



Bowers Named Commander

Wright Appointed As Exec; Other Assignments Are Made

Cadet First Lieutenant Francis Bowers was named Cadet Commanding Officer of the St. John's Cadet Corps by a special order Oct. 14.

Tea Dance This Saturday

A tea dance for the seventh eighth and ninth grade Cadets will be held from 2 to 4 pm Saturday, Nov. 14, in the Recreation Hall.

A group of 50 girls has been invited to attend.

The punch table will be decorated in a fall theme. Chaperons will be members of the Junior School faculty and Mrs. R. L. Guernsey, school social director.

A tea dance for Upper School Cadets will be held later in the year.

Several Attend C.A.P. Confab

Several St. John's faculty members attended the annual Kansas Wing Conference of Civil Air Patrol Nov. 7-8, at Hutchinson.

Attending were Capt. Eugene Beaver, Lt. Jim Maley, Lt. H. E. Nuss, Lt. Dale Browning, Maj. Keith G. Duckers and Cadet Lt. Francis Bowers.

Capt. Beaver was a speaker at the first general session.

The conference theme was "Have You Been Checked?". The theme was used to help motivate members to check themselves as C.A.P. members.

Board Approves Record Budget

A budget of \$224,689 was approved by the St. John's board of trustees at its quarterly meeting Nov. 6, at the school. This is the largest budget in school history.

Members of the board and their wives were guests at dinner. The meeting followed.

New board members are N. B. Butcher, Robert Worley, John Q. Royce, all of Salina, and Harry Lose, Topeka.

Cadets Watch As President Breaks Ground for Library

All St. John's Cadets were privileged to catch a good-long look at the President of the United States, Dwight D. Eisenhower, at Abilene, Kans., Oct. 13.

The President returned to his hometown to break ground for a new library to be built in his honor. The Library will house his military and presidential papers.

Arrives By 'Copter

A dash of excitement was added to the proceedings as the President and his party arrived in three helicopters. The whirly-birds landed just back

of the speaker's platform. The President flew to Schilling Air Force Base, Salina, from Washington D. C., and made the last leg of the trip by helicopter.

Following his speech about aid to under-developed countries, the President turned several spadefuls of dirt to mark the beginning of construction on the new building.

Little junior school cadets,

Joy In Defeat

There was some joy in defeat for the Oklahomans at St. John's following the defeat of the Oklahoma U. Sooners by the Nebraska Cornhuskers.

Col. R. L. Clem, school Rector, declared amnesty for the Cadet Corps in celebrating the occasion. Colonel Clem is a graduate of Nebraska U.

Oklahoma hadn't been defeated in the Big 8 Conference during 74 games. A team coached by Bud Wilkinson had never been defeated in the conference until the 25-22 upset pulled by Nebraska Oct. 31.

Cadets from Nebraska celebrating were Steve Erb, John Ditton, Leigh Gamble, Gerald Gillan, George Henninger, Don Kirchner, John O'Loughlin, John Wilson and Bill Wright.

In mourning were Allen Bass, Jim Fritchie, Steve Lobaugh, Dale Shutler and John Taylor from the state of Oklahoma.

"Miss Sound Off" To Be Crowned At Military Ball

A queen for the "Sound-Off," St. John's yearbook, will be selected within the next two weeks and crowned at the Thanksgiving Military Ball.

The young lady selected will be designated "Miss Sound-Off."

All cadets are urged to submit pictures of their girl friends to Lt. Rex DeRusseau, chairman of the event. Information to be included with the picture should give the girl's name, address and the name of the sponsoring cadet.

The queen will be crowned during the intermission of the Thanksgiving dance. Her picture will be featured in the 1959-60 issue of the yearbook.

"Miss Sound-Off" will be selected from the pictures by a prominent Salina citizen.

Miss Carol Eastman, Salina, reigned as "Miss Sound-Off" last year.

Rector Speaks

Col. R. L. Clem, St. John's rector, was guest preacher at the Episcopal Church in Scott City Oct. 18.

He was accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Clem.

Governor There

Other dignitaries appearing on the program were George Docking, governor of Kansas; Harry Darby, former U. S. Senator from Kansas, and Benjamin Fairless, retired president of U. S. Steel Company.

Hundreds Expected For Thanksgiving Fall Social Season Will Open With Military Ball on Nov. 25

Festivities for the Thanksgiving holiday season at St. John's Military School will begin with a Military Ball at 8 pm, Wednesday, Nov. 25 in the 4-H Building in Kenwood Park.

Hundreds of parents are expected on Campus for the two day holiday.

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S. J. Foundation In Annual Meeting

Parents and friends attending Thanksgiving festivities at St. John's are urged to attend the meeting of the Foundation at the Holiday Inn Restaurant at 8:30 a.m. Thursday. The St. John's Foundation is an organization of parents of Cadets and friends of the School who meet twice annually. Each year a project is undertaken. Dues are \$2.00 per year per family.

Crack Squad Makes Debut

The Crack Drill Squad, under the command of Cadet Lt. Francis Bowers, will make its initial public appearance of the year at Thanksgiving dance. The drill is scheduled for 8:00 p.m.

Among future drills being planned for by the Crack Squad is one at Wichita University on Jan. 30. The appearance will be between halves of the Wichita U.—Houston basketball game.

Plans are also being made for the Crack Squad to make half-time appearances at basketball games at Kansas State and Kansas University during the winter.

Well-Known Priest Preaches Here

The Rev. Bonnell Spencer, Santa Barbara, Calif., was a special speaker at chapel service, Wednesday, Oct. 21.

Fr. Spencer was conducting a preaching mission at St. Anne's Episcopal Church, McPherson, during the week of Oct. 18-24.

He is an author, Episcopal preacher and missionary.

The Crack Squad will make its initial appearance of the 1959-60 school year at 8 pm.

Following the appearance of the crack squad, the dance will begin. The dance will end at 11:30 pm.

An optional service of Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7:15 am, Thursday, Nov. 26, in Armstrong Memorial Chapel. Cadets and their parents are invited to attend.

The St. John's Foundation will hold a breakfast meeting at 8:30 am at the Holiday Inn.

The Service of Thanksgiving will be at 11:15 am, Thursday, at Christ Cathedral in downtown Salina.

The annual turkey dinner will be served at 1 pm Thursday in the 4-H building.

The holiday will end with taps at 9:30 pm Thursday. The regular class schedule will resume at 6:30 am, Friday, Nov. 27.

Classes will not be held Wednesday, Nov. 25, so that cadets may spend the day with their parents and friends. Cadets may be with relatives throughout Wednesday and Thursday, off campus as well as at the dance, service of Thanksgiving and dinner. No overnight passes will be granted.

Attendance by cadets at the dance, Thanksgiving service and dinner is required.

Nusses Attend Western Conference

Lt. and Mrs. H. E. Nuss attended the first western conference of the Secondary Education Board Oct. 23 and 24 in Colorado Springs, Colo., at the Broadmoor Hotel.

The Board is a large association of independent schools primarily interested in quality education and the improvement of instruction.

Mrs. Nuss attended sessions on English, foreign languages, fine arts and science. Lt. Nuss attended the sessions dealing with testing and counseling, athletics, and administration.

Mrs. Clem Hosts Wives at Tea

Wives of faculty members and women faculty and staff were guests at a tea given by Mrs. R. L. Clem from 3 to 5 pm, Oct. 22.

The tea table was centered with a bouquet of fall flowers. Mrs. V. B. Loy and Mrs. James Elmborg poured.

New Uniforms Look Sharp

New uniforms and "blues" arrived the weekend of Oct. 17. The utility jackets, a new item in the Cadet wardrobe, arrived 10 days later.

All cadets are wearing a new type dress uniform this year. The dress uniform is Air Force blue and is worn with a white shirt. The previous dress uniform consisted of light blue jacket with black trousers. The dress hat is the Air Force visored type.

The new utility jackets have leather sleeves with orange and black trim. Each name is embroidered on the jacket.

Key Club Will Induct New Members

New Key Club members have been selected and will be announced during intermission of the Thanksgiving Dance.

Officers of the club are 2nd Lt. Jim Brown, president; 1st Lt. Bill Wright, vice president; 2nd Lt. John Wilson, secretary; 1st Lt. Francis Bowers, treasurer, and 2nd Lt. Jim Howden, sergeant-at-arms. They were elected last spring.

Lieutenants Wright and Wilson attended a meeting of the downtown Kiwanis Club Oct. 27.

Capt. V. B. Loy is the new faculty sponsor this year. Bob McDowell is the sponsor from the downtown Kiwanis Club.

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Honor Roll

Steve Erb Tops In Junior School

Steve Erb, eighth grade, Omaha, Neb., was the only Junior School cadet named to the honor roll at the end of the first grading period.

Receiving honorable mention were Tom and John Tomson, Wakarusa, Kans., and Danny Miller, Denver, Colo. T. Tomson and Miller are fifth graders and J. Tomson is sixth grader.

A cadet must earn a grade of 90 or above to be eligible for the honor roll and 85 or better for an honorable mention.

Junior School Notes

By John Cusack

The Junior School had a hamburger fry, Wednesday, Oct. 21. Before the meal, we played football. Mr. Marlor and Lt. Maley were the coaches. We had hamburgers, baked beans and cookies. Capt. McCandless cooked the hamburgers.

The Junior School has been drilling on the manual of arms. Cadet First Class Steve Erb, and Cadets John Tomson, and Cadet Second Class Randy Hemala have been instructing.

Rick Taylor has been named an assistant floor officer.

The Junior School cadets go swimming at the Salina YMCA on Mondays and Thursdays. Lt. Maley drives the bus and directs the swimming programs. Races are run and water games are played.

The Flying Tigers team is in first place in the Junior School bowling program. The cadets bowl on Wednesdays.

St. Vincent's Guild Will be Started

A plan is underway to organize a chapter of the St. Vincent's Guild at St. John's, the Rev. M. Lester Harn, Jr., Chaplain, has announced.

This will be a guild for acolytes and Altar servers, and it will have certain activities in addition to serving in the chapel. Cadets interested in joining should see Father Harn. Meeting time is tentatively set for Thursday afternoons during the activities period.

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O'Fallon, Protz Head Upper School

Two new boys were named to the Upper School Honor roll at the close of the first grading period. They are James O'Fallon, Aurora, Colo., and Bill Protz, Carlsbad, N. M., both sophomores.

Earning honorable mention were Francis Bowers and Henry Brandes, Wichita; Richard Harper, Casper, Wyo.; Bill Beaver and John Bull, Grand Junction, Colo.; David Snow, Santa Fe, N.M.; Allen Stone, Hutchinson, Kans.; Ted Jones, Albuquerque, N.M. and Fred Lynch, Longmont, Colo.

Reading Program Is Underway

Programs to improve reading ability were started in sophomore and junior English classes during October.

The sophomores are using the Scientific Research Reading Laboratory to improve their reading. Mrs. A. Y. Hardy, English department head, said she used the laboratory last year and that the sophomores improved their total score an average of 22 points during the year. The total score includes vocabulary and comprehension.

"The important thing about the program," she said, "is that a student starts at his own individual level of reading ability."

The junior English classes are using "The Reading for Improvement" program. Students try to improve their understanding and comprehension during two 20-minute periods each week.

Approximately 80 students in English classes taught by Mrs. Hardy, Lt. Rex DeRusseau, and Maj. Keith Duckers are participating in these programs.

In the senior English classes, students use the study guide in the student edition of "The Atlantic Monthly" for reading improvement.

Mrs. Hardy said that there is required outside reading in all classes. The junior classes used the student of the "Readers Digest".

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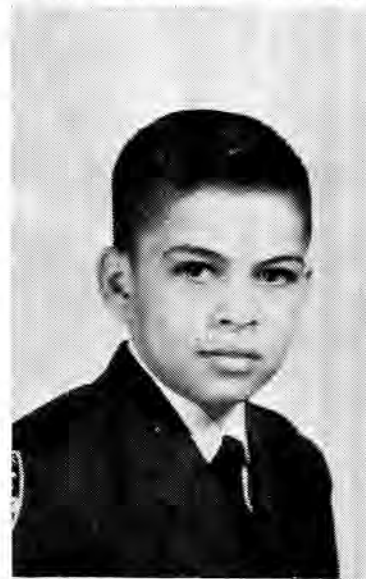
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George Hernandez New Boy of Month

The "new boy" of the month for October hails from the Junior School.

George Hernandez, 13, was selected by the Junior School faculty. He comes from Carlsbad, N.M., as did last month's new boy, Bill Protz.

Hernandez is one of a pair



George Hernandez

of brothers who are enrolled in the lower school. His brother, Tony, is an eighth grader. He is a sixth grader.

George and his brother keep the "sharpest", room in the junior school according to Capt. J. P. McCandless, school director.

G. Hernandez likes to lift weights and is quite a horseman. He has won four blue ribbons and one fourth-place ribbon for his riding.

He likes to hunt and fish and does a lot of both when he's at home.

Register Now For N.M.S. Tests

Juniors interested in taking the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test should register now with Lt. H. E. Nuss, Senior Master.

The test will be given at 9 am, Tuesday, March 8, 1960.

Students must be second-semester juniors or first-semester seniors at the time of the exam in order to be eligible. Students must pay a \$1 fee on the day of the test.

The tests are given each year by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation as part of the nation's largest independent scholarship program. Awards are granted on the basis of intellectual merit, but student financial needs determine the size of individual stipends.

After the test, each student will receive a folder that reports individual test results for comparison with scores of high school students across the country. Lt. Nuss said students may learn their educational strengths and weaknesses from the tests whether or not they plan to attend college.

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Juniors Take Prelim Exams

A group of 24 eleventh grade Cadets took the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Tests Saturday Oct. 24.

The test, offered by the College Entrance Board, was given at St. John's and was proctored by Lt. Dale Browning.

Taking the test were Jim Fritchie, Robert Poage, Kenneth Halama, Charles Sitler, Steve Lobaugh, Ted Bryant, Tweed Ross, George Fansler, Karl Sprague, Richard Harper, Gary Westover, Hank Brandes, Hilliard Griffin, John O'Loughlin, Nick Olmstead, John Dawson, William Knowles, Skip Cunningham, Tom Steele, Ted Jones, Merritt Morrison, Doug White, Jim Adams and Teddy Adler.

Results of the test will be available to each cadet and his parents in early December.

Eight Seniors Take A.C.T. Tests

Eight St. John's senior Cadets took the examinations in the American College Testing program Nov. 7, at Kansas Wesleyan University.

They are Eric Clutts, Mike Gaide, Gerald Brown, John Wilson, Truxtun Shreve, William Craig Thornton, Max Rutherford and Steve Smith.

The purpose of the American College Testing program is to provide colleges with specific, essential information about their prospective students in advance of high school graduation.

The tests cover English, mathematics, social studies and natural sciences.

The test will be given again in February. Interested students should see Lt. H. E. Nuss, senior master.

Fletcher Takes Annapolis Tests

Charles Fletcher, senior, Parksburg, W. Va., took a preliminary Civil Service examination Nov. 7, in order to be considered for an appointment to the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis.

The tests are used by the representative in West Virginia to announce his appointments to the academy.

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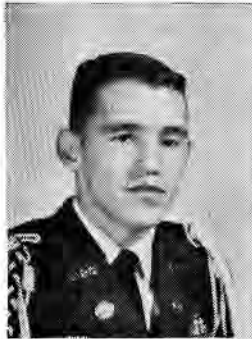
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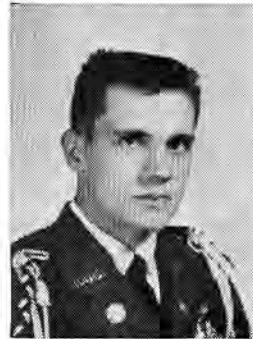
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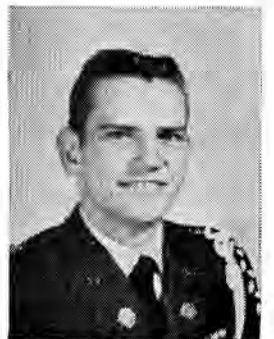
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Gridders Take It On Chin

ST. JOHN'S—0 DELPHOS—50
The Delphos Maroons made it four straight wins for the season by blanking the Cadets 50-0 at Martin Field Oct. 8.

It was the third shutout registered by Delphos, ranked fifth in the state among class BB schools, this season.

St. John's got to the Delphos one-yard line in the second quarter but failed to score.

Statistics

	St. J.	Del.
First Downs	6	13
Yards Rushing	100	329
Yards Passing	7	68
Passes Attempted	2	8
Passes Completed	1	4
Fumbles Lost	3	2
Punts-Average	2-18	1-40
Penalties	14	63.5

Score by Quarters

St. John's	0	0	0	0—0
Delphos	14	6	12	18—50

ST. JOHN'S—0 LUCAS—35

Lucas high school produced both a powerful ground game and a strong air attack to win its second straight decision Oct. 16 by blanking the SJMS Cadets 35-0.

It was the Cadet's fifth setback of this season.

Lucas poked out single touchdowns in the first, second and fourth periods and tallied twice in the third frame. Conversions followed each touchdown.

ST. JOHN'S—0

LITTLE RIVER—33

A fast-improving Little River team posted its second straight win by defeating the St. John's Cadets 33-0, Friday, Oct. 23.

The Cadets reached the seven-yard line of Little River in the fourth period but could not put together a final scoring thrust.

Statistics

	L.R.	St.-J.
First Downs	10	7
Yards Rushing	292	156
Passes Attempted	2	6
Passes Completed	1	3
Yards Passing	25	35
Intercepted By	1	0
Fumbles Lost	3	4
Punts	1	1
Punt Yardage	19	40
Penalties	55	30

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Score by Quarters

Little River	14	6	13	0—33
St. John's	0	0	0	0—0

MARQUETTE—13

ST. JOHN'S—6

Al Short, St. John's halfback cracked over from the one-yard line in the second quarter Tuesday, Nov. 3, to give the Cadets their first touchdown of the season.

However, Marquette went on to win the game 13-6 at Martin Stadium.

The cadets hit paydirt after a march of 75 yards.

Marquette came back to deadlock the game at 6-6 by halftime on a pass play. The Wolverines pushed ahead in the third quarter on a six-yard drive. They passed for the extra point.

In the fourth period St. John's drove 71 yards only to stall on Marquette's five-yard line.

Statistics

	St.-J.	M
First Downs	9	10
Rushing	145	199
Passes Attempted	6	4
Passes Completed	2	3
Yards Passing	45	29
Intercepted By	0	0
Fumbles Lost	1	0
Punts-Average	3-45	2-17
Penalties	10	25

Score by Quarters

St. John's	0	6	0	0—6
Marquette	0	6	7	0—13

VICTORIA—48 ST. JOHN'S—0

Victoria's Knights blanked the St. John's Cadets 48-0 Saturday night, Nov. 7, to post their seventh straight victory of the football season, at Victoria.

The defeat was the eighth straight for the Cadets and it was their final grid contest.

Statistics

	C	K
First downs	4	15
Yards rushing	74	373
Passes completed	2	0
Yards passing	21	0
Punts	5	1
Punt Average	30	15
Yards Penalized	20	55

Score by Quarters

St. John's	0	0	0	0—0
Victoria	21	0	7	20—48

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Jacob Rolls High Score

A special award will be given Herbert Jacob, freshman, Bonner Springs, by the American Junior Bowling Congress.

Jacob rolled a 225 score during one game bowling Nov. 2.

The Rebels Team has the season high score for three games with a 1683 score. The team also has the high score in one game with a 621.

Members of the team are Jacob, William Thornton, senior, Colorado Springs, Colo., and Allen Bass, junior, Oklahoma City, Okla.

Steve Smith, junior, Boulder, Colo., has the individual high score in a three-game series with a 505. Jacob has the high in one game with his 225.

Team Standings

Rebels	15	3	.833
Holy Rollers	13	5	.722
Panthers	13	5	.722
Bull Moose	11	7	.611
Falcons	11	7	.611
King Pins	10½	7½	.590
Los Chevers	9	9	.500
Beatnicks	7	11	.389
Pin Tigers	7	11	.389
Fly Boys	7	11	.389
Strikers	7	11	.389
Sons of the South	6	12	.333
Gutter Snipers	5	13	.278
Devils Disciples	4½	13½	.240

Wrestling Schedule

Wichita Kaupan	Nov. 23	H
Junction City	Dec. 1	H
Clay Center	Dec. 4	T
Douglass	Dec. 12	T
(tournament)		
Manhattan	Dec. 17	H
Wichita Kaupan	Jan. 8	T
Douglass	Jan. 9	T
Clay Center	Jan. 16	H
Douglass	Jan. 23	H
Junction City	Jan. 29	T

All home matches are at 7:30 pm in the gym.

Smith Named Bowling Secretary

Steve Smith, junior, Boulder, Colo., has been named secretary of the St. John's Upper School Bowling League.

He replaces Karl Sprague in that position. Sprague has dropped bowling to join the basketball squad.

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Cage Practice Is Underway

Browning Will Assist Elmborg

Basketball practice got underway on Nov. 12, with about 31 candidates reporting to head coach Capt. Jim Elmborg and assistant coach Lt. Dale Browning.

Elmborg is in his tenth year of coaching at St. John's. Browning, a former star cager here, is making his start this year as a coach. He holds the all-time one-game scoring record at SJMS of 34 points.

Candidates for the Cadet cage team this year include Karl Sprague, Jeff Lantz, Max Rutherford, G. R. Fansler, Bill Straub, Hank Brandes, Bob Coerber, Steve Lobaugh, Ted Bryant, Hilliard Griffin, Bill Thornton, Tim Arnett.

Bill Wright, Steve Ferry, Jim Howden, Chuck Flether, Charles Lee, Bob Wright, Pete Negron, Herb Jacob, Dave Gibbens, Butch Morrison, Francis Bowers, Bill Gibson, Richard Matix, Don Covert, Tom Banes, Al Short, Skip Cunningham and Nick Olmstead.

Cage Schedule

Assaria	Dec. 4	here
Gypsum	Dec. 8	there
Solomon	Dec. 11	here
Enterprise	Dec. 15	there
Brookville	Dec. 17	there
Kipp	Jan. 8	here
Woodbine	Jan. 12	there
Assaria	Jan. 15	there
Gypsum	Jan. 19	here
Solomon	Jan. 22	there
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Seven Seniors

Seven seniors played their last football game for the St. John's Cadets against Victoria, Saturday, Nov. 7.

They are Scott Tipton, Cheyenne, Wyo.; Francis Bowers, Wichita; John Wilson, Ralston, Neb.; Jim Howden, Albuquerque, N. M.; Bill Wright Hebron, Neb.; Mike Gaide, Pueblo, Colo.; and Charles Flecher, Parkersburg, W. Va.

"S" Club Holds Initiation

New members will be taken into the "S" club, St. John's lettermen's organization, at formal initiation ceremonies Sunday evening, Nov. 15.

The "horse-play" part of pledge week ended Wednesday Nov. 11. Pledges wore silly clothes and performed skits in the Mess Hall.

Pledges are Spencer Hicks, David Gibbens, Scott Tipton, Eugene Derr, Steve Lobaugh, Hilliard Griffin, Ray Daugherty, Doug White, Mike Gaide, Brian Curle, Hank Brandes, Bill Protz, Tom Steele, Richard Harper, Tweed Ross, Tom Banes and Skip Cunningham.

Elmborg Names 17 Cadets For Football Letters

Football lettermen were named for the 1959 season following the St. John's-Victoria game Nov. 7.

Capt. J. D. Elmborg, director of athletics, named 17 cadets to receive letters.

They are Cadet First Lieutenants Francis Bowers and William Wright, Cadet Second Lieutenants Scott Tipton, Mike Gaide, John Wilson and Jim Howden; Cadets Second Class Tom Banes, Al Short, David Gibbens and Doug White; and Cadets Steve Lobaugh, Henry Brandes, Richard Harper, Skip Cunningham, William Protz and Brian Curle. Cadet Second Class Hilliard Griffin received a letter as manager of the team.

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Applications must be returned by November 14. The mental examination is scheduled for December 12, and is open to all high school seniors who can qualify.

Male citizens between the ages of 17 and 21 are eligible. Approximately 1600 men will be selected for appointment and will enroll in one of the 52 colleges of their choice where a Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps Unit is located.

NROTC is maintained to train and educate young men for ultimate commissioning as career officers in the Navy and Marine Corps.

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— Promotions —

Three promotions were announced by special order on Oct. 14.

Cadet 2nd Lt. Francis Bowers, Wichita, and Cadet 2nd Lt. William Wright, Hebron, Neb., were promoted to the rank of Cadet First Lieutenant.

Cadet Thomas W. Baner, III, Albuquerque, N.M., was promoted to Cadet Second Class.

Halloween Party In Rec Hall

The school's social season was opened with a "tacky" party in the Recreation Hall Halloween night.

The "Rec Hall" was decorated with cornstacks and the traditional orange and black Halloween color scheme.

Attending the dance were Cadets, their dates, members of the faculty and their wives.

Half of Yearbook Sent to Printers

The first half of the 1960 "Sound-Off," St. John's yearbook, was mailed to the printers Oct. 29.

Included in the first section were individual pictures of cadets and pictures of the faculty.

Pictures of all cadets were taken Sunday, Oct. 18. Senior pictures were taken Tuesday, Oct. 27.

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USAF Band Concert Heard By Cadet Corps

A matinee performance by the United States Air Force Band was attended by all St. John's cadets Oct. 19, at Memorial Hall in downtown Salina.

The Cadets, wearing their new uniforms, marched to and from the concert. Because of their neat appearance and fine conduct, Col. R. L. Clem authorized the cancellation of all "squad." Those having no squad were given special passes.

Platoon Makes First Appearance

The Crack Drill Platoon made its first appearance of the year during Homecoming festivities at Kansas Wesleyan University.

The Platoon, under the command of Lt. Bill Wright, formed an honor guard during the crowning ceremonies for the 1959 Homecoming queen.

Declub Elects Officers for Year

Francis Bowers, Wichita senior, was elected president of the Decorating Club at a meeting Oct. 25.

Other officers are Frank Mau, Topeka, vice president; Mike Gaide, Pueblo, Colo., secretary-treasurer, and John Wilson, Ralston, Neb., reporter. All are seniors.

The club planned and did the decorating for the Halloween Dance, Oct. 31.

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