of earlier days and happier places
Flit through my mind, through the lonely spaces.
And I do wish with all my might for love
And envy those who are fortunate and have it.

SOCIETY

By Brad Price

Society can mean a group of people together and the way they act, their interrelationships. There may be two or more people involved. The type of society depends upon the people involved. There may be love, hate, greed, envy, or a variety of emotions mixed together.

Unless one knows the right people, the society can be false. People will lie and put up a front just to make people like them. Everybody puts up some sort of a front for defense, but some put up more of a front than others. Most people act totally false and hope the others in their society do not discover what they are doing. These people are very self-conscious about what people think about them and what they say behind their backs. They are usually in the upper strata of society, i.e., upper middle class.

However, if one knows the right people, one can consider himself very lucky. These people do not put up much of a front. They believe in being themselves, and to hell with what other people think of them or say behind their backs. They are liable to be found anywhere, but, up until quite recently were rare, and people called them things like "a real jewel".

When these false people are with their good friends, or with their children, they normally drop most of their front, and act the way they feel. If they could just act that way all the time, then the world would be a much better and happier place in which to live.

SELF PITY

By Duane Baysinger

(In response to having read "Song of Myself" by W. Whitman)

PEOPLE whine about their condition.
PEOPLE lay awake in the dark and weep for their sins.
PEOPLE sickly discuss their duty to God.
PEOPLE are dissatisfied, demented and greedy.
PEOPLE do not show their relations to friends.
PEOPLE should crack their shell and look outside themselves.

Then, if they like what they see, try it. But, how many will listen to another lowly human?

CREATION

By Bob Hansen

A creation of art work is the creation of destiny —
Which is the most realistic aspect of One's mind.
One may copy, but that is only another.
The fantasy of one's mind is the reality of mine.
If everyone would be themselves, the search for destiny would be closer. So, be yourself and find your real creation of destiny.

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Livingston Heads 5th Honor Roll

John Livingston headed the honor roll for the grading period ending April 12. Others named to the list were Tony Wilson, Mark Thomas, Robert Furedy, Dana Tretheway, Charles Hanna, Fred Johnson, Ronald Smith, Jimmy Wellman, Matthew Baker, David Arledge, Roger Paul, Mitchell Reed, Richard Nelson, Bill Hanna, David Clothier, Richard Estabrook, Roger Templin, Walter Webb, Todd Boerngen, Robin Bailey, James Malloy, Roy Knight, Gregory Paul, John Shaver, Randy Krueger, Robert Johnson, Thomas Thwaites, Mark Huber, Brad Price, Marc Seiwert, Benson Chapman, Jeff Lortz, Mark Szkoda, Dale Olson, Ernesto Anaya, and Stephen Miller.

Earning honorable mentions were George McElroy, Michael Beckley, Daniel Lynch, Terry Maul, Thomas Rudolph, Christopher Cadwell, Mark McVay, Robin Clary, Kevin Rasmussen, Tracey Estell, Michael Heywood, Bradley Chatfield, Douglas Bain, David Lefler, Scott Wilson, David Dunn, Duane Baysinger, Blaine Hopkins, Randy Miller, Curtis Allen, Patrick Hobson, Jeff Santillanes, Tchad Hart, John O'Rourke, Robert Watkins, Gary Cavey, Mark Harper and Lance Bove.

Kirk Hutchinson headed the Lower School's honor roll. Also named to the roll were Scott Young and Steve Gray. Honorable mentions went to Scott Roth, John Weatherman, David Aranda, Steve Engle, David and Dan Dwire, David Utley, Ian Snider, Pat Goulding, John Scuri and Troy Kramer.

Explorer Post Being Organized

Plans are being made to organize an Explorers Post of the Boy Scouts of America on campus next fall. Maj. Kenneth Faerber, Director of Admissions/Studies, will be the institutional representative. Members of the advisory committee will be Sgt. Dwight Woodall, tactical officer, chairman; Mrs. Lois Trump, science teacher, and Capt. Paul Sommers, Guidance Counselor.

The Rev. Loyd Holifield jr., Chaplain, will be the Post advisor. Jim Wellman will be the first post president. A charter has been applied for and several Cadets have expressed an interest in the program.

Old Boy Reunion Set

The classes of 1962, '63 and '64 will be holding a reunion during Commencement activities this year. E. J. Guerrant, Salina, is the reunion chairman.

He has heard that Skip Libby, Jerry Vinup and Ben Spencer are planning to attend from those years. Other "old boys" planning to attend are Larry Crume, '65; Chris Needham, '66 and Walter York who was a Cadet at St. John's from the time he entered the third grade until graduation in 1944.



30 April 1974

SFC Ted Hammer
U.S. Army (Retired)
St. John's Military Academy
Salina, Kansas 67401

Dear SFC Hammer,

I wish to compliment you and the members of the St. John's Military Academy Band for their fine performance during Fort Riley's April retirement ceremony. I never cease to be amazed at the individual and collective talent associated with a band's performance.

It was also a pleasure for me to see such fine young men displaying truly outstanding military bearing and appearance. St. John's band is indeed a credit to the Academy as well as the staff members.

I wish to thank you and the members of your band for assisting Fort Riley as your performance assured the success of our ceremony. Again my personal gratitude for a splendid performance.

Sincerely,

Robert C. Kingston
ROBERT C. KINGSTON
Brigadier General, USA
Acting Commander

Old Boy Ranks Continue to Grow

The ranks of the "old boys" continue to grow. Those passing the test and authorized to wear the shields include Darrell Black, Todd Clift, Martin Johnson, John Klockseim, Harrie Smith, Dan Lynch, David Thompson, and Gilbert Jamison.

Staff Family Larger

The statistics of life are made of births, deaths and marriages. During the present year, among the St. John's staff family, Maj. Harold Fraizer was married to Sandy Pence in Armstrong Chapel, and a son, Patrick, was born to Capt. and Mrs. Paul Kellogg jr. in March. Capt. Kellogg is the SJMS Athletic Director.

The SJMS Commandant, Lt. Col. Paul H. Kellogg and Mrs. Kellogg are the proud grandparents.

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One Staff Change Made for '74-'75

There will be only one change in the teaching staff for the 1974-75 School year according to Maj. Kenneth Faerber, Director of Studies/Admissions.

Mrs. Helen Wallau has resigned her position as English teacher. Her replacement will be Mike Stewart.

Stewart, a graduate of Marymount College, will teach freshman and sophomore English, speech, debate and dramatics and will be an assistant coach in wrestling and football.

He has taught two years at Herington High School. Stewart and his wife will live off-campus.

Hunters Brought Back Snakes

The annual SJMS snakehunt for rattlesnakes, near Waynoka, Okla., was a success with the Cadets catching several snakes and returning those and several others to the campus, following the trip April 19-21.

The snakes are housed in special boxes in the Science Department of Ferris Hall.

Steve Urban reported that the snakes were found on top of mesas north of Waynoka. Rattlesnakes usually stay on the sides of a mesa, in the sun. The Cadets caught five rattlers and one hog-nose on Saturday and five more rattlers and a whip snake on Sunday.

The Cadets and faculty sponsors attended the Waynoka snake festival where snakes could be purchased or they could have snakes they had caught butchered.

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PROMOTIONS

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Promoted to:

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David Lefler, David Dunn.

SERGEANT — Rich Nelson,
Olif Chapman, Rich Estabrook,
Grant LaMora, Brian Pratt, Mitchell Reed.

CORPORAL — John Donati,
Mike Beckley, Brad Gielissen,
Mark Szokda, Dan Barbour, David Clothier, Mark McVay.

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS —
Larry Santillanes, Gary Santillanes,
Kirk Hutchinson, Jim Dowell,
David Caldwell, Jeff Zuercher,
Ernest Anaya.

SJMS Enrollment Picture Improves

The enrollment picture is bright at St. John's Military School for the next school year. A total of 98 students have already enrolled and Maj. Kenneth Faerber, Director of Studies/Admissions, anticipates that 100 will be enrolled by Commencement Day.

Among the Cadets joining the Corps will be Richard Barbour, brother of Cadet Dan, and sons of Richard Barbour, Class of '54.

A number of inquiries have been received from the Latin American countries.

Astronaut Is The Newest Muleskinner

The latest member of "The Muleskinners" at St. John's Military School is former astronaut Col. James Irwin. Colonel Irwin was a visitor on campus last October and was impressed with the program at St. John's.

The new flag pole was dedicated in honor of his visit.

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EPISCOPAL CHURCH LEADERS



Leaders of various units of the Episcopal Church in Western Kansas have organized into a group, yet nameless. Meeting with Col. Keith G. Duckers (left) at St. John's Military School recently were (left to right), Loren Slaughter, Senior Warden of Christ Cathedral; the Very Rev. Sylvan W. Law, Dean of the Cathedral; the Rt. Rev. William Davidson, Bishop of Western Kansas; Richard Hale, Church of the Incarnation; the Rev. Garrett Clanton, St. Francis Boys' Homes; the Rev. Loyd Holifield, Jr., Director of Religious Activities at St. John's; and Bill Siebert, Church of the Incarnation. Others in the group include the Rev. William Craig, Director of St. Francis Boys' Homes and Fred Brower, Hutchinson, president of the Diocesan Council.

Mrs. Lysell Heads SJMS Ladies

Mrs. Larry Lysell was elected president of the St. John's Ladies Club for the next school year at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. Scott Haviland.

Other officers are Mrs. Nedra Hough, vocal music teacher, and Mrs. Richard Stamm, SAI's wife, vice president; and Mrs. Dale Pierson, teacher's wife, secretary-treasurer.

They replace retiring officers Mrs. Kenneth Faerber, president, and Mrs. Lena Baldrige, secretary-treasurer.

The Ladies club is an organization of faculty wives, secretaries, women teachers and other women associated with the school.

During the year, the women provide the Cadets with cakes on their birthdays; remember them at Christmas; sponsored a dance in January; helped with homecoming, and sponsored a swimming party and a roller skating party for the Cadets.

The club also contributed money to the planting of trees on campus and will host a pizza party at 4:30 p.m., Sunday, May 12.

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Foundation Grant Used For Science Studies

The St. John's Military School Foundation should be pleased with the results of its \$500 donation to the Science Department for the promotion of independent investigation and the development of laboratory techniques.

Lt. Col. R. L. Guernsey, Science department chairman, said, "I have never seen more educational mileage for the money. The science faculty and Cadets are very grateful to the Foundation for its support."

Science facilities were made available to all students twice each day during the 45-minute extra help periods. Interest spread to the younger Cadets and it became necessary to designate one day each week just for the Lower School Cadets.

Average attendance each period was 25 Cadets. Their interests

covered a wide range including caring for animals (snakes, gerbils, hamsters, guinea pigs, tropical fish), extraction of chlorophyll and energizing with light, incubation of eggs and examination of embryos, production and testing of oxygen, rocket fuels, preserving animal skins, distillation of coal, bacteria cultures, glass blowing and electronics.

Expenditures were \$50 for reference and source materials, \$250 for chemicals; \$20 for tools and \$175 for equipment which included tubing, glassware, instruments, cages and animals.

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Spring Sports Letters Given

School letters for participation in spring sports have been awarded in the Upper School.

Earning varsity letters in tennis were Arnaldo and Ernesto Anaya, David Arledge, Fred Johnson, Rich Nelson, David Stevens and Mark Thomas. Earning provisional letters were Benson Chapman, Gilbert Jamison, Jeff Lortz, Roger Paul, Marc Seiwert and Jeff Zuercher.

Earning varsity letters in golf were Curt Allen, Mark Huber, Randy Krueger, Dale Olson, Greg Paul and Rich Staats.

Varsity track letters were awarded David Borell, manager; Gary Cavey, Carlos Chocano, John Donati, David Dunn, Tracey Estell, Bob Furedy, Bob Hansen, Tchad Hart, Roy Knight, John Livingston, Steve Miller, Stephen Richardville, David Wasson and Bob Watkins.

Earning "B" team track letters were Ken Adkerson, Robin Bailey, Doug Bain, Mark Baker, Don Barbour, Chuck Hanna, Dan Lynch, manager; Terry Maul, Randy Miller, John O'Rourke, Ben Smith and Scott Wilson.

Tennis Made Debut as Varsity Sport

This year marked the beginning of tennis as a SJMS varsity sport. Fifteen Cadets tried out for the sport. The Cadets played against 14 different teams. Among these teams was Lindsborg and Abilene, who have been state contenders.

In the first year for tennis, Coach Paul Kellogg Jr., decided to schedule "B" team competition from the larger 2A and 3A schools. Coach Kellogg said, "The year proved to be most interesting as the Muleskinner netmen established themselves as worthy competitors."

At the post-season picnic, the team chose Fred Johnson as team captain and most valuable player.

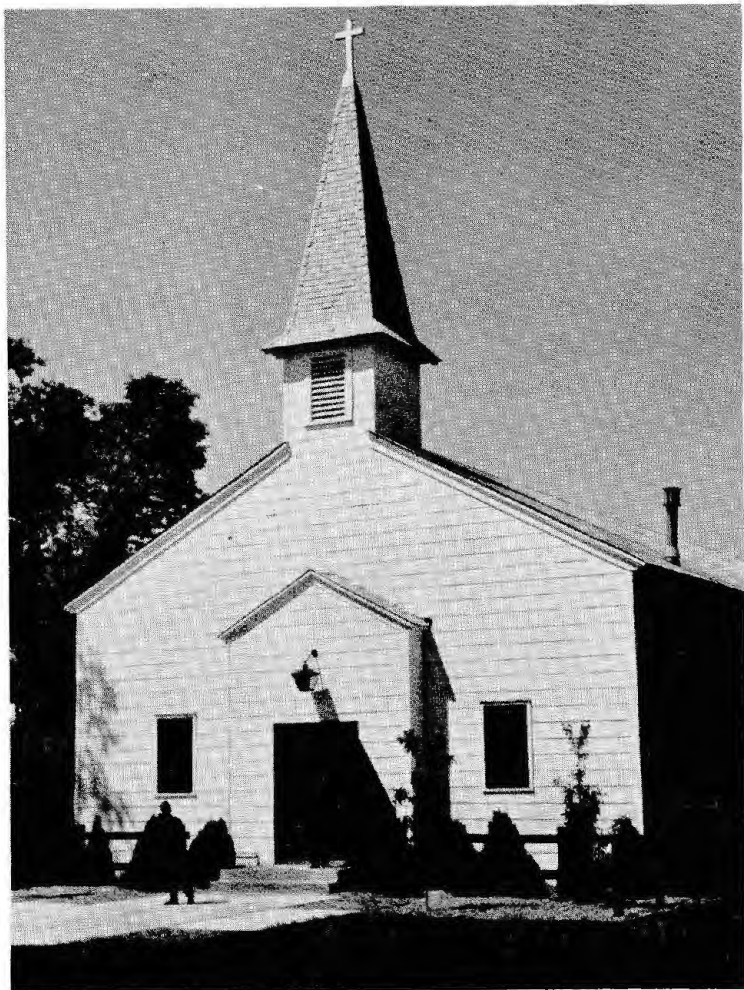
SJMS To Have Youngest Layreader In US

When School begins next fall, St. John's Military School will have two certified layreaders to assist with Chapel services, including the youngest licensed layreader in the country according to the Rev. Loyd Holifield Jr., Chaplain.

Gary Cavey and Greg Paul are taking the Layreaders' course and when completed will be certified. Paul will be licensed to preach and administer the chalice, the youngest in the country. Cavey will receive a layreaders' certificate.

The Chaplain said that the two Cadets will be authorized to assist in services not only on campus but in the Diocese of Western Kansas as well.

A FACE-LIFTING FOR ARMSTRONG MEMORIAL CHAPEL



Among recently completed projects on the St. John's Military School campus is the landscaping in front of Armstrong Chapel.

A complete new entry way will be completed in late May, as a memorial to the late H. Maud Beech, former Trustee, and given by M. Mollahan, of Wichita.

Plans for the installation of two stained glass windows at the side of the main entrance await a donor(s). The Rev. Loyd Holifield, Director of Religious Activities, has color renderings of the two windows prepared by a London firm. One is of the "Old Boy" shield and the other is the Church crest. Estimated cost of both windows installed is about \$2,000. Pictures of the proposed windows are on display in the Chapel foyer.

Golf Team Completes Play

The 1974 SJMS golf team participated in two dual matches and two tournaments. Coach Larry Lysell pointed out that this is the first year of regularly scheduled golf competition. He felt the team made an excellent showing considering the lack of experience.

The team took fifth in two-man, eighth in four-man, and seventh in six-man of the 13 teams entered in the Minneapolis Invitational, April 10. Medalist for St. John's was Curt Allen with a 92.

A week later, at the Herington Invitational, the team took fourth in two-man; sixth in four-man, and fifth in six-man in a field of 12 teams. Allen again was the SJMS medalist with a 90.

The team won a dual match against Ellsworth "B" April 22. Medalist honors went to Allen who shot an 88.

The last match of the season, with Abilene "B", was dropped by 10 strokes with Allen again taking SJMS honors with a 93. A return match with Ellsworth "B" was cancelled because of rain.

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SJMS Trackmen Win Meet Medals

The SJMS track team scored five points in the Bennington Invitational April 8 and placed tenth among the 11 teams entered. Gary Cavey placed fifth in the 100-yard dash with a time of 11.3 and placed fourth in the broad jump. Steve Miller placed fourth in the pole vault with a vault of nine feet, nine inches. Roy Knight qualified for the finals in the discus but did not place.

The medley relay team of Robert Furedy, Carlos Chocano, David Dunn and John Livingston placed fifth in the Tescott Invitational, April 23.

The freshmen and sophomores participated in the Eisenhower freshman/sophomore league meet at Clay Center April 30 with 14 teams entered. The SJMS team scored 24 points and finished fifth.

Cavey took first in the 100-yard dash; second in the broad jump; and third in the 220-yard dash. Steve Richardville placed second in the pole vault. David Dunn placed second to Cavey in the 100-yard dash. The medley relay team of Furedy, Dunn, C. Chocano and Livingston finished third.

In the Eisenhower West league meet at Bennington May 2, Cavey placed fifth in the 100-yard dash, and third in the broad jump. Richardville won third and Miller

fifth in the pole vault. The medley relay team of Cavey, Tchad Hart, Dunn and Livingston placed third with a finish time of 4:05.35. The 880-yard relay team ended fourth. Members of that team were Robert Watkins, Robert Hansen, Dunn and Hart. The mile-relay team of Furedy, David Wasson, Tracey Estell and Hansen finished fifth.

Cavey made it to the finals of the Eisenhower League meet in Clay Center May 4.

Coach Dale Mellon said, "We were a young team this year with four seniors, five juniors and 16 freshmen and sophomores."

The team voted Hart, senior and team captain, the most valuable player. He ran the 100 and the 220-yard dashes and the 220 in both the 880 and medley relays.

Coach Mellon was most appreciative of all those who were interested and supported the track team this year.

Receives Music Grant

Mark Huber has been awarded the Chapel music scholarship for the 1974-75 school year. Huber will play the piano for chapel services. He was selected for the grant after auditions. Others auditioning were Mike Beckley and Grant LaMora. Rich Nelson has been the Chapel musician this year.

Medal of Honor Winner Speaks to Cadets

S/Sgt. James L. Bonstell, a Congressional Medal of Honor winner, spoke to the Military II classes and to the 86th Corps of Cadets Thursday, May 2. He was a guest of the Corps for lunch. He was accompanied by Sgt/FC Hartman from the recruiting office of the Big Red One at Ft. Riley.

Latin Club Has Party

The Latin Club held a party May 7. Pizza was enjoyed at Panjo's pizza parlor and from there the group went to the home of Mrs. Mark Ramsey, Latin teacher, for the remainder of the evening.

Roger Paul was in charge of arrangements. Steve Miller is president of the Junior Classical league this year.

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Senior Dance To Be Outdoors

The Senior Bail honoring the graduating class of 1974 will be held outdoors this year on Saturday evening, May 18. The focal point for the party will be the Edith Jordan Fountain and the new Memorial Plaza.

Dancing will be in the formation area. The Crack Squad will drill in the area between Ferris and Nichols Halls. The Senior Receiving Line will be formed around the fountain.

The Band, Deep Creek from Manhattan, will be playing on the terrace in front of Griswold and Vail Halls.

NHS Has Picnic

The National Honor Society members enjoyed a picnic at the Evans pond, north of Salina, the evening of May 8.

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