

St. Mary's 'Class of '50' Starts Year by Ordering Rings on Second Day

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Hiah! Now that the first few days of school are over, life seems to be settling into the old routine of classes, after-school cokes, Friday night dates, and weekends of fun. It's the beginning of another wonderful year.

School is work as well as fun, though, and sometimes difficult work at that. After the first few weeks our back-to-school enthusiasm wears off, most of us slip into the old "I'll get by" attitude and the grades take a drastic downward plunge.

It isn't the classwork, usually, that causes the trouble. It's just that we get careless about the homework. An assignment unfinished or poorly done has changed many an "A" to a lowly "C." So, if you want to see your parents bursting with pride at your report cards this year, you'd better start now to examine your homework habits.

Maybe you and the best friend do your assignments together. While you work you listen with one ear to Bing Crosby and you listen with the other for the ring of the telephone. You talk over last night's date between paragraphs of your English composition and when you get stuck on an algebra problem you adjourn to the kitchen for a glass of milk and a peanut butter sandwich.

This may be fun but it's not the way to a straight "A" report card and it doesn't leave much time for going out with the gang. If you'd rather get the homework over quickly, you might try a few simple suggestions:

1. Do as much of your homework as you can during your study periods at school. Most of us—for some unknown reason—would rather write letters in study hall and carry books home to study at night.
2. If you must study at home choose a quiet place in which to do it. Don't even try to study in the same room with your little brother and his "cops and robbers" friends.
3. When you've found the quiet spot gather everything you're going to need, books, paper, pencils, pen, ink, and an apple or two if you're the forever hungry type. If you do this you won't have to interrupt your work with a search for an eraser after you once get started.
4. It's better to study alone, but if a friend is with you, avoid the chatter until the last book is closed.
5. Stay as far from the telephone as possible. If you do get calls, make them short, and get back to work.
6. Turn off the radio. You may firmly believe that the noise helps concentration, but it doesn't. You can't possibly learn the Preamble to the Constitution and the words to "A Tree in the Meadow" at the same time, so don't even try.
7. Don't work too long on one subject or you'll get too tired to think. After a half hour of algebra, change to history and go back to the algebra later if you still haven't found what "X" equals.

When the homework is finally finished, then talk, turn on the radio, phone the gang, and start having fun. You can do it with a clear conscience knowing that you won't have jitters in geometry or hysteresis in history.

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class tomorrow because unfinished assignments hang heavy over your head.

It didn't take the junior class at St. Mary's long to get into the swing of things. The "class of '50" had their class rings ordered before the close of the second day of school.

Vacation for O'Neill high students lasted a little longer than that of St. Mary's and a lot of fun was packed into the last days. Marjorie Hungerford, Wauneta Anspach, Shirley Brandenburg, Marie Guthmiller, Doris Smith, Gordon Elkins, Chuck Marsten, Bill Rickly, Jim Bridges and Duane Miller celebrated the end of a long vacation Sunday with a very gay picnic at Long Pine.

Tomorrow night is the night of the week. There will be a formal dance at the Legion club. Alice and her orchestra will provide the music so don't miss it. See you there!

Eunice Crouch and Benjamin Blair Exchange Vows

At a quiet wedding which occurred at the Lutheran parsonage in Chambers at 9 o'clock Sunday morning, September 5, Miss Eunice Crouch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cough, of O'Neill, became the bride of Benjamin Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Blair, of Chambers. The double-ring ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. L. A. Dale.

The bride chose a street-length dress of white chiffon, fashioned with a fitted bodice and full gathered skirt, trimmed with dainty satin bows, and she wore a corsage of red carnations.

The bride's only attendant was Mrs. Orville Selder, of Omaha, sister of the bridegroom. Her dress was of blue crepe. She wore a corsage of white carnations.

Both the bridegroom and his attendant, Orville Selder, were dressed in dark business suits and wore white carnation boutonnieres.

The young couple left immediately for Omaha where they will make their home.

Gibson School Opens; Miss Boies Is Teacher

STAR—Miss Dona Boies is the teacher at the Gibson school, which began the 1948-'49 term on Monday, September 6.

Other Star News

Barbara Miller spent the past week with relatives at Walnut, Venus and Middlebranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Block and Radene spent Friday afternoon at the Ewalt Miller home.

Charles Cole and family attended the Holt county fair at Chambers Friday.

William Derickson and Mildred, Mabel and Sammie attended the Holt county fair at Chambers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewalt Miller and Arnold went to Belden last Thursday afternoon and were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cunningham. Mr. and Mrs. Vince Cunningham accompanied them to Belden and from there they went to their home in Lincoln on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cunningham went to Lincoln, also, to attend the state fair.

William Derickson and Mabel and Sammie went to Lincoln Sunday for the state fair.

Mildred and Mabel Derickson spent the weekend of August 28 at York at the home of their sister, Elroy Lieb, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewalt Miller and Miss Dona Boies spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Art Boelter. They went to get their daughter, Barbara, who was visiting there.

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23 Pupils Enroll in District 20

EMMET—Rural school district 20 at Emmet opened on Monday, September 6, with 23 pupils enrolling.

Miss Helen Martens, of Atkinson, is the teacher.

Other Emmet News

Charles Abart left Tuesday August 31, for Oregon where he will visit his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Al Henneglin, and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Abart, of Kansas City, Mo., and Carl Schultz, of Atkinson, accompanied him.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kloppenborg and Ruby and Donnie left last week to spend several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Pierson and Lee James, at Rawlins, Wyo.

Miss Frances Schula, of Omaha, spent several days visiting at the James O'Connor home. She also attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Henry Winkler.

Rev. John O'Brien, of Platte Center, visited Rev. Joseph Lane, on Wednesday, September 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foreman and Norma Lou and Jeanie Kay and son, James, of Colan, S. D., attended the funeral of Mrs. Foreman's brother-in-law, the late Frank Tomjack, last Thursday at Ewing.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Livings, of Omaha, are spending several days visiting at the Wayne Bates and John Kee homes. Mrs. Livings is the former Nadine Kee.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dailey left Sunday for Grand Island where they met their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Dailey, of Beverley Hills, Calif., who will spend several days visiting here. They attended the funeral of Mrs. John Dailey's brother, the late Joe Connelly, Monday, at O'Neill.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson left for Omaha on Friday where they visited Mrs. Patterson's uncle, who is ill. They returned on Saturday.

Caroline Skopec, of Stuart, spent the week visiting at the George Skopec farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tenborg, of Wallingsford, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tenborg, of Greattinger, Ia., arrived Saturday to spend several days visiting at the W. R. Tenborg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spatz, of Bruno, arrived Friday morning to visit at the Joe Winkler home and to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Henry Winkler. They returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Hyland, of Omaha, is spending several days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Tenborg, and Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Hickey and son, Robert, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom McDonald and family, of Boise, Ida., returned home Sunday after spending a week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dean Perry and family and other relatives at Randolph and O'Neill.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Beckwith and family arrived home after spending a few days vacationing in the Black Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. John Olson, of Palm Beach, Fla., and Mrs. Vera Plank, of Atkinson, visited at the William Tenborg home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fox and Steven visited Mrs. Fox's mother, Mrs. Kendall, and son, James, at Hastings over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. James Spatz, of Bruno, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Winkler were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Weichman, at Stuart.

Melvin Fox, of Atkinson, and Charles Fox are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ortwig, at Amherst.

Final Rites Held for Cpl. Deseive

ATKINSON—Final rites were held Monday afternoon for Cpl. Clayton Joe Deseive, who lost his life during World War II in an effort to save a comrade from drowning in the Pacific ocean off the coast of the Philippines.

Corporal Deseive, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Deseive, of Atkinson, was awarded, posthumously the Soldiers medal for heroism at Guam, Samar, Philippines, on March 21, 1945.

Services were held in the Methodist church at Atkinson at 3 p. m. Rev. W. C. Birmingham officiating.

The military rites were in charge of Farley-Tushla post of the American Legion.

The body was returned from Manila early in August aboard the Army transport Dalton Victory.

Atkinson business places were closed during the services.

Corporal Deseive's survivors, besides his parents, include a sister, Katherine; uncles, Joe and Edward Deseive, both of Atkinson; aunts, Mrs. Charles Cole and Mrs. Henry Dierks, also of Atkinson.

Pallbearers were: Roscoe Ames, Fred Brandt, John Billestein, Charles Weichman, James Kirkland and Duane Mathis.

Other Atkinson News

Mrs. Esther Harmon, of Chicago, Ill., is in Atkinson visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lane Griffin, also to get acquainted with the Griffen's new little daughter, Nancy Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Raymer and family attended a family reunion-picnic Sunday at the home of Mrs. Raymer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Nansel, of Genoa. Seven of the Nansel's 9 children were present: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Curtis and family, of Monroe; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Galus, of Columbus; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Raymer and family, of

and Mrs. George Sason and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Nansel, jr. and family, all of Genoa; Mike Nansel, jr., of Monroe; and Mike Nansel, sr., a brother of the elder W. Nansel.

Myron Collmer, jr., of Batesland, S. D., has come to spend the winter with his grandmother, Mrs. Agnes Collmer, and will attend St. Joseph's academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman McDaniels and Mrs. Julia Samples visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Corrigan at their farm home.

Jerry Judge, who spent the summer in Chicago, Ill., with relatives, is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Judge. Jerry will attend seminary school at Conception, Mo., again this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neuman, of Chapel; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cruse, of Kenesaw, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brinkman of Grand Island, are visiting in Atkinson. Mr. Neuman, Mr. Cruse and Mrs. Brinkman are former Atkinson teachers.

Hugh Burgess, his 2 sons and a daughter, of Mondamin, Ia., came Sunday to visit at

the home of his brother, L. F. Burgess. On Monday morning they left for St. Anthony, Ida., and were accompanied by Darius Burgess, of Atkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Humphal and children, Ruth and Edward, jr., went to Omaha last Thursday for a short vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tushla and Julia Samples were among those from Atkinson attending the funeral of Mrs. Henry Winkler in Emmet Friday.

Mrs. Ivan Dickerson and Mrs. Ernest Weller are taking care of the public library in the absence of the regular librarian, Mrs. George Frohardt who is on her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Hickok and Mr. and Mrs. G. Butterfield are vacationing in Kansas and Colorado.

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