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## 80th Corps Prepares for Thanksgiving

### Parents To Come For Thanksgiving Festival

A large number of people are expected for the annual visitation of parents and friends during the two-day Festival of Thanksgiving at St. John's Military School, Nov. 22-23.

Parent passes will be granted beginning at 5:30 p. m., Tuesday, Nov. 21.

Parents are invited to visit classes without their Cadets and get acquainted with the teachers from 9 a. m. to 12 noon, Wednesday, Nov. 22. Conferences may be arranged with the instructors for the afternoon if desired.

A reception and get-acquainted coffee are scheduled from 2 to 4 p. m., Wednesday in the Spencer Cadet Center. Co-hosting the coffee will be members of the Denver and Kansas City Foundation chapters.

Formal dedication of the Spencer Cadet Center will be at 4 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. John Galen Spencer, Littleton, Colo., donors of \$20,000 toward the cost of construction, will be on campus for the event.

The "Miss Sound-Off" banquet is scheduled for 5:30 p. m. at the Heritage Room in downtown Salina. (See a related story elsewhere in "The Skirmisher.")

#### Military Ball

The Thanksgiving Military Ball will begin with the faculty receiving line at 7:30 p. m. in the 4-H Building, Kenwood Park. The Grand March has been scheduled for 8 p. m. The announcement and coronation of "Miss Sound-Off" will be at 9 p. m.

The first appearance of the 1967-68 Crack Squad, commanded by Lt. Jim Garvey, will be at 10 p. m. The dance will end at 11:15 p. m.

Activities on Thanksgiving Day will begin with a service

of Holy Communion at 7:15 a. m. in Armstrong Chapel. Everyone is welcome to attend although Cadet attendance is not required.

The annual meeting of the St. John's Foundation will follow a breakfast at the Ramada Inn at 8:30 a. m.

The 80th Corps will march to the Service of Thanksgiving at Christ Cathedral in downtown Salina. The service is scheduled at 11:15 a. m. with the choral parts of the service being sung by the St. John's Chapel Choir. The Rev. Richard Feallock, Chaplain, will be the preacher.

The traditional Thanksgiving dinner will be served at 12:15 p. m. at the 4-H Building, Kenwood Park.

The Thanksgiving recess will end with taps at 9:45 p. m., Thursday, Nov. 23.

The regular schedule will resume at 6:30 a. m., Friday, Nov. 24.

Col. Keith G. Duckers, Acting Superintendent, said that no overnight passes can be granted for Thanksgiving. He added that Cadet attendance is required at the Thanksgiving Military Ball, Service of Thanksgiving and the dinner. Cadets must also eat breakfast at the school on Thursday morning.

Col. Duckers added that Cadets may not drive cars unless they are accompanied by parents or an adult approved by the parents.



THE SPENCER CADET CENTER will be formally dedicated at 4 p. m., Nov. 22, during the two-day Festival of Thanksgiving at St. John's Military School. Construction was started before the close of the last school year and

the building was ready for use Sept. 1. The building was made possible by a \$20,000 gift from Mr. and Mrs. John Galen Spencer, Littleton, Colorado.

### 11 Cadets Get Shields Early

A group of 11 Cadets was selected for early examination for "old boy" promotions and successfully passed the tests.

Approved as "old boys" were Gary Ritnour, Steve Heywood, Doug Harwager, Kenneth Liebow, Ray Cox, John Thornburg, Marc Espinosa, Mike Gepner, Tom Byers, David Morrill and Richard Merritt.

The candidates were selected by the Company grade officers and approved for examination by a Cadet and Commandant's Section committee.

The rank of private first class goes with the winning of the "old boy" shields.

### Dedication Planned For Spencer Center

Formal ceremonies dedicating the Spencer Cadet Center have been set for 4 p. m., Wednesday, Nov. 22, during the Festival of Thanksgiving.

The building will be blessed by the Rt. Rev. William Davidson, Bishop of the Episcopal Missionary District of Western Kansas and president ex-officio of the St. John's Board of Trustees.

Acting as master of ceremonies will be Capt. Leo Ayers, Development Director.

On hand for the special occasion will be Mr. and Mrs. John Galen Spencer in whose honor the building is named. Other participants will be Col. R. L. Clem, Rector, and Col. Keith G. Duckers, Acting Superintendent.

Construction of the building began April 10 of this year and the building was ready for use by Sept. 1.

A financial grant from Mr. Spencer for \$20,000 underwrote the cost of constructing the basement area of the building. This area houses a six-point rifle range, armory, small arms locker, storage space and ROTC offices as well as seating room for 50 spectators for rifle matches. Mr. Spencer is a former trustee of the School and the Spencer's son, John Benjamin, is an SJMS "old boy".

The first floor is used as a recreation center with pool tables, billiards, snack bar and television area. The Center has been used for the following special events: faculty seminar, faculty get-acquainted party, Cadet dances, and the Halloween Howl.

The footings are strong

enough to support a second floor if one should be needed in the future planning of the School.

The Center is of red brick to harmonize with the other structures on campus. There are no windows and the building is centrally air-conditioned.

The 32 by 120-foot building is located north of the present gym and south of Nichols Dining Hall.

The project was undertaken by the St. John's Foundation at its Thanksgiving meeting last year. The Foundation pledged \$25,000 toward the project.

Busboom and Rauh Construction Company of Salina was the general contractor.

### Cadets Form Honor Guard

A group of Cadets assisted with the ceremonies crowning Miss Marymount at Marymount College, Saturday evening, Nov. 11.

The honor guard was commanded by Ed Polumbo. Members of the guard were Randy Flynn, Tom Byers, Ken Liebow, Marc Espinosa, Ray Cox, Ken Carmen and Mike Blanck.

The buglers were Gene deBeque and Mike Frow.

### "Miss Sound-Off" To Be Selected At Pageant

A Beauty Pageant will be held to select "Miss Sound-Off" of 1967-68 during Thanksgiving festivities at the School.

The girl selected as "Miss Sound-Off" will be featured as the queen of the School yearbook, "The Sound-Off" and will reign over the Thanksgiving Military Ball.

Cadets are being asked to enter their girl friends or sisters in the pageant. A personal data form and photograph must be submitted to the Administrative Assistant, Mrs. John Fonck, by 4 p. m., Nov. 20.

From this information, 15 finalists will be selected. The names of the finalists will be announced at 3 p. m., Nov. 22.

The finalists and their Cadet escorts will attend a formal banquet at 5:30 p. m. in the Heritage Room of the A & G Cafe in downtown Salina.

A panel of judges will select "Miss Sound-Off" and her two attendants at the banquet. Selection will be based on beauty, poise, personality, intelligence and special accomplishments.

The crowning of "Miss Sound-Off" and the attendants will be made at the Thanksgiving Military Ball.

To be eligible for the contest, a girl must be between 14 and

18 years of age; be enrolled in a junior or senior high school; be sponsored by a Cadet, and must arrive on campus not later than 1:30 p. m., Nov. 22.

The judges will be Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Vanier, Mr. and Mrs. John Ryberg and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Lynch. Mr. Vanier is a St. John's "old boy" and a former trustee of the School. Mr. Lynch is also a former trustee and was co-chairman of the drive to build Mize Hall. Mr. Ryberg is the son of a St. John's "old boy" and is active in the Salina Community theater and the Salina Community Singers group.



# The Mule-skinnner Club Supports SJMS Projects

An exclusive club, "The Mule-skinnners", was formed this summer under the direction of Col. Keith G. Duckers, Acting Superintendent, and Capt. Leo Ayers, Director of Development. Money raised through the \$100 membership fee will be used for capital improvements at the School.

Charter members of the club are Cecil A. Jordan, Col. Remey L. Clem, John H. Fonck, Colonel Duckers, Clifford J. Wertz, Charles J. Hedges, William W. Yost, Joe Rauh, Capt. Ayers, Capt. Jim Bell, Glenn F. Mason, Norbert Skelley, Frank Busboom, Herb Litowich, Kenneth R. Ryan, Burford B. Gage, Fred S. Haase, Howard B. Eagle, Rudolph Barta, Dr. Frank Cultron, George Keith, Calvin Stansbury, Gaylord Spangler, Dr. Ralph Hale,

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## New Assignments Made

Two new assignments were announced by special order, Oct. 23. Geogre Jenkins was named company commander of Headquarters Company with Allen Armstrong being moved to the Special Staff as postal officer.

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## Choir Begins Singing

The St. Johns Cadet Choir made its initial appearance during chapel service, Sunday, Nov. 5. A group of 15 to 20 Cadets are singing in the organization under the direction of the Rev. Richard Feallock, Chaplain. Mrs. Leo Ayers is the accompanist.

ert H. Worley, John J. Vanier, Jack K. Vanier, Jerry D. Vanier, H. D. Hale, Don McPhail, Emice Dyck, Arthur Brodine, Gus Thodis, Richard Barlow, Herschel C. Logan, John M. Peck, W. Ed Soldner, John H. Riddle, Ernest S. Hampton, Everett Langel, John Shaver, E. G. Anderson, John C. Ryberg, Glenn H. Bramwell, Dr. Ed Simmons, Rex Morris, Dr. Elden Miller, LCDR Hubert Nuss, James Knight, Kenneth Stephenson, Lt. Col. Paul Kellogg, Glenn Curry, Walton Ferris, Dr. S. C. McCrae, Lawrence O. Bengtson, Verne M. Laing, The Clinic of Doctors Dowell, Weber and Jackson, Frankl B. Stiefel, Milton I. Stiefel, Jack Beverly, Jr., Milton L. Morrison, L. L. McAnich, William C. Exline, Jr., Robert W. Exline, Douglas W. Exline, Q. A. Applequist, Douglas L. Joscelyn, G. N. Waddell, Lee Marshall, M. Clare Miller, John Graves, Bill Groves, Ben Sellers, Dr. O. L. Martin, and Dr. Jim Roderick.

Capt. Ayers added that any

## Old Boy Tells Vietnam Story

"Our accomplishments in Vietnam are not something you can see right away. It's going to take time," said former Cadet Al Ransom in a special assembly Oct. 20 in Armstrong Chapel.

Battalion commander of the 1955-56 Cadet Corps, Marine Capt. Ransom returned to visit the School after serving as a Marine aviator in Vietnam. He is a many-time decorated pilot who flew 208 missions in Vietnam, half of which were over the DMZ and North Vietnam.

Ransom spent the first six months of his tour as air liaison officer to Korean marines in Quang Ngai province. He spent the last six months at Chu Lai with the first Marine Air Wing where he flew the A-4 Skyhawk jet attack aircraft.

His highest awards are two Distinguished Flying Crosses for bravery in aerial combat.

Ransom has now been assigned to the Marine Corps Air Station at El Torro, Calif.

fathers of Cadets are welcome to join the new organization.

## Grading Period Honor Lists Announced

A group of 15 Cadets were named to the academic honor roll at the end of the second grading period.

They were Daryl Hampton, Bill Settle, Richard Heywood, Thomas Reynolds, Peter Gardner, Steven Blakemore, Joseph Grant, Robert Byers, Bill Collins, Jack Cairns, Dan Phillips, Jimmie Lee Armstrong, Michael Berbert, Kenneth Liebow, and Steven Verity.

Receiving honorable mention were Stephen Ankeny, Gene deBeque, Scott McKenzie, Mike Whipp, Bill Tinkler, Phil Hahn, Kenneth Paul, Bill Blomquist, Eric Funston, John Phillips, Richard Provost, James Garvey, George Jenkins, Thomas Byers, Douglas Harper, Tony Bell, Scott Chesbro, Roy Glinke, Jeff Woodall, Ron Robacker, Charles Cairns, Robert Rhodes, Joseph Martin, Michael Pierce, Gaylen Piercy, Lennon Ramsey, and Evan Gantz.

Paul Manbeck and George Tull were named to the honor roll in the Lower School.

Receiving honorable mention were Bartle Day, Gary Ritnour, Steven Kehmeier, David Earle, and David Phelps.

Daryl Hampton headed the academic honor roll at the end of the first grading period. Others named to the roll with averages above 90 were Steven Blakemore, James Garvey, Bill Collins, John Phillips, Tom Reynolds, Joe Grant, Jimmy L. Armstrong, Dick Heywood, Roy Glinke, Bill Settle, Steve Ankeny, Robert Byers and Dan Phillips.

Receiving honorable mention in the Upper School with grade averages above 85 were Scott McKenzie, Jack Cairns, Timothy Rademacher, Eric Funston, Gene deBeque, Steven Verity, Evan Gantz, Joe Martin, Kenneth Liebow, Bill Blomquist, Michael Blanck, Randy Flynn, Tom Byers, Wally Curry, George Dickson, Bob Donahue, Peter Gardner, Gaylen Piercy, Jeff Woodall, Larry Schroeder, Jack Rhodes, Oscar Olivo, Kenneth Paul, Phil Hahn, Robert Brassette, Scott Chesbro, Kent Tretheway, Glen Bouse, and Douglas Harper.

Receiving honorable mention in the Lower School were Paul Manbeck, Gary Ritnour, George Tull, Pat Blossom, David Phelps, Daniel Strance and Gene Strickland.

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## Development Director Tells The SJMS Story

The St. John's Military School story has been presented at a number of meetings by Capt. Leo Ayers, Development Director.

Capt. Ayers met with 23 members of the Kansas City Mothers' Club Oct. 19 at the home of Mrs. John Phillips in Kansas City. During the afternoon, Mrs. James Parker, president of the English Speaking Union, presented a British flag to St. John's School. The flag has never been presented to an American school before this occasion.

A ten-minute report on St. John's Military School was presented by Capt. Ayers at the Diocesan Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of Kansas in Topeka, Oct. 23. He urged the Diocese to consider establishing a scholarship fund to help a boy from their Diocese to obtain an education at St. John's.

A meeting of the Wichita chapter of the St. John's Military School Foundation was held on Oct. 27 in Wichita with Capt. Ayers attending. Mrs. Robert Armstrong was elected president of the chapter and Mrs. Drury Pierce was elected secretary.

Members of the planning committee were Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Pierce, Mrs. Robert Ellis and Mrs. Dick LaFoy.

The next day, Oct. 28, found Capt. Ayers attending the Convocation of the Episcopal Missionary District of Western Kansas in Hays. He discussed the building program at the School including the new Spencer Cadet Center and the future building needs of the

School. He moved that the report of Col. Keith G. Duckers to the convocation be accepted. It was seconded and approved.

The Rt. Rev. William Davidson, Bishop of the Missionary District, is president ex-officio of the St. John's Military School Board of Trustees.

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AN ENGLISH FLAG WAS presented to St. John's Military School at the meeting of the St. John's Kansas City Mothers Club. Capt. Leo Ayers, Development Director, is surrounded by (from l. to r.) Mrs. Donald McDow, mother of Cadet Richard; Mrs. W. H.

Merritt, mother of Cadet Richard; Mrs. Lowrey F. Anderson, mother of Cadet Meigs Logan, and Mrs. John Thornburg, mother of Cadet John Jr.

## "Halloween Howl" Enjoyed By Cadets

The Cadets consumed 50 dozen doughnuts and 20 gallons of cider at the Halloween Howl in the Spencer Cadet Center, Oct. 31. The evening started with "horror" movies in the gym and was followed by the party in the SCC.

Maj. V. B. Loy was in charge of the bingo board and was assisted by Tim Rademacher, Don Radtke and Tony Bell.

Cadet Maj. Bob Brassette ran the grill for the evening.

Pool players competed against Randy Flynn, the Rev. Richard Feallock, Jean Berbert, Bill Collins and Lt. Col. Paul H. Kellogg for snack bar coupons.

M/Sgt. Dwight Woodall acted as the floor man and umpire for various individual skill games. Winners were Ed Skaggs, Steve Verity, Rod Wakefield, Jean Berbert, Tom Ebbe and Billy Harrington.

Winning the "dunking for apples" contest were Dennis Liska, Dan Stance, Ed Skaggs, Bill Nemmers and Tom Byers. The second place team was made up of Mike Whipps, Wally Curry, Dick Dickson, George Jenkins and Harold Harris.

## Chamber Music Group Performs

The Resident Chamber Music Quartet of Kansas State University presented a concert Nov. 2 in Armstrong Chapel.

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Members of the quartet are Paul Roby, Clyde Jussila, Homer Caine and Warren Walker.

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Tickets for the various contests were sold by Capt. Leo Ayers and Capt. Harold Fraizer.

Winning the main door prize Donald Ware. The second prize winner was Oscar Olivo.

Members of the decorating committee Bob Donahue, Ed Mulford, Tony Bell, Don Radtke, Bill Collins and Jean Berbert assisted by Mrs. June Smith, snack bar supervisor.

Music was provided by the Mule Skinners combo.

Commended by the Commandant for their participation in working on the party were Steve Blakemore, Special Services NCO, and his staff of John Phillips, Dan Phillips, Donahue, Mike Hodgkin and Richard Woodsmall.

### L. S. Athletes Receive Awards

Lower School athletic letters were awarded to 17 Cadets for their participation in the Flag Football program according to Coach Fred Strathe.

Receiving letters were David Beedle, Mike Gepner, Mike Hilbig, Larry Kelley, Dennis Liska, Paul Manbeck, Elmer Pearce, David Phelps, Steve Quirk, Richard Royles, Dan Strance, Ed Skaggs, Gene Strickland and David Earle. Receiving provisional letters were David Reed and Randy Woods. Ronnie Kuehn received the manager's monogram.

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### Mule Skinners Play For Wichita Party

The Cadets' Mule Skinners combo played for the annual Jo-De-Ray dance at the Cotillion in Wichita, Friday, Nov. 3. The party is held annually for the Wichita members of Jobs Daughters, DeMolay and Rainbow Girls.

Members of the combo making the overnight trip were Bruce Barnes, Bob Dorman, Floyd Eckel, Gary Freeman, John Phillips, Joe Prestridge, Lennon Ramsey and John Thornburg.

The group received a special invitation to perform from the Potentate of Midian Shrine Temple, Kenneth Bumgarner.

### 14 Cadets Work In Clem Library

A group of 14 Cadets is working as student librarians in the Clem Library.

They are Bill Settle, Charles Cairns, Ben Davis, Steve Kathka, Dan Phillips, Larry Schoof, Dick Thompson, Bill Tinkler, George Ward, David Winn, Ronnie Kuehn, Paul Manbeck, Rod Wakefield and Mike Berbert.

### 7th, 8th Graders Visit Health Museum

The seventh and eighth graders from the Lower School made a trip to Halstead to the Health museum Friday, Nov. 10. The young Cadets heard a series of lectures on health and sex education conducted by doctors and nurses associated with the Halstead Clinic.

Accompanying the Cadets on the charter-bus trip was the Rev. Richard Feallock, School Chaplain.

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### Promotions

The commander of the 80th Corps of Cadets, Robert Brassette, was promoted to the rank of major recently. The battalion executive officer, Tim Rademacher, was promoted to captain.

New first lieutenants are James Garvey, Alvin Smith and Scott Chesbro.

Fred Roggee was promoted to the rank of staff sergeant.

Richard Provost was promoted to the rank of sergeant.

Several promotions were announced by special order.

Wally Curry was promoted to platoon sergeant.

New staff sergeants are Gene deBeque, Bill Goodro and John Phillips.

New sergeants are Bob Byers, Jack Cairns, Joe Grant and Doug Harper.

Promoted to corporals were Alan Davis, Bob Dorman, Mike Regan and Andy Scales.

Tony Bell was promoted to the rank of first sergeant.

Stephen Ankeny was promoted to the rank of second lieutenant. Roy Glinke was promoted to the rank of sergeant.

George W. Ward was advanced to the rank of corporal. Joe Suchecki was promoted to the rank of sergeant.

### Assembly On Army Careers Given

An assembly on Army Careers was presented Oct. 18 in Armstrong Chapel by Sergeant-Major Dobl. Arrangements for the program were made by Maj. Charles Buttermore III, Senior Army instructor.

### Pictures Taken

Individual pictures of senior Cadets and all other Cadets were taken Oct. 18 and 19. The pictures will appear in the yearbook, "The Sound-Off".

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## "Housekeeping" Awards Made

Bill Collins received the Room-of-the Week Award for the inspection period ending Oct. 28.

Receiving honorable mention for the same period were Riley Doing, Peter Gardner, James Chinnery, William Settle, Robert Dorman, Pat Dickerson, Bill Holloway, Jeff Broome, Peter Bulkley, Jack Cairns, Joe Ward, Richard Heywood, Chris Hollandsworth, Doug Harwager, Jimmie Armstrong, Gaylen Piercy, Tom Byers Gregory Berens, Joe Martin, Jim Harbison, Billy Harrington, Tony Bell, David Bercutt, David Sebring, Steven Blakemore, Roy Glinke, Bob Brassette, Scott Chesbro, Jeff Woodall, Charles Burrell, Mark French, Dan and John Phillips, John Ferraro, Gary Ritnour, John Stuart, Dennis Stewart and Perry Proffitt.

Pat Dickerson and Bill Holloway received the Room-of-the-Week award for the inspection period ending Oct. 21.

Receiving honorable mention in Sage Hall were Steve Heywood, Chris Hollingsworth and Doug Harwager.

Honorable mentions in Griswold Hall went to George Jenkins, Ron Robacker, Jeff Broome, Peter Bulkley, Bob Brassette, Scott Chesbro, Joe Suchecki, Andy Scales, Bob Dorman, Tom Reynolds and Steve Ankeny.

Dan Rosenthal, Ed Veazey, Jim Hilbig and Mike Hedglin received honorable mention in Mize Hall.

Receiving the Room-of-the-Week award for the period ending Nov. 4 were Riley Doing, Jim Chinnery and Pete Gardner.

Receiving honorable mention were Bill Collins, Bill Settle, Bartle Day, George Tull, Evan Pyle, Max Stella, Steven Blakemore, Roy Glinke, Steve Verity, Gene deBeque, Jimmie Armstrong, Gaylen Piercy, Jeff Woodall, John Stuart, Dennis Stewart, Perry Proffitt, Paul Manbeck, David LaFoy, Pat Dickerson, Bill Holloway, Jack Cairns, Joe Ward, Oscar Olivo, Kenneth Paul, Fred Meek, Craig Steele, Andy Scales, Allen Armstrong, Jackie Rhodes, James Hilbig, Mike Hedglin, Jim Garvey, Tim Rademacher, Tom Byers, Greg Berens, Ben Davis, Tom Reynolds, Ray Atkinson, Fred Rogge, Joe Suchecki and Greg Eslick.

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## Lower School Takes Flag Football Title

The Lower School flag football team took the championship of the Tri-County league by defeating Bennington 21-6, Oct. 26 at Bennington.

St. John's scored first on a safety when Paul Manbeck caught a Bennington player in the end zone. But Bennington scored a TD to go ahead 6-2.

Dennis Liska crossed the goal line in the second quarter to put the Cadets on top 8-6 at the half.

A revived and determined SJMS team took the field in the second half with Liska and Mike Gepner each scoring to make the final score, 21-6.

All team members got into the game.

A "B" team scrimmage was held following the first game with the junior Cadets coming out on top 7-6.

The St. John's Lower School

flag football team fought Sacred Heart in a defensive battle Oct. 7 to win 8-0. The game was played in the mud on a cold and rainy Saturday morning.

Cadet Steve Quirk burst through the line to block a fourth down punt. The ball rolled out of the end zone giving the Cadets a safety. Then in the closing minutes of the game, a double reverse sent right end Gene Strickland around left end and down the sidelines for a 50-yard touchdown. The point after the touchdown failed.

Coach Bill Austin said boys showing up well were Paul Manbeck, Strickland, Larry Kelley, Dan Strance, Elmer Pearce, David Reed, David Phelps, David Beedle, Richard Royles, Jim Hilbig, Randy Woods, Mike Gepner, Dennis Liska, Quirk, and Ed Skaggs.

## Bayonets Take Intra-Mural Flag Football Title

The Bayonets Intra-Mural team won the flag football championship by defeating the Jeeps in the final game of the season, Nov. 11. The Bayonets, coached by Capt. Leo Ayers and captained by Bob Brassette, went undefeated in seven games. The team won six and tied one.

The Grenades, coached by Lt. Col. R. L. Guernsey with Ed Greene as captain, captured second place with a 5-won, one-lost, and one tied record.

Members of these two teams will receive as their reward a trip to see the Kansas State University-Colorado University football game in Manhattan, Nov. 18.

In a special game played Sunday, Nov. 12, the Schilling Manor All-Stars defeated the Cadet All-Stars, 27-20.

The final league standings were:

	W	L	T
Bayonets	6	0	1
Grenades	5	1	1
Halftracks	4	2	1
Rifles	4	3	0
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## Rifle Team Being Selected

The Rifle Team is being organized under the direction of M/Sgt. Tom Watson.

Those firing to qualify for the team are Jim Chesney, Mike Hodgkin, Dennis Stewart, Donald Ware, Doug Harwager, Roby Anderson, Ed Mulford, Calvin Loper, Fred Meek, Clay Martin, Joe Suchecki, Jeff Broome and Mark French.

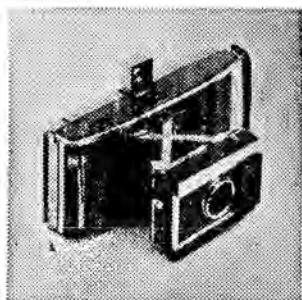
St. John's School has been invited to send a team to rifle matches at Leavenworth High School, Nov. 17-19 and to North High School, Denver, Dec. 6-8.

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## D & B Corps Marches In Special Parades

The Drum and Bugle Corps marched in the Lincoln, Kans., Mardi Gras parade Saturday, Oct. 28. The Corps was scheduled to participate in the Veterans Day observance at Beloit, Nov. 11.

The Cadets were invited to a "buffalo" burger feed hosted by the VFW following the parade.

Jean Berbert and Steve McConnell have been named the field majors for the musical corps.

## J. Phillips Receives History Award

John M. Phillips jr. was the recipient of the first American History award presented by the Kansas City chapter of the Daughters of American Revolution.

John, a senior, was a special guest at the presentation luncheon in Kansas City, Oct. 8.

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## Special Assembly Given

The Cadets enjoyed a special assembly presented by Garland Parnell and his troop of trained ring-tail monkeys and a Dalmation dog, Oct. 25 in Armstrong Chapel.

## Cadet Harbison Conducts Class

Cadet Jim Harbison recently conducted a class in physical science for Lt. Col. R. L. Guernsey. The classes are studying earth structure.

Harbison showed a series of colored slides made by his father and himself showing an erupting volcano in the Hawaiian Islands. The closeup photos showed a village being engulfed by molten lava.

## Color Guard Named

The official School Color Guard has been organized under the command of Mike Regan. Other members of the Guard are Randy Flynn, Jim Martinez, Clay Martin, Ray Cox and Russell Ranek.

## Old Boy Tests Set

The "old boy" examinations will be conducted by the Cadet Court on Nov. 19, 20 and 21. New boys may take the test. Passing of the exam entitles a Cadet to wear the "old boy" shields and to "old boy" privileges.

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