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ST. MARY'S PLANS COMPLETE

Schools Announce Opening Dates; Faculty Complete in Most Towns

The school bell at the O'Neill public school will ring at 9 a.m. August 31. All students will register Wednesday. The freshmen students will return at 1 p.m. to take special tests for grade and section placement.

Grade school students will be dismissed at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 1. All high school classes will be shortened Thursday but the entire schedule will be covered. The full schedule will be completed on Friday for both high school and grades. No school on Monday, Sept. 5, Labor Day.

Milton J. Baack, superintendent, announced the faculty for the coming year today. Grade school teachers include Mrs. Harry (Grace) Peterson and Mrs. Gerald Langemeier, kindergarten; Mrs. Al (Catherine) Fritton, first grade; Mrs. John (Florence) Kersbrook, second grade; Mrs. Willis (Nyla) Sanders, first and second grade combination; Mrs. Wayne (Lorine) Smith and Mrs. Robert (Lois) Carroll, third grade; Mrs. Dean (Edna) Jeffrey, morning fourth grade; Mrs. Clara Harley, afternoon fourth grade; Mrs. Fred (Elizabeth) Ernst and Mrs. Wylene (Elizabeth) Speltz, fifth grade; Mrs. Leona Shoemaker, sixth grade; Mrs. LeRoy (Ruby) Holcomb, Mrs. Dean (Nona) Beckwith, Miss Helen Martens and Mr. James Luft, seventh and eighth grades.

The high school faculty: Vernon Carpenter, vocational agriculture and guidance; Donald Larson, commercial; Stanley Williamson, science and mathematics; Duane Miller, instrumental music and library; Gerald Hawley, mathematics, football and track.

Miss Alvora Ramm, vocal music; Donald Kokora, biology, social studies and assistant for football, basketball and track; Mrs. Harold (Eileen) Seger, English 9 and 10 and home economics; Mrs. Harvey (Lois) Tompkins, English 11 and 12 and French; Edwin Rech, mathematics, science and German; Charles Smith, social studies, basketball, assistant football and track.

St. Mary's . . .

Classes will begin Thursday, Sept. 1 at St. Mary's Academy. Registration for the freshmen and sophomore classes will be held Monday, Aug. 29 and juniors and seniors will register Wednesday.

The school year will begin Thursday, Sept. 1 with a special mass at 9 a.m. The school program will continue as in past years until the new convent and high school are ready for occupancy.

Clearwater . . .

Clearwater public schools will open for the 1960-61 term Wednesday, Aug. 31. This announcement was made by Supt. Casper A. Englehardt and the board of education. All classes will register.

Schools —

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Correction . . .

ATKINSON—Mrs. Robert Clifford of Atkinson is chairman of the publicity committee of the Nebraska Beef Council and it not the chairman of the council as was stated last week. Bill Schaffert of Dalton is chairman of the Beef Council.

Lynch Church Plans Dedication Rites

Dedication ceremonies will be held Tuesday, at Lynch for the new Assumption BVM Catholic church. The rites will begin at 10:30 a.m. followed by a dinner at 12:30. Rev. Charles Kamber is the church pastor.

Thieves Steal Number Of Antique Firearms

ROYAL—Thieves entered the farm home of Ernest Johnson sometime over the weekend and made off with a number of guns from his antique gun collection. Johnson, a collector of antiques and guns, could not immediately place a value on the loss.

Sister Carmela Enters Order of Saint Francis

Sister Carmela, OSF, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Coufal of Keresbrook, second grade; Mrs. Willis (Nyla) Sanders, first and second grade combination; Mrs. Wayne (Lorine) Smith and Mrs. Robert (Lois) Carroll, third grade; Mrs. Dean (Edna) Jeffrey, morning fourth grade; Mrs. Clara Harley, afternoon fourth grade; Mrs. Fred (Elizabeth) Ernst and Mrs. Wylene (Elizabeth) Speltz, fifth grade; Mrs. Leona Shoemaker, sixth grade; Mrs. LeRoy (Ruby) Holcomb, Mrs. Dean (Nona) Beckwith, Miss Helen Martens and Mr. James Luft, seventh and eighth grades.

Sister Carmela attended St. Boniface grade school in Stuart and graduated from St. Mary's Academy in O'Neill. She has been attending Regis College in Denver and has taught one



year at St. Elizabeth's school in Denver. She will return this fall to the St. Francis Mission in St. Francis, S. D., for her third year of teaching there.

Attending the religious profession were her parents, sisters, Connie and Maureen, brother, Joe, and Mary Coufal, all of Stuart, Mrs. Effie Kubart, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kramer of Atkinson, Rev. Francis Kubart of Clearwater, Bob Prange and Marion Jensen of Denver, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Thompson and Larry of Bassett.

During the same ceremony, Sister M. Mark, M. Sheitza, and M. Louise also pronounced their perpetual vows after having completed a probationary period of six years.

Security Agent Slates O'Neill Visit Wednesday

Gail H. Robart, field representative of the Norfolk social security office will be in the assembly room of the courthouse in O'Neill, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 31. Severely disabled people under 65 who have had at least five recent years under social security should inquire.

Services Set Saturday For M. Cavanaugh

Funeral services for Maurice Cavanaugh, 62, will be conducted Saturday, Aug. 27 at 10 a.m. at St. Patrick's Catholic church. Father Robert Duffy will officiate at the requiem mass. Burial will be made in Calvary cemetery. A Rosary will be recited 8 p.m. Friday at Biglins.

Maurice, son of Maurice and Mary Kegley Cavanaugh, was born at Falls City, May 14, 1898 and died August 24 at Falls City.

He was united in marriage with Edna Tweedy, January 4, 1922. The couple had eight children.

Mr. Cavanaugh was raised on a farm 12 miles south of O'Neill. Since marriage the family lived most of the time in O'Neill moving to Falls City five years ago where Mrs. Cavanaugh died in May, 1959. He had been in ill health since 1946.

Survivors include: Daughters—Richard Perry of Fremont; Madeleine Houser of Peshastin, Wash.; Mrs. Henry Kuhlani of O'Neill and Mrs. Carl Lech of Atkinson. Sons—Maurice Cavanaugh Jr., of O'Neill; Quentin and Marvin Cavanaugh, both of Lincoln. Two brothers, Charles of Chambers and James of O'Neill and a sister, Mrs. Margaret Hatton of Oakland, Calif., also survive.

Services Held At Amelia For Richard Kaiser

Richard Kaiser, 82, longtime Chambers resident, died Tuesday, Aug. 16 at Burwell. Mr. Kaiser, the son of Herman and Augusta Kaiser, was born in Germany September 27, 1877.

On December 24, 1903, he was married to Myrtle Mae Thompson at Amelia. They moved to their homestead near Swan Lake where they lived until a few years ago when ill health forced them to move to Burwell.

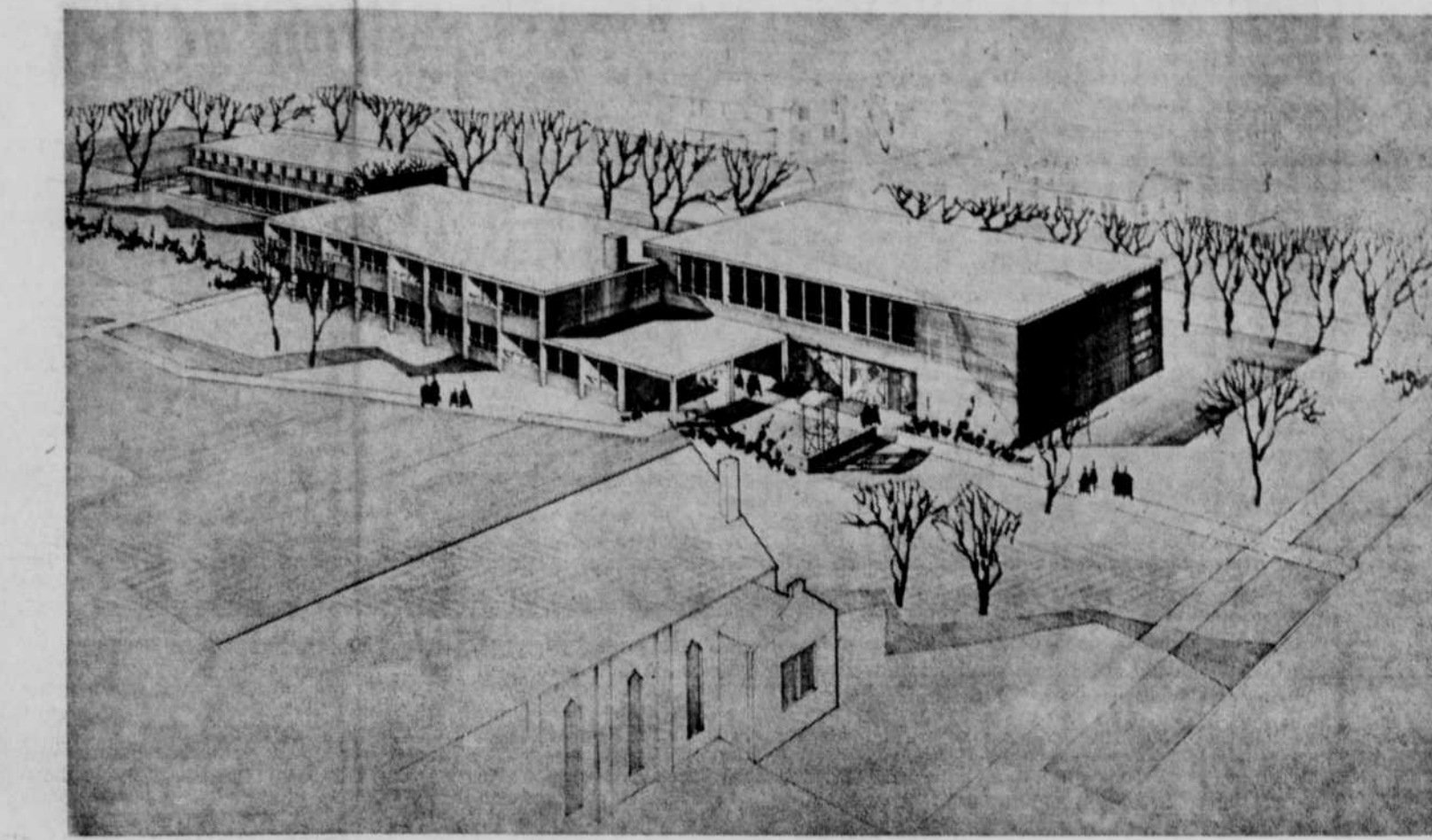
They became the parents of six children. His wife, Myrtle and two sons, Lloyd and Louis preceded him in death.

Survivors include: Sons, Chester, Vern and Arthur, all of Hardin, Mont.; daughter, Mrs. Helen Whitcomb of Amelia, 15 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Friday, Aug. 19 at the Amelia Methodist church with Rev. Charles Cox officiating.

Palbearers were Claude Lierman, Asa Watson, Carl Schade, Stanley Thompson, Lawrence Thompson and Leon Thompson. Interment was in the Chambers cemetery.

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Architect's sketch of the new convent (far left) and high school at St. Mary's parish.

Dugan, Stewart Meet to Confer on New Book

A noted American freelance writer whose subjects are varied and whose travels have taken him into the depths of the Seven Seas, is an O'Neill visitor this week. James Dugan of Philadelphia, Pa., is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Stewart.

Mr. Dugan and Mr. Stewart are co-authors of the forthcoming book, BLACK SUNDAY, which will be completed late this year. Stewart, editor-publisher of THE FRONTIER for 13 years, recently returned from a research trip to Europe.

Dugan and Stewart became friends during World War II and maintained contact through the years with a view towards writing a full detail account of the crucial American B-24 Liberator bomber mission from the Libyan Desert to the Ploesti (Rumania) oil refineries. The one and only four-engine bomber low level mission took place August 1, 1943. American losses were severe.

Dugan's late father was an iron moulder for the Pennsylvania railroad at Altoona, Pa. Dugan's post-war writing consisted largely of articles in THE NEW YORKER, SATURDAY EVENING POST, COLLIER'S etc.

In 1954 his first book, THE GREAT IRON SHIP, enjoyed publication in both the READER'S DIGEST and THE

NEW YORKER. The book, available at Grattan Township Library, sold well on both sides of the Atlantic. In 1956 Dugan wrote Captain Jacques Cousteau's story, MAN UNDER THE SEA (which appears in seven languages). In 1957 Dugan wrote the documentary feature film, THE SILENT WORLD, Columbia Pictures. This film was winner of the Cannes (France) Film Festival grand prize and the American Academy Award for documentation.

In March of this year Dugan wrote a cover story for TIME magazine; in April his diving saucer story was featured in NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC; in July his article, Smithsonian Institute, appeared in HOLIDAY.

Through the years Dugan has been ship's author for the CALYPSO, French underwater scientific ship, and his CALYPSO writing appear regularly in the NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC.

Although frequently working 1,500 miles apart, the BLACK SUNDAY book is in the final stages in which testimony Stewart obtained from German and Rumanian defenders of the refineries is being worked in with American testimony. BLACK SUNDAY will be historical, non-fiction.

REA Authorizes \$490,000 Loan To Boyd County Telephone Company

Approval was granted this week for a \$490,000 rural telephone loan for the Boyd County Telephone Company of Lynch. This loan will permit the installation of dial service for 550 subscribers located in Brown, Keya Paha and Cherry counties.

John Davis, president of the Boyd County Telephone Corporation says present plans include purchase of two small companies and five switch lines which are to be converted

to dial system.

The two dial offices will be located in Springview and Johnston.

Construction will also be begun on 336 miles of new line.

This is the second such loan for the north Niobrara area. The first loan released in 1957 permitted dial service to be installed for 450 subscribers from three dial offices. At that time a loan was granted for \$446,000.

Holt Soil Conservation District Plans Range Judging Day Friday

The Holt county range judging day will be held Friday, Aug. 26 at 1 p.m. at the Holt county courthouse annex in O'Neill.

This day will be an opportunity to learn how to evaluate range and pasture conditions, learn kinds of grasses and what can be done to improve production from ranges.

Any person may come and take part. Actual sites will be evaluated and discussed. There will be 4-H, adult and FFA divisions.

This event is sponsored by the Holt Soil Conservation district, Extension service and the Vocational Agriculture departments. An area contest involving some eight or nine counties will be held in O'Neill September 17.

Plan Observance On Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jungman, parents of Mrs. Milton Clemens of Amelia will observe their fiftieth anniversary with open house from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 28 at the home of their son, Leonard Jungman of Atkinson.

One Auto Accident Reported to Police

One traffic accident was reported during the past week. A collision between cars driven by Richard Pongratz, 16, and Wayne Wiley, 20, of Merriman occurred at the intersection of south Harrison and west Fremont.

Damage to the Pongratz car was confined to the left rear side while the Wiley auto was damaged in front.

National Guard Awards Uhler Expense Trip

Cpl. Arden Uhler, 20, of Verdigris won the Ak-Sar-Ben outstanding soldier award for grades E-1 through E-4 of the first battle group 134th Infantry of the National Guard. Fourteen awards were made in ceremonies Friday at Camp Ripley, Minn.

Cpl. Uhler and his wife will receive an all-expense paid trip to Ak-Sar-Ben. He has been a member of the O'Neill National Guard unit since September 1957 and has spent six months on active duty.

The Ak-Sar-Ben awards are based on the following qualifications: MOS qualified, attended over 95% of guard drills in the past year, sharpshooter or better in individual weapon and character and efficiency rating excellent, with no disciplinary action. The candidate also appeared before a board of officers who judged their appearance and activities at Camp Ripley.

Twenty-Third Annual Grimton Reunion Held

The twenty third Annual Grimton reunion was held Sunday with one teacher, 28 pupils and 41 visitors present. The only teacher present was Mrs. Leonard Risinger of Orchard. The oldest pupil present was Mrs. Lizzie Grim of Ewing. Oldest person attending was Mrs. Rebecca Butterfield of O'Neill and the youngest was the 10 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Volquansien. He is the great grandson of Lizzie Grim and Rebecca Butterfield.

Those from the greatest distance were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Loomis of Sioux City and Mrs. Luella Sessions of Santa Monica, Calif.

Rites Held For Guy Alderson, At Tilden

CHAMBERS—Guy Alderson, a former resident of the Chambers community died August 12 in the Tilden hospital.

The late Mr. Alderson was born September 9, 1886, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Alderson, a pioneer family in Chambers Valley.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Aug. 16 in the Marshall Mortuary at Tilden. Burial was in Stuart beside the grave of his wife.

Survivors are: Sons—Robert of Santa Ana, Calif., and Thomas Ross of San Martin, Calif.; daughters—Mrs. Robert (Adriene) Williams of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. Harold (Virginia) Leavitt of Greybull, Wyo.; five grandchildren. He is also survived by four brothers and two sisters. One brother, T. E. Alderson lives at Chambers.

Rites Scheduled Today For Nellie Sparks

Nellie G. Sparks, 78, a lifelong resident of O'Neill died Tuesday morning in a Norfolk hospital after an illness of three and a half years. Funeral services will be held Thursday (today) at 10 a.m. at St. Patrick's Catholic church. Msgr. Timothy O'Sullivan will officiate. Burial will be Calvary cemetery.

A rosary was recited Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. at the Biglins Funeral home.

Palbearers will be Larry Conarro, James Sheets, Gary Elsbury, Gale Stevens, Dennis Cavanaugh.

The late Ellen Gertrude Sparks was born November 12, 1881 at Sheffield, Ill. Her parents were Maurice and Mary Kegley Cavanaugh. She came to Holt county in 1884 with her parents. The family settled south of O'Neill near Chambers.

On June 20, 1908 she was united in marriage to Warren J. Sparks of O'Neill and to them six children were born. Her husband and two sons, Cecil and James Leo preceded her in death.

Survivors are: Daughters—Mrs. Elmer Strong, Mrs. Lester Sheets, Mrs. Don Elsbury and Mrs. Joe Conarro, all of O'Neill.

Mrs. Sparks is also survived by a sister—Mrs. Margaret Hatton of Oakland, Calif., two brothers—Charles Cavanaugh of Chambers and James Cavanaugh of O'Neill, 13 grandchildren and great grandchildren. Another brother, Maurice died Wednesday at Falls City.

Education News

Pre-opening meeting of all rural Holt county teachers will be held Saturday, at 9 a.m. at the assembly room of the courthouse.



Fred Gakle, (left) O'Neill newcomer, defeated Tom Liddy in the championship flight in O'Neill's golf tournament Sunday to win top honors. Gakle and Liddy are shown here with their championship and runner-up trophies.



These happy baseball players are the O'Neill White Sox. The reason they're happy? They are the champions of the T-Shirt league. Pictured here (left to right) are Tom Wolfe, Clyde Neal, David Dawes, Jackie Riley, Randy Schmiechel, Ronnie Schmitt and Jerry Wolfe. Back row (left to right) are David Winkler, Don Johnson, Gene Winkler, Marvin Dawes, Tom Schmitt and Terry Erington. Jim McCarthy, also a member of the team was absent when the picture was taken.