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## ARMY-NAVY CLUB ELECTIONS

Elmer E. Hill, Captain Army Club,  
Edwin Grant, Captain Navy Club

The regular annual election of new members to the Army and Navy Clubs took place on November 4th. First came the election of the two Club Captains, the old members of the two clubs separating into different rooms for the purpose of electing their respective captains. Elmer E. Hill was elected Captain of the Army Club with a majority of four votes over Condon, the second nominee; while Edwin Grant was chosen as Captain of the Navy Club with a lead of seven votes over Winger.

Both clubs then repaired to the assembly room for the election of the "new boys." The Navy had first choice. The following table shows the results and order of the elections:

NAVY (1st choice): Swimmer, Miller, Edwards, Gillin, Grayson C., Kotera, Noren, Miles, Pitzer, Clanin, Jamison, Crow, Johnston, Green, Riblett, Chenoweth, Doran, Bergren, Ripley E., Bendell, Bates.

ARMY (2nd choice): Shortt, Dixon Heaton, Linger, Jones R., Zellweger, Shaffer K., Foster, Thompson E., Rice, Shaft, Jones J., Ripley C., Jacobson, Wilson, Harman, Jackson, Starrett, Oakley, Abbott, Olmsted.

## THE SALINA GAME

The game with Salina High was played at Oakdale Park November 16, when cadets lost to their keenest rival in one of the most bitterly contested games of the season. By all the powers that be, St. John's should have won the game, as they ran up a total of seventeen first downs while Salina accumulated but three.

If the cadets had had the punch at the crucial times, the story would have been decidedly different, or if instead of passing at times when downs meant yards, they had used straight football. The game for most of the time consisted in a masterly punting duel, with Salina punting more often than the cadets.

In the first quarter each side held the other to a standstill, although St. John's managed to get into the enemy's half of the field for most of the

period. After the first quarter Salina missed tackle after tackle, and their failure to get downs under punts cost them dearly in yardage. Late in the third quarter Yeager, the Salina right half, intercepted a forward pass on the Salina 30-yard line, and with a clear field raced to a touchdown and victory.

From then on Salina put up a great defense, with St. John's hitting hard for a comeback. Finally Swimmer got around end for 25 yards and put the ball on the High School's fifteen yard line. Here Salina took a brace and held the cadets to a standstill; then taking the ball on downs they punted it out of danger. St. John's came nearest to scoring when Grant tried a place kick from the 30-yard line, which fell short several feet.

Winger was the consistent ground gainer for St. John's, with Swimmer a good second.

In the second quarter Salina lost an opportunity to score from a fumbled punt, but the ball was brought back for penalty on Salina for holding.

It was ideal football weather, and in the opinion of all who witnessed it the game will go down in history as one of the cleanest, hardest fought and most thrilling ever played in Salina.

The line-up:

St. John's		High School
Hill.....	LE.....	Anderson
Shiney.....	LT.....	Muir
Aldous.....	LG.....	Day
McCracken.....	C.....	Kane
Dixon.....	RG.....	Broman
Freeman.....	RT.....	Corporan
Dalton.....	RE.....	Nelson
Condon.....	Q.....	Gutsch
Lichty.....	LH.....	Reitz
Grant.....	RH.....	Yeager
Swimmer.....	FB.....	Brown

Substitutes: St. John's—Bowen for Hill; Winger for Lichty; Lichty for Winger. High School—None.

Score by periods:

St. John's.....	0	0	0	0
High School.....	0	0	6	0

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## THE HAYS GAME

We played Hays High at Hays, November 3rd. The home team kicked off, and after several long marches around end the ball is on the 10-yard line. Lichty made a pretty place kick at a dangerous angle. Hays again kicked and Grant took ball through to their 40-yard line. Line plunges and end runs netted a touchdown for St. John's. Grant carrying the ball over. Condon kicked goal for the extra point.

In the 2nd quarter St. John's kicked and Hays failed to make downs. The period was an exchange of punts, neither side making their downs. Wheeler D., received an injury and was removed, Aldous going to end and Bowen taking Aldous's place at guard.

In the 3rd quarter we kicked off, Hays receiving ball on 20-yard line. Hays made a pass which Swimmer intercepted. Swimmer succeeded in rushing over for a touchdown. Condon again kicked goal.

Early in fourth quarter St. John's by straight football made steady gains and put the ball over again. Lichty scored this time. He was replaced later by Winger on account of injury. After we had advanced the ball to 30-yard line Swimmer passed to Winger, who went over for another touchdown. By end runs and line plunges we succeeded in running the score up to 43 points before the whistle blew, the opponents' score remaining at 0. Players scoring touchdowns for St. John's were: Grant, Condon, Swimmer, Lichty and Winger.

During the second week in October, Mrs. Perkins suffered a sprained ankle, causing her to go about on crutches. She received this injury while watching a polo game. The ball was coming her way, and in stepping back she stepped into a hole, giving her ankle a rather severe twist. We are glad to say that she has now entirely recovered.

In order to provide sufficient stalls for the school ponies, a large barn has been recently built just west of the old barn. It contains fourteen stalls, and will provide warm comfortable quarters for the cavalry steeds.

### THE ARMY-NAVY GAME

The first and second classes of the Army and Navy teams held their first football contest on the school field November 12. The Army kicked off. A Navy man receiving the ball made a short run, the ball going down on the 20-yard line. Hyde made a good run and gained about ten yards for the Navy.

The Army received the ball and Bland made a fine run around right end striking out with all determination for a touchdown, but the ball went down ten yards from the goal line. Sawyer, A., took the ball over the line, but Heaton failed to kick the extra point.

The Navy received the kick off again, but did not make much headway, and after four downs the ball was again in the hands of the Army. Heaton, Bland and Sawyer all made good runs. Another touchdown was made by Heaton, bringing the score to twelve to nothing at end of the first quarter.

The second quarter started with the Navy fighting hard. Sawyer, A., found a weak spot in the line and took advantage of it promptly, running for a touchdown.

Three more touchdowns were made by Bland, Heaton and Sawyer, A., although no goal points were made. At the end of the first half things were looking rather dark for the Navy team, but their spirit never weakened.

Neither team gained much in the first few minutes of the third quarter. A pass was tried by the Army but was not completed. Soon, Sawyer started to pile up the score for the Army by making two touchdowns. One goal point was kicked by Heaton.

During the last quarter the ball was fumbled and Hyde recovering it, ran for a touchdown. This gave the Navy team new spirit, and both teams fought hard. In the last few minutes of the game, Heaton made a touchdown and also kicked the goal point. The game ended with a score of fifty to six in favor of the Army.

### ST. JOHN'S VS. LINCOLN CENTER

The Lincoln Center game was played on Wednesday, October 18, on the Wesleyan field. The team was thoroughly keyed up for the fight, and the whole school was especially anxious for the outcome, as the Lincoln team had built up quite a reputation, having among its victories won from a team that had beaten Ellsworth.

The first score of the game was made by Grant, who carried the ball over in fine style and then place-kicked the extra point. Lichty made some fine end runs early in the game and played splendid football throughout the game. During the second quarter

a Lincoln sprinter took the ball over, but failed to kick the additional point, leaving the score 7 to 6 at end of the first half. Winger made a fine end run in the 2nd quarter, and later, in the 3rd quarter, kicked a very pretty field goal from the 25-yard line. Swimmer played a stellar game throughout, making substantial gains every time he received the ball. No further score was made until just a few minutes before the end of the game when Lichty rushed the ball over. Winger kicked for the extra point, bringing the final score 17 to 6 in our favor. In the last quarter Lichty intercepted a Lincoln forward pass and carried the ball for about 38 yards.

Shiney played his usual solid game. Nothing could get past him, and nothing but the whistle could stop him, whether he was carrying the ball or both ball and opponent bodily before him. Grant also played a fine game as quarterback. This was a new position for him, and the snap and good judgment he displayed in his signal work contributed largely to the success of the team.

### ST. JOHN'S VS. ABILENE

Our game against Abilene was played on the Wesleyan field on Friday, October 13th, our line-up being as in previous games. A strong wind was blowing throughout the game. This was a hard fought game, and St. John's, remembering the result of last year's game, were fighting hard to win. Only two touchdowns were scored, one for each side, Abilene securing theirs in the first quarter. However, they failed to place-kick the extra point, although to the spectators it looked as though they made it. This left the score at the end of the game 7 to 6 in our favor, and there was great rejoicing on the grandstand when it was officially announced that it was not a tied game. Grant scored for the cadets and made his place kick. Dalton completed a nice forward pass from Winger and carried the ball for about 15 yards to a point only three yards from the goal line. Swimmer made some good long runs; and Condon made an excellent tackle, bringing down an opponent who had caught a forward pass and would have carried the ball over the line. As usual Shiney and Grant played a steady aggressive game.

On Thursday evening, October 5th, after the Solomon football game, Major Perkins invited the victorious team to his quarters, where they spent a most enjoyable evening. Delicious ice-cream and cakes were served.

### POLO

The new student activity introduced by Major Perkins this fall has proved very popular, and the cadets enter into the sport with the utmost vim.

Two Polo teams have been organized, as follows: 1st Team—Rae Woulfe, Stanley Gillin, Lyman Linger, Harvey Moe; Second Team—Thomas Conklin, Bruce Edwards, Jac Jones, Cecil Jacobson. Of those on the Second team, Conklin and Edwards act as substitutes in scheduled games. Follows an account of the first scheduled game of Polo in the history of St. John's, played against the Artillery of the National Guards, which game the cadets won by a score of 4 to 0. Major Perkins refereed the game.

Polo being a new sport in Salina, the game attracted a large number of enthusiastic spectators. Although neither players nor their mounts had had much time to train for the game, yet the first contest provided an exhibition of fine horsemanship and brought out some of the finer points of the game. The light ponies of the cadets gave them a little advantage over their opponents, who were mounted on the heavier artillery horses. For the Batteries First Sergeant Barth and Sergeant Kirtland deserve special mention for their fine plays; while among the cadets Woulfe, R., and Linger were conspicuous, the former for his splendid horsemanship and nifty plays, the latter for horsemanship and accurate shooting. The training these two cadets received on their ranches is, of course, responsible for their fine horsemanship.

The Teams were as follows: Artillery—1st Sergt. Barth, Sergt. Kirtland, Sergt. Bradbury, and Corporal Nelson. St. John's: Cadets Roe, Woulfe, Harvey Moe, Stanley Gillin and Lyman Linger. Cadet Thomas Conklin substituted for Sergt. Barth on account of the latter's mount being overheated. The game resulted in a win for the cadets with a score of 4 to 0. Both teams are very anxious for a return game in the near future.

The St. John's ponies were donated to the school last spring by Mr. R. B. Fegan, of Junction City, who recently added another fine pony to his generous gift of ten ponies. The saddles and riding equipment were the gift of another friend of the School, Mr. C. W. Lamer, President of the U. S. Farm Sales Co. of Salina.

During the time that Dr. McKnight was in the hospital as a result of his injuries to his head and ankle, Mrs. Ganssle and Bishop Mize very kindly took care of his classes. Mrs. Ganssle took the English classes, while the Bishop conducted the classes in Sacred Study.



**PHI DELTA SIGMA**

The Phi Delta Sigma Fraternity promises to be a most wide-awake organization in school this year. It has a very capable staff of officers, the Prime Convocator being Robert McCracken, the Vice Convocator, Elmer E. Hill, the Exalted Scrivener, Richard Poindexter, and the Grand Marshall, Gus Shiney.

Two honorary members were recently elected from the faculty: Captain F. C. Davies, and Major Roy W. Perkins. Both of these men are of inestimable value to the organization. Several new members have been pledged, all of whom are very prominent in school activities. With such a membership as is now pledged, the Phi Delta Sigma is bound to be one of the outstanding features of the school life.

**TENNIS**

Tennis is again coming into its own at St. John's. During the summer session a new court was laid out on the plot just east of the Junior School Building, and tennis was one of the regular afternoon activities. This fall several of the cadets have taken a lively interest in this sport, and another new court is in the making, adjoining the one made during the summer. Among those who have gone out most frequently for tennis have been Phillips, Doran, Oehlman, Riblett, Harris, Bland, and there are possibilities of developing a very good team.

**SENIOR CLASS**

The officers of the Senior Class were chosen at a recent meeting. E. E. Hill was elected President, and Gus Shiney, Treasurer.

The Class has ordered its rings from Jaccard's Jewelry Co., of Kansas City, Mo. These are of an attractive design in heavy gold, with the S. J. M. S. in gold on a black back ground. P. Members of the Senior Class are: E. E. Aldous, Harold Condon, Robert Dalton, Elmer Hill, Richard Poindexter, Gus Shiney, James Shortt, and Preston Hyde.

**VOLLEY BALL**

Among the activities engaging the cadets during afternoons this fall volley ball deserves an important place. This game is played on the old tennis courts south of the gym, and some lively contests have taken place.

Capt. Shideler was the recipient recently of a beautiful box of cut flowers, dahlias of various colors, which were sent to him by Mrs. W. G. Melton, a friend of his family living at Tecumsa, near Topeka. The flowers were in splendid condition when received.

**An Instructor and a Cadet in Hospital**

On Saturday, November 11, Armistice Day, Dr. McKnight received severe injuries to his head and ankle as a result of being struck by a taxi. The Doctor was returning to school with Hugh Pitzer, and at Elm street and Santa Fe crossing, Pitzer went back a little distance along Santa Fe, leaving the Doctor on the corner at the filling station. As Pitzer was about to rejoin him, the Doctor stepped off the curbing over a pool of water, and was struck by the taxi. He was immediately taken to Asbury Hospital, where an X-Ray showed that his left ankle was dislocated and the smaller bone broken, and his skull fractured. After the first setting of the ankle it did not reduce to the doctors' satisfaction, and the bone had to be reset. We are glad to report that the Doctor has been getting along very nicely and is now out and about, though still on crutches.

The other patient was Wheeler, D., who was suffering from a broken collar-bone, which injury he received in the Hays football game. His shoulder was not progressing as it should, and an operation was necessary. The union had to be strengthened by the insertion of a plate. The operation was successful and he was soon on the way to recovery. Dave went to Asbury on Thursday, November 9 and returned to school Saturday, Nov. 18, just in time for the Salina game. What hurt him as much as anything was the feeling that he could not take part in that game.

**SOCCER**

Soccer is another sport that has assumed a place among the regular activities this fall. Those cadets who do not go out for football, polo, volley ball or tennis, can get plenty of fun and exercise at this excellent sport, while at the same time gaining agility and ability to dodge and run "everlastingly," thus fitting themselves for football later on. A soccer field has been staked off just south of the football field.

**Famous Sayings**

Benedict Arnold: Shoot, if you must, this old grey head.

Adam: Cherchez la femme.

Noah: Water, Water, Everywhere.

Bryan: The drinks are on the house.

—College Humor.

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## NEW FEATURES AT ST. JOHN'S

Several new features have been introduced into the school life and routine this year. Among these, the complete separation of the Junior School department should be mentioned first. The smaller boys have their dormitories, assemblies and classrooms in the new building, and come over to the main building only for meals. This separation of the two departments has enlarged the capacity of the school to 130. The large room in Vail Hall formerly used as the lower school room is now used as a common recreation room for the high school department, and is equipped with games and furniture to make it a comfortable place in which cadets may spend their free time writing for the Skirmisher, or in various other forms of useful diversion.

Other new features this fall are polo and cavalry drill, mentioned in another column. These activities were made possible by the generous gifts of friends of the school, who have donated ponies and equipment for the use of the smaller boys. With Mr. Moe's pony and the additional one presented by Mr. R. B. Fegan, of Junction City, we now have twelve ponies. The polo and drills are directed by Major Perkins, the quartermaster.

This year a change has been made in the uniform worn by cadets, the former olive drab with high collared blouse being replaced by a new style uniform in the attractive forestry green color. The blouse is an adaptation of the style worn by the allied officers in the war, and has the more comfortable turn down collar, and bellows pockets. A distinctive and very attractive St. John's emblem is worn on the sleeve at the shoulder. The change of uniform also includes the replacing of the wrap puttees by leather puttees for all cadets, a feature that is immensely popular. The dress uniform consists of blouse, trousers and cap. The leather puttees are calculated to give the cadets more time in making the morning forma-

tions, and so reduce the number of reports for lateness.

## THE ORCHESTRA

The orchestra has been rehearsing regularly in Colonel Ganssle's quarters. It has not such a large membership this year, but under the able direction of Captain Davies, who is an accomplished and versatile artist, and intensely interested in orchestra work, it is a "peppy" and efficient organization, and is taking an important part in the school life. Captain Davies has had long experience in the work, and the fact that he is proficient on a number of instruments—he is equally at home on the saxophone, banjo, clarinet, piano and violin—adds greatly to the variety and quality of the music rendered. Captain Shideler and Frank Kotera, both splendid cornetists, and Jesse Crow, an accomplished violinist, are the other new members this year. Poindexter is holding down his old position at the piano in fine shape, and Captain Allen's cigar-box violin is again in evidence.

On Sunday, November 26th, the orchestra assisted in the special musical service at Christ Cathedral. The effect of the orchestra playing the hymns with the beautiful organ accompanying, was most pleasing.

## TWO MORE PONIES

St. John's has been the recipient recently of two additional ponies, bringing the total number of ponies donated up to twelve. One of the new ponies was given by Mr. R. B. Fegan, of Junction City, who was responsible for the beginning of our cavalry organization by his handsome gift of ten ponies last spring. The other pony was the gift of Mr. Fred Moe, father of Harvey Moe, who drove the pony eighty-five miles to Salina from his home in Scandia, Kansas.

St. John's wishes to express its hearty thanks to the donors of these two fine ponies.

## RADIO

The Radio fans report that the school set is in good order and going strong. Besides listening in on the broadcasts of the Salina, Kansas City, and other stations in the vicinity, they regularly receive concerts from points more distant, as Dallas, Fort Worth, Atlanta, Ga., Minneapolis, Minn., Davenport, Ia., and as far as from Schnectady, N. Y.

Schaffer, C., and Wheeler, D., our head radiolites, have succeeded in constructing a crystal receiving set which gives good satisfaction over shorter ranges. They contemplate making a larger vacuum tube set of long range after the holidays.

## ALUMNI NOTES

Makinley Wood is attending the University of Nebraska, taking a course in Business Administration.

Putnam, E., and Waldron Sanders have gone to Manhattan to the State Agricultural College. Ed. Sudendorf is an Aggie too, now in his sophomore year.

Donald Pattison is attending the College of Emporia. He visited Salina recently with the college football team when they played Kansas Wesleyan University, during which game Pat showed his old St. John's mettle and contributed towards the victory of his team.

Robert Cramm, brother of Ralph Cramm who was formerly a cadet at St. John's, visited the school on September 23.

Charles McKay, who was here formerly as a cadet with his brother William, paid a visit to the school recently. Charles is traveling for his aunt's company, The Sideway Carriage Co. (baby carriages a specialty) with headquarters in Chicago. (We trust this item will come to the attention of Clarence (Red) Weinberg.)

Frank Titzell is attending the High School in Jamestown, North Dakota. He is going out for football and has made the first team. He says he would like very much to be back at St. John's. We hope he will be with us again next year.

A. Gordon Oliver, Senior Captain 1918, and Beecher Hungerford, 1919, are continuing their courses at Michigan University this year. Both are members of the university chapter of Beta Phi Delta.

Norvin Gable (Gabbie-1916-18) former Senior Captain of St. John's Cadet Corps, wrote recently to say that he is on the stage, playing a week in Dayton, Ohio, in "The Nightcap." He is going on to New York, and we hope he will write again shortly telling his impressions of the Big City. St. John's wishes him every success in his new career.

St. John's recently enjoyed visits from Lawrence Bigelow (Biggy '21), Ole Sanders ('22), and Eliot Putnam ('22). Ole and Putty are still at the Aggies. Biggy was leaving for the east December 5 with Mr. Arthur Fagerstrom of Salina. It has long been his ambition to go east and get in touch with a firm doing business in South America, and he has gone to New York with that end in view. All at St. John's wish him every success in his new endeavor.

Cadet (writing home): How do you spell "financially"?

Roommate: "F-i-n-a-n-c-i-a-l-l-y" and there are two r's in embarrassed.

**BISHOP GRISWOLD'S VISIT**

On the morning of December 4th St. John's enjoyed a visit from the Rt. Reverend S. M. Griswold, D. D., of Chicago, who with Mrs. Griswold was visiting in Salina for the first time since he left this diocese seven years ago. Bishop Mize accompanied the visitor, and both entertained the faculty during the first part of their visit with reminiscences of the periods of their incumbency here in the past. It will be remembered that Bishop Griswold was in charge of the Missionary District of Salina and Rector of St. John's Military School from 1903 to 1916, and in introducing the Bishop to the cadets Colonel Ganssle told them that the Bishop had been mainly responsible for his coming to Salina to take charge of the school in 1915.

In the course of his address Bishop Griswold said he was very glad to see the school prospering so well. He spoke of the time when he was Rector, and said that St. John's was always close to his heart. He wished to stress two main points,—the importance of concentration, and the influence of habits. Too many people, he said, go through life mixing things up, paying attention to trivial, valueless things, and neglecting the more important things. Concentration upon the right thing at the right time is all-important. It is possible for a person to sit looking at a book for hour after hour and not understand or retain anything he reads. Work, real hard work, is absolutely necessary if we are to succeed in accomplishing anything worth while.

To illustrate the influence of habits, the Bishop told a story of a man who, in order to impress the lesson upon his young son, told him to go get a hammer and a big nail. These were brought and the father, pointing to a mahogany table with beautiful smooth polished top, told his son to drive the nail into it. The boy, of course, could not understand why he was told to do it, and no doubt thought something was ailing his dad; but on learning that his father had a real purpose in telling him to do it, and meant what he said, the boy began to drive the nail. "It was very hard work as the nail and hammer were big and the boy was rather small. However, with much effort he finally succeeded in driving the nail into the table top, right down to the head. Then his father said: "Now I want you to pull the nail out." The boy looked still more astonished, but anxious to get the task over, began digging with the hammer head. He could not get hold of the head of the nail. He scratched and dug with the claw for a long

time, marring the table terribly, and finally managed to dig his way under the head of the nail with the claw. Then it required much tugging with all his might to pull the nail out. Then his father said: "Son, now I want you to pull the hole out." Of course, this could not be done. His father then told him the reason for this experiment. The nail represents a habit, which is driven into our character by constant repetition or hammering. It becomes embedded, and though we may want to rid ourselves of it, it is no easy task to get the hammer claw under it and afterwards pull it out. Then, if we manage to get rid of the habit, there still remains the hole, or the influence it has had on us, which cannot be pulled out. A habit makes a hole in your life, which you cannot pull out, try how you will.

We should concentrate upon the things that are worth while, so that by giving no attention to worthless things, we shall not allow these to lead us into worthless habits. Only by cultivating worthwhile habits can we use our energy to the best advantage, save our time, and become more and more efficient in everything we do.

In honor of the Bishop's visit, classes were suspended for the rest of the morning.

**Stork a Frequent Visitor**

St. John's has been particularly favored this year by visits from The Stork. Three separate visits have been recorded since the opening of school this fall! A record, we believe! The home of our building superintendent, Mr. Bert Hughes, was first favored, his new little daughter Bessie May arriving on October 16. Next came Captain Shideler's turn, who surprised us all one morning by announcing the arrival of a daughter on October 21st. Her name is Evelyn Louise. The third visit was at the home of Captain A. A. Bailey on Walnut Street, when his first-born son and heir Arlo Harne made his appearance on November 13. Pretty good record in one term, eh?

The St. John's family heartily congratulates the favored parents, and extends a warm welcome to the new arrivals.

**THE CAVALRY**

The mounted section of the Cadet Corps are doing quite nicely in the daily cavalry drills. They receive instruction in the proper care and use of the horses. Linger, a member of the Polo team, had a nice fall recently, his horse rolling over with him two or three times. This meant little to Linger, and the way he acquitted himself showed how he has profited by his cavalry instruction.

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### A HOLIDAY

Friday, October 6 was a holiday at St. John's. School had been "on" nearly a month, and several of the boys, especially the new boys, were beginning to feel the need for a relaxation from the strenuous routine of school life, after having had the freedom of the summer. There had been the usual committee on holiday petitions to see Colonel Ganssle some time previously; but what decided the holiday was the fact that we beat Solomon the day before and that that particular Friday was the day of the Masonic ceremony of laying the corner stone of the new Masonic Temple. This latter event engaged several members of the faculty, Colonel Ganssle being Illustrious Potentate of Isis Temple; Major Wier, Captain of the Patrol; Capt. Shideler, member of the Shrine and Band; and Major Perkins also a Shriner.

In the morning, such cadets as had no detentions to work off were permitted to go to town and take an active part in the Masonic festivities as ushers and later in the day as waiters, which posts they were eager to take, and filled in a creditable manner (besides filling themselves). In the afternoon there was the football game between Ellsworth and Salina High, which was witnessed by many of the cadets. There was no study-hall that night, so altogether the boys had a real time, and were not sorry that the time for reveille next morning was advanced half an hour to 8 o'clock.

Granville Marts is now in California, his address being 1545 Linden Avenue, Long Beach, Calif. He writes to say that he is attending a big school there, but wishes he were back at old St. John's. To quote from his letter: "Will drop a few lines to tell you how much I wish I were back in school at St. John's, as there is quite a difference etc." "A person doesn't know a good thing when he has it" he says. He ran across our old friend Watkins in school, and often sees Christensen, who is keeping books for a paint shop there.

Marts would like to hear from any one at St. John's. He is working hard in school, carrying six subjects at day school and three at night, on three nights a week.

### GLEANINGS

(Definition of Romance Nations)  
"The Romance nations are Rome, Jerusalem, Antioch and Constantinople; so called because they are the ones that started the churches."

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When the other fellow acts that way, he is "ill-tempered;" but when you do it, it's "nerves." When the other fellow is set in his ways, he's "obstinate;" when you are, it is just "firmness."

When the other fellow doesn't like your friends, he's "prejudiced;" when you don't like his, you're only showing that you are a good judge of human nature.

When the other fellow tries to treat some one especially well, he is "toadying;" when you try the same thing, you are using "tact."

When the other fellow takes time to do things, he is "dead slow;" when you do it, you are "deliberate."

When the other fellow spends a lot, he is a "spendthrift;" when you do, you are generous.

When the other fellow holds too tight to his money, he is "close;" when you do, you are "prudent."

When the other fellow dresses extra well, his is a "dandy;" when you do, it is simply "a duty one owes to society."

When the other fellow runs great risks in business, he is "foolhardy;" when you do, you are a "great financier."

When the other fellow says what he thinks, he is "spiteful;" when you do it, you are "frank."

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Bowen: How's that?

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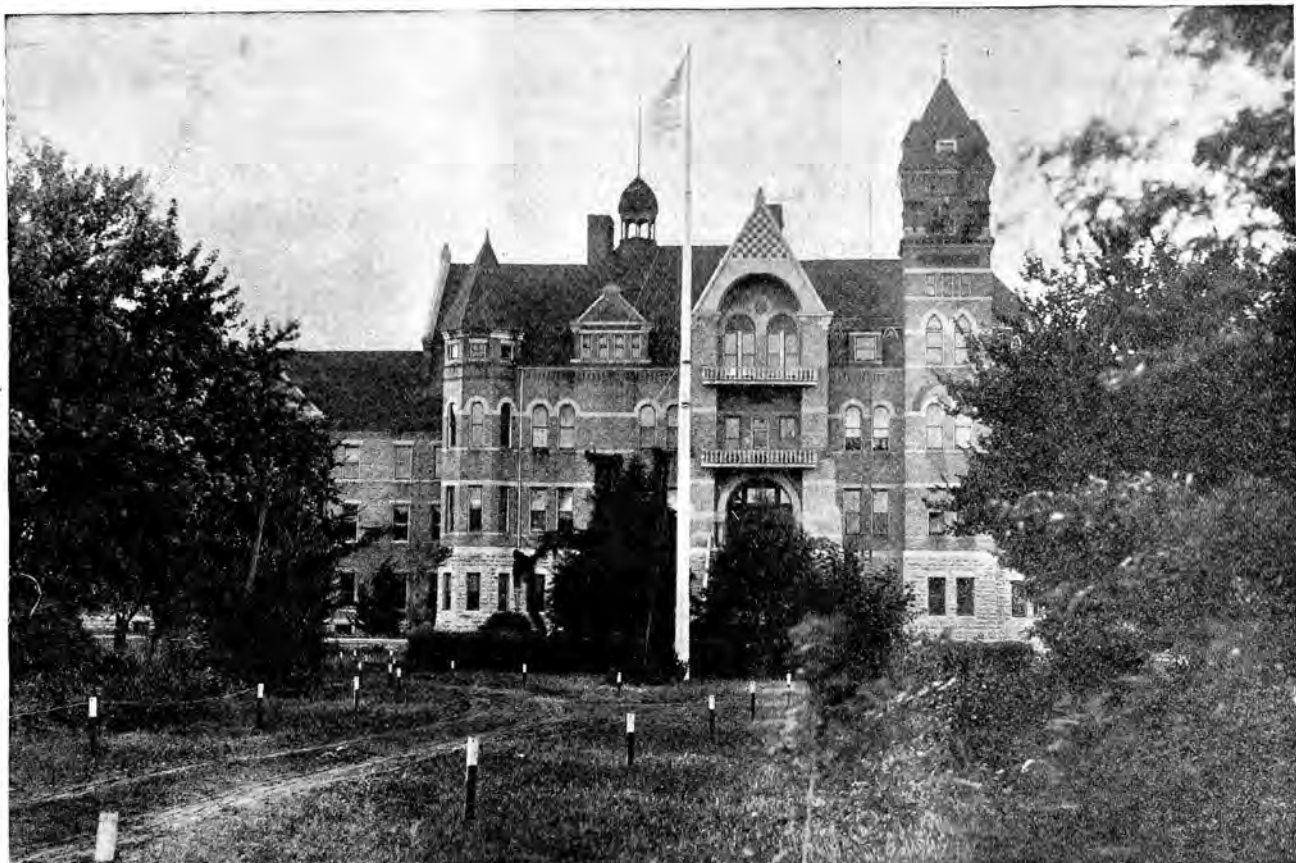
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