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THURSDAY, MAY 29th

9:00 a. m.—4:00 p. m.—Ninth Annual Field Meet between Army and Navy Athletic Clubs

5:00 p. m.—Military Ceremonies

9:00 p. m.—Senior Dance

FRIDAY, MAY 30th

11:00 a. m.—Commencement Sermon and Presentation of Diplomas

By the

Right Reverend Robert H. Mize, D. D., Bishop of Salina, Christ Cathedral, Salina, Kansas

3:15 p. m.—Battalion Parade
Presentation of Commissions and Warrants

3:30 p. m.—Band Concert

4:30 p. m.—Sham Battle

SATURDAY, MAY 31st

7:15 a. m.—Chapel Service

10:30 a. m.—12:00 m.—

Rifle Drills

Gard Mounting

Bugler's Contest

Extended Order Drill

Crack Squad Drill

Competitive Drill for
Commandant's Medal

Awarding of Athletic Trophies

12:00 m.—Alumni Luncheon

Awarding of Medals and
Scholastic Prizes1:45 p. m.—Lowering of Colors
at the Final Dress Parade**THE COMMENCEMENT
LUNCHEON**

On the morning of May 31, the last of the drills and Commencement exercises were held at Saint John's. It rained, of course, and the competitive drills had to be held in the dining room. At twelve o'clock the Alumni Luncheon was served in the Gym. The decorations that had been used for the Senior Dance were used again for the luncheon in addition to many clusters of garden flowers that were placed on the five long tables. The school orchestra furnished music through the various courses and led in the singing of the songs. In spite of the rain, many guests filled the luncheon tables and a spirit of good fellowship and success seemed to pervade the assemblage, making it, as it should be, the crowning event of the whole year.

After the desert, Colonel Ganssle acting as toastmaster, introduced the speakers of the afternoon. The presenting of prizes, trophies and medals was done by members of the faculty and prominent guests. Talks were made by Bishop Mize, Mr. W. W. Watson, Col. Fitzpatrick, Dr. O. D. Walker, Mr. Pete Richardson and Mr.

Harry Crooks. After the Bishop had finished awarding the scholastic prizes, the orchestra leading, every one sang Saint John's Forever and Till We Meet Again and the Rev. Dr. Charles McKnight pronounced the benediction.

THE JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM

Of all the parties of the year, the jolliest, perhaps, was the dinner-dance given by the Junior Class to the Seniors of 1924—on Saturday evening, May 31. Everyone forgot the rain and the excitement of Commencement and at seven o'clock sat down to a delicious dinner. Mr. Brown of Ellis whose orchestra played for the dancing after dinner, gave all the old favorite selections through the courses and waltzes and fox trots after each course. The Guild House was decorated with the colors of both classes and with various colored balloons. Printed on each place card was a canundrum. The answers were held by the Colonel and Major Perkins and much merriment was afforded by the reading and answering of the riddles. The Colonel and the Major, as usual, came in with some origi-

nal jokes that were better than the others and everyone was having the best of times by the time the orchestra began to play for the first dance. At eleven o'clock those who had to catch the midnight train for Denver said their good byes. The decorations were despoiled of the balloons and the last dance became a favor dance with the balloons as favors. As the strains of Home Sweet Home began to sound more insistent, those without balloons conceived the idea of popping the favors as they danced past the more fortunate couples. So a pleasant evening ended in a friendly rout of balloon breaking and laughter that saved the last farewell to Saint John's from being too solemn.

Those who attended the prom were:

Col. and Mrs. Ganssle
Major and Mrs. Perkins
Capt. and Mrs. Shideler
Capt. Barker and Miss Buell
Capt. McGrew and Miss Stevenson
Capt. Charboneau and Miss Perkins

Capt. Leisher and Miss Zimmerman
Major McWhinney and Miss Goodall

Capt. Freeman and Miss VanHorn
Capt. Shaffer and Miss Mitchell
Capt. Hoskinson and Miss Bruner
Lieut. Wheeler, D., and Miss Triplet

Lieut. Wheeler, C.
Lieut. Lieser and Miss Spence
Lieut. Conklin and Miss Austin
Sergt. McCracken

Sergt. Phillips and Miss Lepper
Sergt. Heaton and Miss White
Sergt. Brodie and Miss Conklin
Sergt. Wilson and Miss Hite
Corp. Bland and Miss Smith
Corp. Harris and Miss Eberhardt
Corp. Price, H.

Corp. Hartman
Prvt. Shields and Miss Smith
Prvt. Flanders
Prvt. Hutto

Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Putnam

Privates Johnston, Jamison, McIlhenie and Crooks of the lower forms acted as waiters.

THE SHOOTING

One of the features of the Commencement Luncheon was the report of Major Perkins concerning the results of the rifle practice held during camp on the Range at Bob White's farm. The Major said that the work this year was remarkable. Seventy percent. of the cadets firing the course, known as Course "D" made Marksman or better. The course is two hundred yards and each man fires 250 rounds. There are six positions, four in slow fire, prone, sitting and kneeling, and standing; rapid fire, prone and sitting. This year the course was fired under the new regulations of the war department which provide that Expert Riflemen must make 230 points out of a possible 250, Sharpshooter must make 219 points out of a possible 250, and a Marksman must make 198 points out of a possible 250.

The officers and cadets firing the course this spring with their scores are as follows:

Experts

Perkins, R. W., Maj., F. A. N. G.	238
McCracken, R. Cadet 1st Sgt.	236
Freeman, A. T. Cadet Capt.	231
Phillips, D. J., Cadet Sgt. Maj.	230
Swimmer, S., Cadet Corp.	230
Andrews, J., Cadet Pvt.	230

Sharpshooters

Hoskinson, W., Cadet Capt.	223
Wheeler, C. Cadet Lt.	223
Heaton, Hal, Cadet Color Sgt.	223
Johnston, D., Cadet Pvt.	223
Jackson, W., Cadet Corp.	223
Shaft, F., Cadet Corp.	222
Lieser, H., Cadet Lt.	222
Wheeler, D., Cadet Lt.	221
Wilson, Hal., Cadet Sgt.	221
Jamison, G., Cadet Pvt.	221
Manion, C., Cadet Sgt.	220
Doran, R., Cadet Pvt.	220
Blunt, C., Cadet Pvt.	220
Dickinson, L., Cadet Pvt.	220
Davies, F., Maj. Inst.	219
Edwards, Bruce, Cadet Sgt.	219
Liesher, F., Capt. Inst.	219

Marksman

Brodie, R., Cadet Pvt.	214
Hammers, L., Cadet Pvt.	211
Shaffer, C., Cadet Capt.	208
Hopper, R., Cadet 1st Sgt.	208
Barnett, D., Cadet Pvt.	208
Jeanen, P., Cadet Pvt.	206
Fuhrman, H., Cadet Pvt.	206
Price, H., Cadet Corp.	206
Schaffer, K., Cadet 1st Class Pvt.	204
Shields, D., Cadet Pvt.	204
Fisher, H. Cadet 1st Class Pvt.	204
Crow, J., Cadet Pvt.	203

McWhinney, L., Cadet Major	203
Harris, J., Cadet Corp.	202
Flanders, J., Cadet Pvt.	202
Hartman, L., Cadet Corp.	202
Berggren, W., Cadet Pvt.	202
Cronin, S., Cadet Pvt.	201
Utterback, W., Cadet Pvt.	201
Linger, L., Cadet Sgt.	201
Littlehead, L., Cadet Pvt.	200
Crooks, R., Cadet Pvt.	199
Farnsworth, K. Cadet Pvt.	199
Thompson, E., Cadet Corp.	199
Hutto, W., Cadet 1st Class Pvt.	199
Miller, N., Cadet Pvt.	199
McGrew, D., Capt. Inst.	199
Finch, C., Cadet Pvt.	198
Stone, S., Cadet Pvt.	198
Conklin, T., Cadet Lt.	198
Ripley, E., Cadet Pvt.	198
Barker, J. Capt. Inst.	198

The Camp was so late this spring that the scores could not be made up in time to have the medals to present at Commencement. They will be sent to Saint John's by the War Department and then forwarded to the cadets from the school.

TENNIS

The District Tennis Tournament was played May 10. Harris was eliminated by Abilene. Ribblett and Harris were defeated by Salina. Doran, one of Saint John's best players, was unable to play. The D & M Tournament is still being played. Schafer, K. was eliminated in the first round Doran has ben out in the early morning air perfecting an under cut stroke that is enviable. The boys should show up well in the coming games. The finals are not yet played off. The championship rests with Harris, Riblett, or Doran. St. John's court is in the best condition.

Tennis has already become established as one of the main sports in all institutions of learning. The value of this wholesome form of recreation cannot be underestimated. It is to be hoped that St. John's will turn out a larger coterie of racket wielders next year. It is up to you fellows. Get in the game. Tilden is out. There is room for you.

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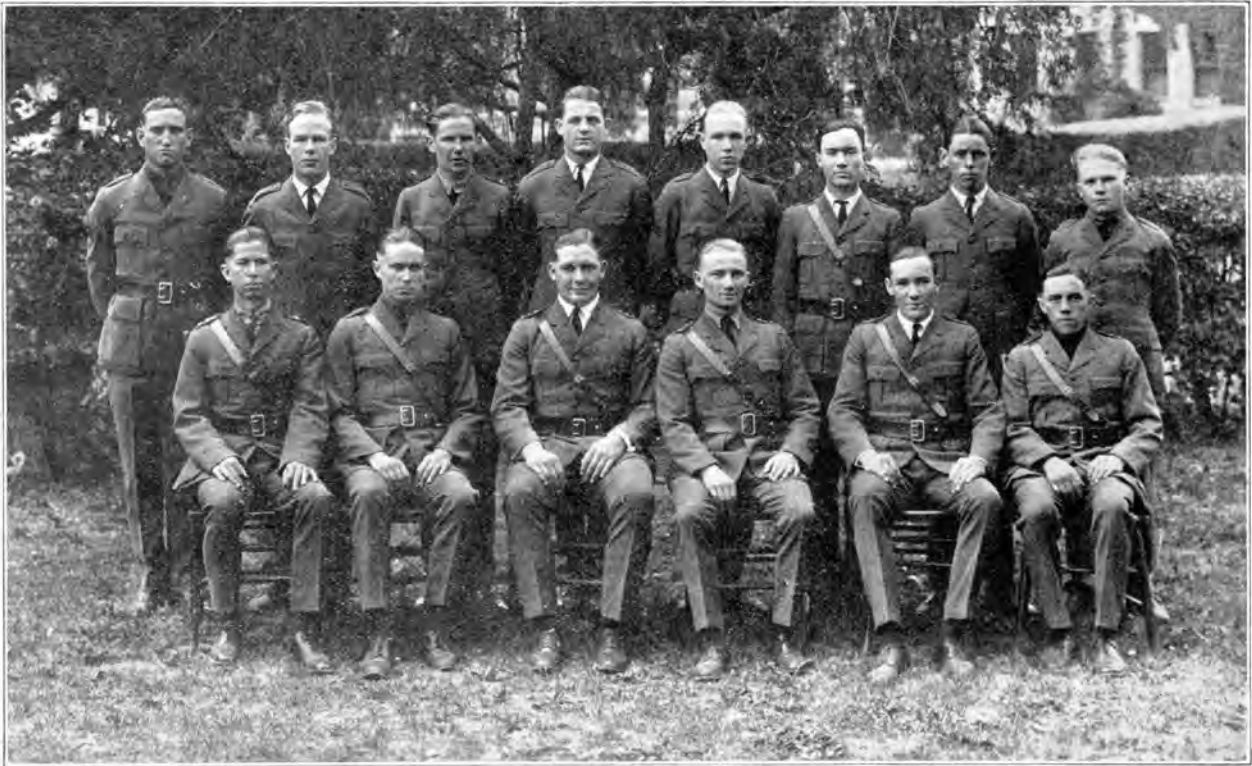
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SENIOR CLASS 1924

HONOR ROLL FOR THE YEAR

Upper School

Hoskinson	93.7
Wheeler, C.	91.93
Wheeler, D.	91.92
Wilson	87.9
Lieser	86.85
Phillips	86.83
Brodie	86
McWhinney	85.5
Linger	85.5
Jackson	85.4

Junior School

Miller, C.	88
Newton	84.1
Ripley, E.	83.73
Addis	83.7
Crooks	83.6
Thorn	83.4
Overton	82.5
Mourning	82.5
Pratt	82
Golike, C.	81

GLORY TO LIESER AND HARD
LUCK FOR PHILLIPS

Because of a mistake made in averaging the grades Dennis Phillips was awarded the cup in the Fifth Form for first place with an average of 86.83. The cup should have gone to Lieutenant Hugh Lieser whose grade was 86.85.

PROMOTIONS OF MAY 24

On the evening of May 24 a special parade was held and the following promotions were read off.

Cadet Hartman to be Cadet Corporal.

Cadet Bland to be Cadet Corporal.
Cadet Thompson to be Cadet Corporal.

Cadet Schafer to be Cadet 1st Class Private.

Cadet Hutto to be Cadet 1st Class Private.

Cadet Fisher to be Cadet 1st Class Private.

Cadet Blunt to be Cadet 1st Class Private.

PROMOTIONS OF MAY 28

On May 28 a special parade was held and the following named men were advanced in rank.

Sergt. Hopper to be 1st Sergt.
Sergt. Heaton to be Color Sergt.
Corp. Manion to be Sergeant.

PROMOTIONS OF MAY 30

At the Special parade at which the officials received their commissions, the following seniors were advanced in rank.

Cadet Wilson to be Cadet Sergeant.
Cadet Brodie to be Cadet Sergeant.
Cadet Corporal Shaft to be Cadet Sergeant.

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THE CLASS OF 1924

When a fellow comes to Saint John's he enters a new world and puts in most of his time the first year in finding just what nitch is most comfortable for him to occupy. There are no square pegs for round holes here. Each fellow must find his place and fit into the scheme of things at Saint John's. Sometimes it takes him all four years but he must get there. He begins to feel that he is part of the place, and the school profits by this feeling and learns to depend on him for loyalty and friendship. So at the end of four years when the fellow comes to graduate that feeling of loyalty and good fellowship goes with him and the school does not say "good bye we hope you have a nice trip" but it feels that a member of its family has started out for himself and follows his success with much pride or disappointment, as the case may be. This is the spirit of Saint John's. If you don't believe it just graduate and see.

The class of '24 is a fine group of men. Saint John's has maintained its high standard by their good work and application and advanced in all lines because of their being here.

Davis M. Bland, "Chief", Tulsa, Oklahoma; 7 years; Corporal; Army Club; Football squad 1920-1-2, Football Team 1923; Second Basket Ball Team 1922-3; Tennis Team 1923; Crack Squad 1922-3, Captain 1924; Skirmisher Board 1923-4.

Richard E. Brodie, "Dick", Wichita, Kansas; 1 year; Sergeant; Navy Club; Football Squad 1923; Skirmisher Board; Marksman 1924.

Thomas H. Conklin, "Chester", Los

Angeles, California; 4 years; Second Lieutenant, Quartermaster; Navy Club; Crack Squad 1922-3; Marksman 1924.

Jesse B. Crow, "Jess", Denver, Colorado; 2 years; Navy Club; Skirmisher Board; Violin Soloist at Commencement Exercises; Marksman 1924.

Albert T. Freeman, "Tolliver", Eldorado, Kansas; 4 years; Senior Captain Co. 'A'; Captain of Navy Club; Football Team 1921-2-3; Wrestling Team 1923; Track Team 1921-2-3, Captain 1924; Expert Rifleman 1924; Vice President, Athletic Board of Control, 1924.

Willis C. Hoskinson, "Hoskie", Turon, Kansas, 3 years; Captain and Adjutant; Navy Club; Skirmisher Board, Assistant Editor, 1924; Sharp Shooter 1924.

Reginald Hopper, "Iron Tail", Hutchinson, Kansas; 4 years; First Sergeant; Army Club; Marksman 1923, '24; Football Team 1924.

Lloyd A. McWhinney, "L. A.", Loveland, Colorado; 4 years; Cadet Major, Navy Club; Boxing Team 1922-3-4; Skirmisher Board 1922, '23, Editor-in-Chief 1923-24; Sharpshooter 1923.

Clyde N. Shaffer, "Gump", Casper, Wyoming; 4 years; Captain "B" Co.; Captain of Army Club; Football 1922, Football Team 1923; Skirmisher Board 1924; Marksman 1923, '24.

Forrest Shaft, "Forrest", Florence, Kansas; 2 years; Sergeant; Army Club; Sharpshooter 1923, '24.

Donald W. Shields, "Hoxie", Hoxie, Kansas; 3 years; Army Club; Skirmisher Board 1924; Marksman 1924.

Charles E. Wheeler, "Chuck", Hutchinson, Kansas; 4 years; First Lieutenant; Navy Club; Football Team 1923; Basket Ball Squad 1923, Basket Ball Team 1924; Swimming Team 1924; Sharpshooter 1924.

David A. Wheeler, "Dave", Hutchinson, Kansas; 4 years; First Lieutenant; Navy Club; Football Team 1922, Manager of Football Team 1923; Basket Ball Team 1924; Skirmisher Board 1924; Sharpshooter 1924.

Harold Wilson, "Hal", Valencia, Kansas; 2 years; Sergeant; Army Club; Crack Squad 1924.

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THE AWARDING OF MEDALS

Following the Alumni Luncheon the medals that are offered by the school were presented by members of the faculty and several of the guests.

Dr. McKnight presented the medal known as the Christian Manliness Medal, that is given each year to the cadet who by his example and conduct has exerted the greatest influence for good among the cadets. The choice of Captain Clyde Shaffer, this year, was a happy one as shown by the sincere applause that greeted the presentation. For both the faculty and students felt that as an example of sincere friendliness, manly courtesy and unselfish good fellowship they must turn first to our own "Gump".

The Thesis Medal which is given by the National Society of Colonial Daughters, Washington, D. C. was won this year by Edgar Thompson of Excelsior Springs, Missouri. This medal is given to the boy writing the best essay on any patriotic subject. This is the fifth year that a cadet has received this honor at Saint John's. Captain John F. Barker made the presentation.

First Lieutenant Wheeler, C., won the Athletic Scholarship Medal and received it from Mr. N. A. Barker who mentioned in presenting it that Charles, in addition to his high scholastic standing, had won a letter in football and one in basket ball. He had been on the relay team and in the swimming meet. He won the medal over his brother First Lieutenant Wheeler, D. by 1/100 of a per cent. in his general average.

The Athletic Medals, trophies, letters and ribbons were presented by Coach McGrew. The four medals, two gold and two silver, were presented to the cadets scoring the most points in their respective classes in the annual field meet. The medal in the first class went to Captain Albert Freeman. In the second class to Second Lieutenant Hugh Lieser. In the third there was a tie between Sergeant Edwards and Cadet Shumate. It was decided by the G. A. B. to issue two medals, one to each of the boys. The fourth class medal was won by Cadet Sammie Hickory.

The Tinsley C. Fry Athletic Medal was presented to First Sergeant Robert McCracken. In making the presentation Major Perkins said that in the judgment of the faculty McCracken by hard work and rigid observance of training rules and unflinching loy-

alty to every athletic cause during the year had well merited the award.

It was a great pleasure to have Colonel Fred Fitzpatrick among the guests and to have him make the presentation speech for the Commandant's Medal. This trophy is given each Commencement to the cadet ranking highest in the competitive manual of arms. Corporal Davis Bland received this medal and since Bland has been at Saint John's for seven years, it may well be said that practice makes perfect.

A new Medal was given this year for the first time. It is known as the Greatest Effort Medal and was donated by a good friend of Saint John's who does not wish his identity to be known. The award was made to Second Lieutenant Thomas Conklin as the one who, during the year, had tried hardest to do the thing that was right. The presentation was made by Mr. W. W. Watson.

Warren Utterback received the Sage Memorial Medal as the cadet who during the school year had made the greatest progress in all lines. Dr. O. D. Walker in a very graceful and amusing speech made the presentation.

The Bugler's Cup after a very close contest was won by Cadet Frank Whitehead and was presented by Mr. P. M. Richardson of Salina.

Saint John's makes an award, not unlike the Sage Memorial Medal, that is given to the cadet in the Junior School who in the judgment of the Faculty has made the most satisfactory record during the year. Cadet Robert B. Crooks of Denver, Colorado, won this medal and received it from Captain Shideler.

The Poindexter Cup which is donated each year by Mr. C. H. Poindexter of Kansas City, Kansas, was given to Davis Bland because of his interest and work in organizing and training the Crack Squad. Its success was due chiefly to Bland's leadership. Although not a new student activity, the faculty took great pleasure in making the award for the revival of an old one. Mr. Harry Crooks presented the trophy.

An interesting feature of the afternoon was the presentation of the Army-Navy Medal that is given each spring to the captain of the victorious club. The presentation was made to Captain Albert Freeman of the Navy by Captain Clyde Shaffer the leader of the vanquished club.

Major Perkins presented the cups

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given in the Horse Shoe Championship. The one in the Upper School was won by Corporal Lloyd Hartman and in the Junior School by Cadet Overton.

Bishop Mize of Salina presented the scholastic cups and prizes. He asked, especially, that he be told from which state each boy came because he always liked to gloat when he presented a prize to a boy from Kansas. However during the presentation it was discovered that the Colorado boys had the edge on those from Kansas and Oklahoma.

In the Sixth Form Captain Willis Hoskinson of Turon, Kansas, won the Cup with a grade of 93.72 and Lieutenant Wheeler, C., of Hutchinson, Kansas, won second with a grade of 91.93.

Lieutenant Hugh Lieser of Hutchinson, Kansas, won first in the Fifth Form with a grade of 86.85 closely followed by Sergeant Major Dennis Phillips of Denver whose grade was 86.83.

Sergeant Lyman Linger of Hooper, Colorado won the Fourth Form Cup with a grade of 85.48 and Sergeant Bruce Edwards of Denver received second with 83.98.

In the Third Form Corporal William Jackson of Canyon City, Colorado, won first and Cadet Clifford Craven of Jackson, Colorado, came second. The grades of the two boys were 85.44 and 84.92 respectively.

This year the Shell Forms were divided into two groups. Cadet Fred Newton of Hutchinson, Kansas, received the cup in the First and Second Forms with a grade of 84.1 and Edward Ripley of Salina, received second with an average of 83.73.

Below the seventh grade Cadet Miller, C. won first with an average of 88 and Golike, C., 80.98 was, given the second prize.

TWO NEW ARRIVALS AT SAINT JOHN'S

Robert Warnick from Lawrence, Kansas enrolled at Saint John's about May 1, just in time for the spring encampment. Robert is fourteen years old and comes from the Junior High School at Lawrence. He is a good possibility as an athlete in his class for next year as shown by his work in the Army Club track meet. He states that he will be back at Saint John's next year, full of enthusiasm.

Three days before the end of camp, John Gagan of Denver, Colorado, en-

rolled at Saint John's to be here for the end of the term and through Summer School.

PROMOTIONS

His Excellency, Jonathan M. Davis, Governor of the State of Kansas, through the office of the Adjutant General of Kansas, commissioned the cadets mentioned in the following order to be Cadet Officers in the Cadet Corps of Saint John's Military School.

Headquarters Cadet Corps
Saint John's Military School,
Salina, Kansas, May 30, 1924.

SPECIAL ORDER (No. 231)

Reposing special trust and confidence in the Patriotism, Fidelity, Integrity and Ability of the following named Cadets, they are hereby appointed as Commissioned Officers of the Cadet Corps in the grade set after their respective names:

To be Cadet Major—
Lloyd McWhinney
To be Captain of Co. "A"—
Albert Freeman
To be Captain of Co. "B"—
Clyde N. Shaffer
To be Captain and Adjutant—
Willis C. Hoskinson
To be First Lieutenant—
David A. Wheeler.
To be First Lieutenant—
Charles E. Wheeler
To be Second Lieutenant—
Thomas H. Conklin
To be Second Lieutenant—
Hugh Lieser

They are therefore carefully and diligently to discharge the duties of Commissioned Officers by performing all manner of things belonging to such office.

All cadets and N. C. O.'s under their command shall be obedient to their orders as C. O.'s according to their rank.

These Officers are to observe and follow such orders and directions as they shall from time to time receive from me, the superintendent or other superior officers set over them according to the rules, regulations and discipline of this school.

By order of Major R. W. Perkins,
Commandant.

L. A. McWhinney,
Capt. Commanding Bn.

Attest:

W. C. Hoskinson,
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CAMP

Saint John's had the best camp that the faculty and cadets have ever experienced, this year. The advance guard was sent out several days ahead with Captain Freeman in charge. Captain Shaffer and Sergeants Phillips, McCracken, and Edwards took out the tents and got them set up for the reception of the Cadet Corps. One May morning every one rolled up his blankets and tooth brush and at nine o'clock with colors flying, the battalion marched through Salina and out to Bob White's farm where the camp was situated.

The first three days at camp were exceptionally cold and everyone had just about decided that Sherman was right when the sun came out and assured perfect weather for the remainder of the camping period. The day began at six-thirty and ended at nine-thirty. Breakfast over each morning the Major took the firing detail for the day out to the range. After a reluctant pit detail had been sent off to manage the paste pot and the target and some straying member of the faculty had been argued out of his excuse and sent down to the pit with them, the shooting would begin, and continue till noon, and after lunch until six in the evening.

Bobby Linville was chief of the mess tent and aided by his three most able helpers, Jock Price, Lester and Stone produced good meals. The Mess formations were the most popular of all and cadets and faculty were always ready to partake of beans and peaches.

The camp might be said to have been full of enough pets to make a zoo. 'Rosie' with his lizzards and snakes had the best collection while Hartman might be seen Tarzanning up all the trees in frantie efforts to rescue an escaping "Ustedes". McWhinney tried to keep a dog to protect him from intrusion when he was taking his frequent siestas but it didn't work for "Bill" was too much interested in all that was happening and so he had to be taken back to town to his fair owner. Lasawee was likely to appear in the midst of a swimming party with a five foot bull snake in each hand and want someone to hold them until he could catch another one. Gump kept busy embalming snakes and adding to his collection of bugs and Hoskie was always sending to town for food for his squirrel. Herb. He said that he named it Herb

because it was the meanest squirrel in camp.

Many fishing parties occurred and some fish were caught along the river and eaten about midnight but if you want to hear a real tale of a midnight supper just ask Gump, Hoskie or Newton what kept them out till one o'clock the last night of camp.

SUMMER OCCUPATIONS

In a letter from Jackson he says that he is sleeping mostly and driving Fords from Denver for Wann Motor Co. We take off our hat to William for any one who can tame a Ford and sleep at the same time is good.

Fisher says that he is working. He cheered his family very much by carrying home an infected foot. It is well now.

Gump wrote that a pretty girl lives across the street from him. We began to think that the impregnable Casparite had fallen but on reading farther we saw that the lady drives a new Packard Eight. He has probably fallen alright, but there is some doubt as to whether it is for which or for whom.

Perhaps he sometime slipped a bit—
Well, so have you.
Perhaps some things he ought to quit—

Well, so should you.
Perhaps he may have faltered—
Why, all men do, and so have I.
You must admit, unless you lie,
That so have you.
Perhaps if we would stop and think,
Both I and you,
When painting someone black as ink,
As some folks do,

Perhaps, if we could recollect,
Perfection we would not expect,
But just a man half-way correct,
Like me and you.
I'm just a man who's fairly good,
I'm just like you.
But, thank the Lord, I've sense to see
The rest of men with charity;
They're good enough if good as me—
Say men like you.
—Doug Malloch, in The Crescent.

She—It's only six o'clock and I told you to come after supper.
He—That's what I came after.
—Barnacle.

Black—Niggah, how much you git-tin' fo' workin' heah?
Tan—Ten dollahs per.
Black—What, Ten dollahs per day?
Tan—Naw; perhaps.—Ranger.



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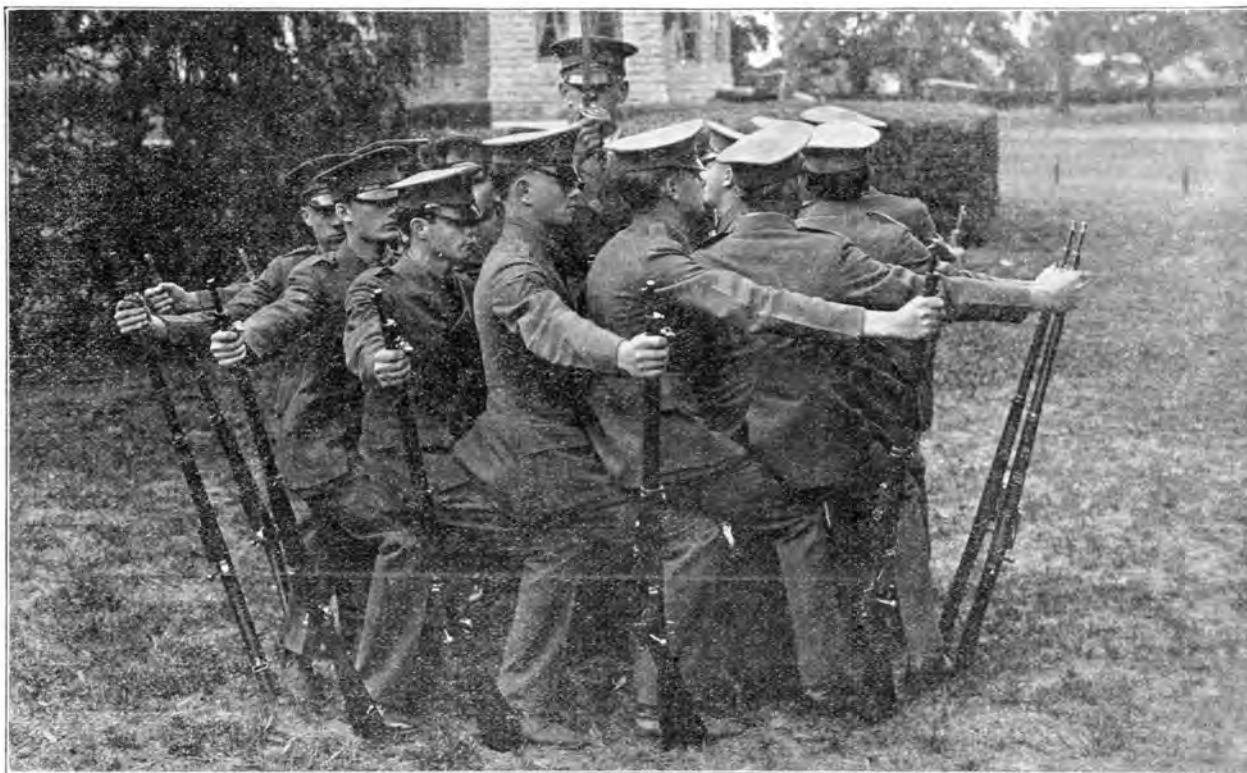
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