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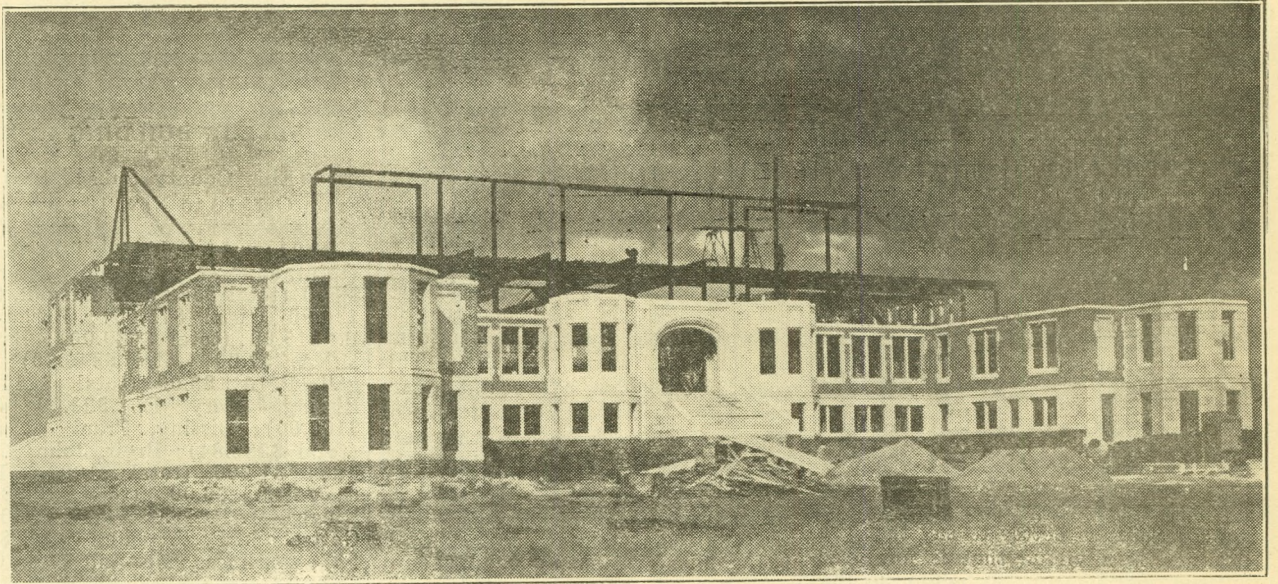
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READ IT THROUGH AND * *

View of St. Joseph's Diocesan College, in Building, Nov. 20, 1925.



It is just four years this month since our Bishop, the Rt. Rev. Francis J. Tief sent out his letter of appeal for the New College at Hays.

During those first months of the "Drive" Ellis County pledged 332,000 dollars. The quota for the County was \$300,000. This was over-subscribed by \$32,000. The news spread far and wide that Ellis County had gone "over the top."

To-day, four years after the drive was launched, only a very small part of those pledges have been paid. There were crop failures, no one doubts it. But there was no failure in applications for educational chances. The New Hays College must go up. They are building west of town. The north side of the building is up to the fourth floor—the east, west and south sides are up to the second. We need some money to continue and we need it badly.

The "Drive" has been carried on to some of the western counties of the diocese. Rawlins, Decatur, Cheyenne and Norton Counties are being worked now. So far over \$10,000 in cash and over \$50,000 in pledges have been reported. But the great need right now is spot cash.

This Drive has been explained by speech, as well as by pen. You've heard the Drive talked, you've read about the drive in pamphlet, paper and poster. But do you realize what the Drive is for? Who is the winner from this Drive?

The Drive is for a newer, better and bigger College. The College is to be the Diocesan College and it is placed under the protection of St. Joseph.

The College is being built for YOUR BOYS. The Capuchin Fathers in charge of the College are only administering the money you give; they are investing it in an educational institution to give YOUR BOYS a chance to get a High School and College Education right here in Western Kansas.

The Priests who are professors at the College receive no salary. Not one penny that you give will enrich one of them. Every cent goes to the building.

Have you ever stopped to think of the wonderful thing it is to have priests teaching your boys? Do you know of any more experienced man than a Catholic priest? Do you know of any class of people better qualified to teach than Catholic priests?

Every Catholic priest must pass through from ten to fifteen years of preparation. He must go through a complete High School and College Course. He has four years of Theology. He has the experience of dealing with all classes of people. He learns to know the human heart as no one else does. He hears stories of the noblest heroism and the blackest meanness. He delves deep and learns to know human nature as no other.

And Catholic priests are here at

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GOLD MEDALS OFFERED

Father Cyril Presents Two for Greek Scholarship

At the latest meeting of the Faculty Fr. Justin, Director of the College, announced that Father Cyril, O. M. Cap, pastor of Sacred Heart Church, Ness City, had presented two gold medals for efficiency in Greek. One of the medals will be given in the high school department to the student having the best all around average in Greek. The college department will also benefit by the offer, as one medal is also offered to the student in this section receiving the highest average.

The H. C. A. is one of the few schools that has Greek in its curriculum, and while there may be but small utilitarian value to Greek in every day practical life still the language has an education value all its own.

The offer of Fr. Cyril is sincerely appreciated and here's good wishes to all the competitors. As the Greeks said of old, "Boys, pep up!"

RT. REV. BISHOP TIEF IS HERE FOR PRIESTS' ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND CLERGY EXAMINATION

Rt. Rev. Bishop Tief was at Hays for the first time since school has opened. The Rt. Rev. Bishop was invited for the Home Coming celebration on the 11th of this month, but pressure of work and ill health made it impossible for him to be present at the celebration.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop came to Hays for the priests' annual conference and to conduct the clergy examinations. There were many strange priests here for this occasion.

Tony Jacobs took the Bishop and Fr. Thomas to St. Peter on Saturday morning, where the Bishop had confirmation on Sunday, Nov. 15. The confirmation at St. Peter was on Sunday morning and in the afternoon the Bishop was at Park for Confirmation. On Sunday evening he came to Hays again and stayed over until Monday.

THE NEW ST. JOSEPH DIOCESAN COLLEGE "BUILDING"

Here you have a view of the New College Building as it is at present. By publishing the cut of the College as it should be when completed the impression seems to have been made that all was finished. But this is not the case. From this picture you can see that there is quite a bit to be done. Should the building remain thus over winter or should the work be rushed so as to get it under roof? This question is for you, dear subscriber to the Building Fund, to decide. Your pledge REDEEMED is the answer. Look up the list of pledges and find what you have pledged. Examine your receipts and find out how much you have paid. And if it is at all possible to pay part of your pledge at present, please do so.

FATHER EUGENE ATTENDS HOME COMING CELEBRATION

After an absence of almost two months in the interest of the College Drive, Father Eugene spent the week from the sixth to the thirteenth "at home." He reports that splendid treatment was accorded him wherever he went. The report on another page of the Journal shows the success of his campaign. He left again to continue the work which was interrupted by the bad weather. More success to you.

While here he attended the Home Coming Celebration and gave an interesting talk at the Banquet.

ARMISTICE DAY

Various are the fates of soldiers. Fortune launches her votaries on the battlefield of life, and though some may perish in the trenches, others in the air, and some go down before the deadly fire from the enemy while going over the top, yet others will weather the fiercest bombardment, be led through all dangers and return safely into the haven of their homes. E. S.

Boost your school! Boost your paper! The H. C. C. Journal.

NEW WING OF SEMINARY AT HERMAN, PENN., DEDICATED

The Feast of St. Francis was a gala day at St. Fidelis' Seminary, Herman, Pennsylvania. On this day the new wing of the Seminary was dedicated. Rt. Rev. Msgr. Edward Weber was celebrant at the High Mass assisted by the Revs. Father Theodosius and Didacus, O. M. Cap., as Deacon and Sub-Deacon with Father Patrick, O. M. Cap., as Master of Ceremonies. The Very Rev. Father Constantine preached the festive oration dwelling on the root of evil and curse of mankind; the concupiscence of the eye, the concupiscence of the flesh and the pride of life, illustrating the courageous struggle against these vices with most appropriate examples from the life of St. Francis.

At three o'clock in the afternoon the dedicatory services began. The Rt. Rev. Hugh C. Boyle, D. D., Bishop of Pittsburgh, presided at these services. The Rt. Rev. John J. Swint, D. D., Bishop of Wheeling, delivered the dedicatory address. Over five thousand people from far and near were present for the occasion.—Seraphic Home Journal.

We heartily congratulate St. Fidelis' Seminary, which is the Alma Mater of the majority of our professors, on the success they have attained and kindly ask them to help us with their prayers so that we too may soon hold the dedicatory services of our New St. Joseph's Diocesan College.

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THANKSGIVING—GRATITUDE

Gratitude seems to be becoming one of the "neglected virtues." Or perhaps, it is better to say that gratitude is a virtue that is not practiced sufficiently. It might be that we are so busy striving and working for things, that we forget to stop and express appreciation to the Giver of all good gifts, but it remains a fact that there is not enough of "Thanksgiving."

Once a year, the last Thursday of November, a day is set aside by presidential proclamation as a day when the country should by some service or worship return thanks to the bountiful Lord for the blessings of the year.

And if we pause to sum up these blessings, we shall be surprised at the reasons why we should be grateful. There is the question of health. When were you really sick last? There is the matter of success in business or in your work. Perhaps you haven't had big crops for several years, but you are getting along. There are those everyday things as having the use of all your senses—you have two good eyes, think of the millions of blind people in the world who never have seen God's wonderful world. You can hear, you can walk, you are not crippled in any way. Go through the town and meet the cripples, the maimed, and then ask yourself if you appreciate these everyday blessings.

Just because they are so everyday we think they are ours by right and claim. And so with a thousand and one other things in life. You have friends and a home, and good parents and success and popularity—where do all these things come from? And do you ever stop to say "Thanks" to the Giver of all these blessings?

It would be a great thing to celebrate Thanksgiving day every once in a while. The fact is we ought to thank the good Lord each day. He expects it. There is the Gospel story of those ten lepers whom our Lord sent to the priests. As they went they were made clean and of the ten, ONE came back to offer thanks. And the Lord asked: "Were not ten made clean and where are the nine?" God expects gratitude for favors and gratitude as you know is the best preparation for future favors. Celebrate Thanksgiving every day by telling the Lord that you appreciate His graces and favors.

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FOOTBALL—A TRAINING FOR LIFE

Say what you will about sports in schools and colleges, they have their values as educational factors. Besides the development of physical strength and stamina, sports have a great influence in character formation.

As an example, there is football. Just now the air is full of it. Football is a sport that is condemned—often without a fair hearing. Just because the papers bring an account occasionally of a fatality resulting from football, the sport is condemned as too rough. If it were a fair gauge to condemn a thing because of accidents what about automobiles, airplanes, swimming pools, trains, and a few of the other sports, pleasures and even necessities?

Perhaps, it is said, perhaps, no other sport has more character forming qualities than football. This sport, as played in a fair and square way, is a rather startling picture of life as it is. There are the hard bumps, the knocks, the gains, the losses, the penalties, the goal in sight, the slips, the fumbles, and the victory or defeat.

If you've ever seen a good, snappy game of football you will realize what this means. The kick-off lands in a player's arms, he starts for the goal sixty or seventy yards away. His mates seek to give interference, to clear a path for their man who has the ball. But the opposing side is there with their resistance. The player carries the ball for, perhaps, twenty yards and he is downed. There are then four chances for him to make ten yards. The teams form, signals are called and one side attempts to outwit the other. The man with the ball is to go through, his mates are to clear a path. Resistance comes from the enemy grid-ers—and so the fight wages between sides and runs, trick plays, forward passes, bucking the line—all sorts of plays are used to gain those ten yards in four downs.

There are tackles and falls and now and then someone is put out of the game with a slight hurt. But with clean football these are scarce.

And there you have a training for life that is invaluable, a boy is taught to "take his bumps." He learns how to play the game fair and square. He learns how to fight even when he is losing. He is practiced in forming quick and accurate decisions; he learns how to outguess opposition; he should learn how to behave in victory and how to act under defeat. He is taught physical courage and he must be morally brave to live up to his training rules. If this is not a training for life, what is? And if sports don't aim at this

sort of training they are out of place in schools. If boys are trained to "win games at any cost"; if boys are urged to stoop to mean, low and "yellow" tactics to bring home victory, the boys are receiving a rank education. Sports are a powerful educational agency. Teach clean, honest, upright sportsmanship and you are forming good characters. Teach the boys to use any means to win their games and sports are being abused.

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Frs. Florence and Herbert could not attend to their parish work on Sunday owing to the bad roads.

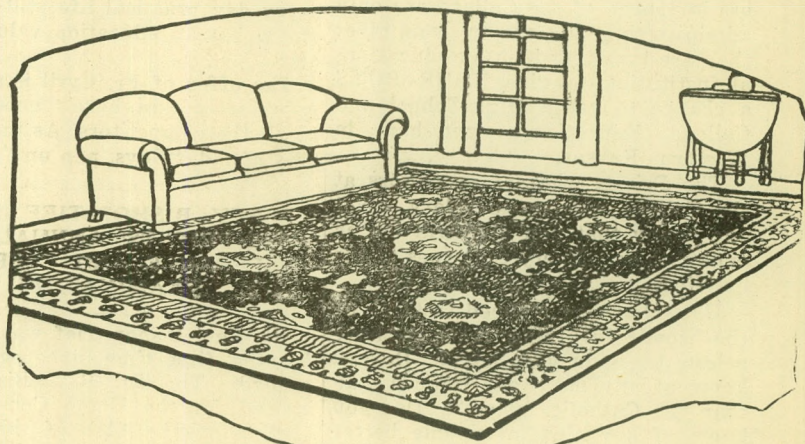
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**H. C. C. CELEBRATES
FIRST HOME COMING**

On Armistice Day, the Alumni of H. C. C. celebrated their first Home-Coming. This, according to plans, will be an annual event.

Plans for the celebration had been forming for months. The committee in charge was made up of several officers of the Alumni Association: Mr. B. M. Kuhn, Mr. G. J. Gottschalk, and Mr. Ignatius J. Rupp.

Due to the bad condition of the roads many of the boys could not attend, but there was a good crowd, nevertheless.

In the afternoon the H. C. C. football team lost a hard-fought game to LaCrosse by the score 23-0. The Hays team held the score down to 2-0 till the last few minutes of play when LaCrosse opened up with an aerial attack and put three touchdowns over in quick succession. Try for point was successful every time.

At 6:30 a banquet was served at the Civic Club at which the professors, the coach and the football squad were guests of the Alumni Association. During the banquet speakers were introduced by Mr. George Ruder of Ellis who was toastmaster. Fr. Justin, O. M. Cap., welcomed the Alumni. Mr. George Crawford, B. A., athletic coach at the College, spoke on this year's team and announced that Francis Staab, '27, had been elected Captain for next year's eleven. Mr. D. A. Kuhn of Victoria entertained the crowd with his reminiscences of by-gone days at the H. C. C. Fr. Eugene, O. M. Cap., appealed to the Alumni to back up the new College, and Fr. Camillus, O. M. Cap., spoke on the Educational Value of Sports.

A quartette composed of the Alumni, Messrs. Ernest J. Malone, Ignatius J. Rupp, J. L. Basgall and Alois J. Leiker entertained with several vocal selections and the H. C. C. Orchestra, under the direction of Fr. Alfred, O. M. Cap., furnished the music during the banquet. Priests from out of town present at the banquet as guests were Fr. Gilbert O. M. Cap., pastor at Ellis parish and former Director of H. C. C., and Fr. Edwin, O. M. Cap., Lector of Philosophy at the Capuchin House of Philosophy at Victoria. After the banquet there was dancing for the Alumni and their friends.

The first Home Coming Day at H. C. C. was a wonderful success and encourages those in charge to plan future ones. The hope now is to celebrate the next Home Coming Day in the new St. Joseph's College. The program at the banquet follows:

- Selection - - - - H. C. C. Orchestra
- Welcoming Address - - - - Rev. Fr. Justin
- Selection - - - - Alumni Quartet
- Ernest Malone, Ig. Rupp
- Joe Basgall, Al. Leiker
- Athletics - - - - Coach Crawford
- Retrospect - - - - D. A. Kuhn
- Address - - - - Rev. Fr. Eugene
- Selection - - - - H. C. C. Orchestra
- Address - - - - Rev. Fr. Camillus
- Selection - - - - Alumni Quartet
- Toastmaster - - - - George Ruder

THANKSGIVING DAY

Thanksgiving is a civil holiday observed annually in the United States. It is celebrated on the last Thursday of November and is a day set apart for prayer and thanksgiving to God for the blessings of the year.

Thanksgiving Day originated in the Plymouth Colony. The first record of a celebration is that of November 26, 1621. It was after the first corn crop had been gathered, that Governor Bradford and the Pilgrim Fathers decided to have a day of thanksgiving to thank God for

the blessings of the year.

In order to make it a great feast day they invited the friendly Massasoit, an Indian chief of a neighboring tribe, to join them. He and his braves, ninety in number, came, bringing with them venison and wild turkey. The housewives gathered fruits from the woods and united their efforts in preparing the meal. They baked corn bread and pastries and boiled puddings in large kettles. The venison and turkey were hung on long poles and roasted over an open fire. Tables were set under pine trees. Preaching, feasting, talking and games of all sorts were in order. This feasting and celebrating lasted for three whole days.

Thanksgiving was not immediately recognized as a civil holiday in the United States, and its observance as a national holiday was slow in coming, as it took nearly two centuries before the custom spread over the whole United States. Shortly after the great feast at Plymouth the custom spread over all the New England colonies. After the Revolutionary War the usage spread to the Middle States and over the West, then progressed slowly southward. The first national observance was November 26, 1789, when President Washington at the request of Congress, recommended this day to the people of the United States "as a day of public thanksgiving and prayer to be observed by acknowledging with grateful hearts the many and signal favours of the Almighty God." It was the first observation of the day on the date that present custom holds it. By common consent of several successive Presidents, beginning with Lincoln, the last Thursday of November was the day set aside for the celebration of Thanksgiving.

The President, and governors of most states issue Thanksgiving proclamations, which means that this day is to be held as a National Holiday. Therefore on this day all public business is suspended. Union services are held in some churches. The Catholic Church only recently recognized the day by special religious festivities and it is not an official custom in the Church as yet. Family reunions are usually held on Thanksgiving. And the same traditional articles that have been used

since the origin of Thanksgiving are usually seen at these banquets or dinners, namely: roast turkey, pumpkin pie and cranberry sauce. The day is passed by indoor games or outdoor sports, skating, sleighing and dancing. The last games of the football season is usually played on Thanksgiving, thereby affording an opportunity to a great majority of the people to pass the hours of Thanksgiving Day in a pleasant way.

—J. A. S.

JUNIOR JOTTINGS

Prof.: Are we all here?
Issy: My big toe is.
Prof.: I notice you have mighty big feet for a small boy.

It was discovered that we have some sheiks here that would take your breath away. They will be fed and watched closely, and at a later date will be put on exhibition.

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school. Oh, he's an odd sort of fellow anyway.

Francis Staab, our honorable class treasurer, was elected captain of next year's football squad.

"It's an ill wind that blows nobody good." Friday, Nov. 13, was an "ill" day for several of the faculty but a "good" day for some of the students.

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SENIOR CLASSICAL NOTES

At a class meeting held recently the following officers were elected by popular vote: president, Wilfred Jacobs; class reporter, classical, Bruno F. Stramel; class reporter, commercial, Leo Staab.

Our senior classical class numbers twelve. Our class is one of the smallest that ever attended this school, but still we think ourselves the mightiest because our class leads in all athletics, in all inter-class contests, and also in all mischief and noise, as the Director calls it.

We made a good start by electing as senior class president Wilfred Jacobs, a classical. He has showed his great interest in the class already by taking the first seat in front so that he can take care of the class and give them a little advice.

Henry Fisher, a senior classical, has become a day scholar recently.

Prof.: Who introduced the slave trade?

Student: Tobacco, rice and other raw materials.

Prof. (after Carl Oberle had made his speech before the class): Any criticism?

Haas: Yes, he did not have the right position of his specs.

Prof.: What is an elegy, and give an example?

Oberle: An elegy is an inscription on a tombstone. Example—Here lieth Augustine Werth who examined his gasoline tank with a match.

Prof.: Benjamin Werth, I think you are not putting enough effort into your physics studies.

Ben: No, but plenty of resistance.

EXCHANGE ITEMS

"The Dial Annual," a St. Mary's year book under the supervision of an able staff is progressing fine and is now on its way to success.

A look through "The Tower," telescope, revealed the H. C. C. Journal among the rest of the planets.

Fifty-one counties of Kansas are represented at K. S. T. C. of Hays, Ellis County is represented by one hundred and nineteen students.

The Sunflower of Wichita is a very highly praised paper among H. C. C. students and will always be a welcome visitor.

October 19, eight students were chosen of a group of thirteen to represent the Hays High School in their debating contests. Hays High School belongs to the 6th district.

St. John's High School of Beloit has reached its desired goal of being an accredited high school.

The Senior class of the Dickinson County High School has taken the lead on the honor roll.

We all enjoyed reading Father William's write-up of the celebration at Herman, Pennsylvania in a recent number of the Seraphic Home Journal.

COLLEGE HAPPENINGS

Rev. Fr. Matthew, Prefect of the College, is getting along very nicely at St. Anthony's Hospital after his recent operation. It will be several weeks though before he is back at his post.

Since the publication of our last issue of the Journal, Nick Wasinger, our famous football coach, discontinued his studies at College. On Saturday, October 31, "Nickie" left with bag and baggage, just in time to miss the students' Halloween celebration, namely the initiation. We

were all sorry to see Nick leave at this time of the year, especially since he was so very successful with the freshman squad. His team played two games and these were "chalked up" as victories. "Sandy" has now taken some of his material for the first string.

On Sunday, October 18, Francis Franklin entertained Pete Wiesner from Ogallah.

Rev. Fr. Eugene was a visitor at the College and Monastery last week for a few days. He attended the football game on Home Coming Day and also the banquet in the evening.

Alphonse Staab, better known among the students as "Kelly," put the pool stick aside for a change and paid the College a short visit.

John Miller of Codell was one of the loyal alumni that witnessed the football game between Hays and Plainville.

On October 24, Rev. Fr. Herbers, S. J., athletic director of St. Mary's College, was a visitor at the College.

Rev. Fr. Gilbert, pastor of St. Mary's Church, Ellis, was also a recent visitor at the College.

Dominic Vonfelt, '24, assistant cashier at the Victoria National Bank with his chum, Richard Schamber, were welcome visitors on Sunday afternoon, Oct. 25.

On Monday, Oct. 26, Fr. Herbert from Munjor took Fr. Stanley's place as a member on the College Faculty. Besides taking over Fr. Stanley's work he has also taken the fifth and sixth classes in English.

The conduct and application notes were read to the students on Tuesday evening, Oct. 27. Rev. Fr. Director seemed to be pretty well pleased with the general conduct of the students, however he had a few remarks to make in regard to the observance of the college routine.

Henry Fisher is no longer a boarder at the College. He is boarding with his folks on the farm about nine miles southwest of Hays and comes to school in his "Lizzie" every morning.

Among the students who spent Hallowe'en evening and the following Sunday with their folks were: "Buddy" Robben, hailing from Walker. Just imagine, "Buddy" forgot to be back on time, but when he did come he was all "dolloed up" in a new overcoat. Most likely he took part in one of those Hallowe'en mas-

querades. "Sam" Grabbe, Henry Haas, Klaus, "Prince" Miller, Kuhn and Bennie Brungardt were the other students that spent the Sunday of Nov. 1 with their folks. Of course, all these students missed the initiation and something might still be in store for them.

On Monday morning, Nov. 2, all the students attended the solemn 8 o'clock high mass at St. Joseph's Church.

Linus and Felix Roth are frequent visitors at their Alma Mater.

Henry Bremerkamp, the pilot of this year's squad was hurt making a hard tackle in the game against Wakekeney. "Pike" broke his collar-bone and will be out of the game for the rest of the season. The coach has taken three men from the freshmen line-up for first string substitutes.

The football players and gatekeepers were granted a free evening on Wednesday, November 4, to see "Wild Horse Mesa." They all enjoyed the picture.

Another misfortune for our football squad—Ben Werth received an

injured knee in our late game against LaCrosse. Ben will be out for our last game next Friday with Bison. Ben was taken out in the first quarter and his absence no doubt was the cause of LaCrosse's aerial success in the last quarter. Ben was a fleetly half and always a dangerous man in breaking up passes.

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AMONG THE FACULTY

November is a busy month for the faculty members. Fr. Lewis is going to Ellis occasionally to help out over Saturday and Sunday, while Fr. Julius is in the East conducting the annual retreat for the Capuchin communities there.

Fr. Florence is still taking care of Antonino, replacing Fr. Michael who is away on the "Drive." Fr. Florence forgot to watch his "three points for a driver in Kansas" the other day. He had plenty of water, plenty of oil, but when he got two miles out of Hays he ran out of "gas." But "Walker's Bus" brought him home safely and he walked the two miles in record time. On November 1, Fr. Florence went to Park to help out.

Fr. Alfred took charge of Antonino the first Sunday in November for Fr. Florence. He and Fr. Lewis are caring for Ellis.

Fr. Herbert, assistant in Munjor, has been added to the Faculty, replacing Fr. Stanley. His appointment is but temporary until Fr. Eugene gets back from the Drive.

Fr. Matthew is progressing nicely after his recent operation. But it will be several weeks before he is able to leave the hospital and several weeks more before he is back on duty at the College. Fr. Camillus is still "prefecting" in Fr. Matthew's place.

The younger priests on the Faculty: Fathers Florence, Herbert, Jordan, Alfred and Camillus, had to make the Junior Clergy Examinations on November 13. Despite the fact that it was a Friday and the thirteenth, there were no casualties and all are back at their posts. Somebody did remark though: "It's hard luck a fellow even has to be a 'junior' clergyman."

GIVING THE BOY A CHANCE

One of the big cries that goes up from almost everybody is, "Give me a chance." If we fail in business, it's because we didn't have a fair chance. In fact, the excuse most often given for failure is: "I didn't have a fair chance." And in very many cases the excuse is legitimate. Very often a person does not get a fair chance. It's the thing everybody has a right to demand; a fair chance is something that we all have a right to expect.

The question is—what is a fair chance? And the answer is—it all depends on circumstances. A fair chance may mean strict supervision in one case and in another it may mean a great deal of liberty. In one case it may mean severe discipline, in another it may mean the limit of kindness. A "fair chance" depends on the type of person, on circumstances and environment.

Applying all this to the case in point, giving the boy a fair chance means to let him profit by his schooling. Boys are sent to school to get an education. The word education is being bandied back and forth and sometimes it is misunderstood. Education is not a matter of a pupil sitting in a school-bench listening to a teacher declaiming. Education is not merely a passive thing on the part of the pupil. In the game of education there is no question of either pupil or teacher playing a "lone hand." The teacher and pupil are partners in the game—they must play together or both lose. The teacher may mark up "lost effort," the pupil, "lost time," unless both

work together.

Are you giving your boy a fair chance in the matter of education? To give him a fair chance you must see that he has time to do his lessons. You can't expect a boy to carry a full high school course and still do a man's sized job on the farm. You can't work your boy during school term as you work him during summer. It is not giving the boy a fair chance.

A boy is entitled to some enjoyment. After he has gotten his lessons he should be allowed some pleasure. See that he gets his lessons, that he does his school work, that he attends classes—but give him some enjoyment as well. One is just as much a duty as the other. Pleasures make work easier and the boy should have a chance to enjoy the sports and games of his school.

Giving your boy a chance in the line of education, then, means to insist on him doing his school work, making him attend classes and giving him time for recreation and amusement. If you make your boy work in school term just as he works in vacation, you are not giving him a fair chance—you're refusing him what you demand for yourself—you're denying him what every man has a right to demand—a square deal and a fair chance. Give YOUR BOY A FAIR CHANCE.—C. A. S.

COLLEGE HAPPENINGS

On Thursday evening, November 5, Fr. Camillus attended the Knights of Columbus banquet at Ellis.

The date for the students' retreat is set in accordance with the priests' retreat at the monastery. It will begin on Sunday evening, Dec. 13. Rev. Fr. Cassian, O. M. Cap., pastor of St. Fidelis Church, Victoria, will probably be our retreat master.

An Arkansas City, Kansas newspaper states that cheaper turkeys for Thanksgiving are predicted by poultry men in their neighborhood. If our poultry men around here could predict such a fact we would have something to be thankful for.

We had a pretty heavy snow storm and quite a bit of drifting on

Saturday, Nov. 7. The next day Leopold Staab, '23, was a welcome visitor at the College. The snow must have drifted him this way. Leopold informed us that he was leaving for Kansas City that same evening for his brother, Alphonse, had a job for him.

Fr. Florence was at St. Peter and Park on Sunday to assist the Bishop in confirmation.

SPEAK WELL OF MOTHER!

The Christian Science Monitor tells the story of a young man from the Middle West who was visiting in a Massachusetts town and, strolling about one evening, was caught in a severe thunder storm. He sought refuge under a large tree near a house. The elderly matron who lived there, seeing the young man's plight, invited him indoors, and as the storm at a late hour showed no signs of abating, she invited the youth to stay the rest of the night. He hesitated. "Thank you," he said, "but I am a stranger to you. How do you know that I can be trusted?" She replied: "Any young man that talks as reverently about his mother as you have all evening, can always be trusted. He is never a stranger to any mother."

"Willie," asked the teacher, "what was it Sir Walter Raleigh said when he placed his cloak on the muddy road for the beautiful queen to walk over?"

Willie, the ultra-modern, gazed about the classroom in dismay, and then, taking a long chance, replied: "Step on it, kid!"

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THE ETIQUETTE OF THE HAT

Boys, learn it now. Don't wait till you grow up, and then forget it half the time. If you are working or waiting in an office you don't need to keep your headgear rammed down to your ears. The women and girls in the office will not mind if you lay it aside, and you can't possibly get cold in a steam-heated room. It doesn't take long either to touch it as a mark of deference when you just call at the door to deliver a message or ask a question. To see man or boy sitting around in the presence of women, with his hat glued to his head is to learn the defects of his training.

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THE SAINTS IN FOOTBALL

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A man like G. K. Chesterton, the brilliant English essayist, who is fond of startling his readers, might take up this idea of introducing the name of a saint into a "yell" in this fashion: "It has been said that irreverence is shown the saints by introducing their names into college hurrahs, as for example, 'three cheers for Saint Polycarp,' which saint would be the patron of the school engaging in some athletic battle. But I can conceive of nothing more indicative of healthy religious ideals than inducting their names into the battle cry that goes up from the throats of a thousand gladiators. If they had not faith they would not cheer so. This is a great religious ceremonial." Chesterton might write thus. For our part we think the team might adopt a distinctive name. It is not unknown that a school has changed its name on these grounds.—The Catholic Observer, Pittsburgh, Penna.

WITH OUR ALUMNI

Mr. Vincent Kreutzer, '19, and Miss Anna Halbleib were married Wednesday, November 18. Congratulations and best wishes!

James P. Wasinger, '22, has joined the Marines and is at present stationed with Company 916 at Parris Island, S. C.

At the Home Coming Banquet this happy coincidence took place: At one of the tables were seated: Mr. Fred W. Arnhold, '11, one of the first graduates; Dr. A. A. Herman, '12, a member of the second graduating class and Mr. Alphonse W. Des Marteau, of the Classical Department of '11 and '12. If at every table there would have been such a representative group the Home Coming celebration would have been a "real" success. Do not forget that Home Coming Day is here to stay. Make up your mind now that you will not miss the next one.

Mr. William Drees, '17, will be married Nov. 24 to Miss Sullivan of Solomon. Hearty good wishes!

Mr. John E. Green, '19, could not be present at the Home Coming celebration so he had another register for him. He is at present employed by the Dolans Mercantile Co. of Atchison, Kansas.

Mr. Anthony Dickman of Grinnell, Kansas, was "at home" at his Alma Mater on November 11.

Mr. George Ruder, '15, and Miss Cora Brull were married recently. The Journal wishes them success and happiness.

Mr. D. A. Kuhn in his "Retrospect" certainly did justice to the subject and received many cheers, especially when he stated the fact that of the eight banks in Ellis County, seven employ one or more H. C. C. Alumni.

Alumni, subscribe to the Journal. Keep in touch with your Alma Mater.

1st Student: Say, old pal, guess what dream I had last night.

2d Student: I can just about imagine, but what kind of a dream did you have?

1st Student: I had "The Dream of Gerontius."

FOUND—AT LAST

After waiting patiently for weeks to hear from a certain party who promised solemnly to let us know of his whereabouts we finally located Mr. Alfred Schwarz. We shall not disclose how we got his address but we have a friend who knows a friend of his working in an office downtown and, well, telephones are handy instruments. Here is what he writes:

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 4, 1925
Editor H. C. C. Journal.

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Alfred J. Schwarz.

BOOK REVIEW

"The Twilight Rendezvous" by Milton McGovern, Buffalo Publication Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

If you want the thrill that comes from reading of the noble-hearted deeds—get a copy of "The Twilight Rendezvous."

With all the trash that is being vomited from the press and dubbed "Life as it is," it is quite a relief to find an author who will write a good clean story.

And there is an appeal in the book. There is no triangle—there is nothing of the sensational stuff that makes the "best sellers" of the day. "The Twilight Rendezvous" is a story of the nobler elements in man's make-up. It shows to what limits the human heart can love and sacrifice and after you've read the deeds of Guy Montrose and Lady Helena Ravenswood, you're glad that you are a member of the species man, with a chance to do as they have done.

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stories in recent fiction. But whatever the appeal there can be no mistake in stealing away to a comfortable nook with "The Twilight Rendezvous" as your companion. It will be good company these chilly nights and you'll fall in love with the characters of the book. C.L.S.

ON COLLEGE YELLS

College days and college yells will soon be with us again, and in anticipation a Western Ontario teacher sends two interesting comments. The first is from a Chicago publication called School and Society, as follows: "Three or four evenings each week last Fall, during the football season, over two thousand students of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas assembled after supper for a 'yell practice,' lasting from a half to a full hour. The chief yell leader, with two assistants, conducted the proceedings. The band was present. Impassioned songs were sung; the opposing teams were castigated and laughed at; belligerent yells were rehearsed, and the 'yell practice' ended in a grand frenzy."

Alongside this should be placed an extract from the "Life of Agricola," by Tacitus; but it is to be feared that the friends of youth will not fully agree with the severe name hurled at the yellers. It has been one of the privileges of youth through the ages to shout and make noise, and, if it does cause some annoyance, it surely must be good for the lungs.

In the year 84 A. D. the Roman army in Britain, under Julius Agricola, came up with the Britons making their last great stand at the foot of the Grampian Hills. Galgacus, the British leader, made a stirring speech to his followers, and then,

as reported by Tacitus, "They received his speech joyfully, with chantings and terrible din, and many dissonant shouts, after the manner of barbarians."

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PLEDGE LISTS

The accompanying lists are an echo of the wonderful generosity shown by the Ellis County people four years ago. The Drive for a new and greater St. Joseph's Diocesan College was launched in November of the year 1921. Ellis County's quota was set at \$300,000. Careful addition of the solid rows of figures given will show that \$322,000 dollars were pledged.

It may be that those who went through the files made a mistake in addition, or perhaps a slip was made in typing the lists, or again the printer—he's generally the "goat," made mistakes which the proof readers overlooked—but if there are any mistakes we beg indulgence. If we credited you with a larger sum than you pledged, let us know, we shall be glad to make corrections. If we failed to give you credit for your full generosity by making your pledge smaller than it is, we shall be glad to acknowledge our mistake. But, please remember that there are plenty of chances to make mistakes—and if we erred don't be too hard on us.

These lists give only the pledges. There are plenty of reasons why some people can absolutely not redeem their pledges now—due to the crop failures in successive years. But, to give your boys the best chances for as good an education as they ought to have, we need that **NEW COLLEGE**. Remember, it's your boy's College—it's where he will have the big chance to be the big man of tomorrow. If you can pay something on your pledge—pay up and **DO IT NOW**.

COLLEGE SOPH'S STUFF

The shadows of the quarterly examinations are looming over us. Last week Livy was the object of one examination and Chemistry of the other. It is a great relief when they are over.

A few changes have occurred in our class since Father Matthew, our Trig Prof, has taken sick. Father Justin is now teaching us Trig.

Father George has taken over Father Ferdinand's class and is now teaching us Apologetics. We all are very interested in Fr. George's oratory and enjoy very much his wonderful lectures on religious subjects.

Latin "Horse" (Horace) is worse than the old wooden horse in Virgil. But never mind, Prof., we are going to stick to the old broncho.

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The "Big Four" will soon become masters of the art of music. The latest classical piece added to their repertoire is "The Prisoner's Song." And when they are "tuned in," everything becomes the touch of sweet harmony, even "Prince" Miller lets

those sounds of music creep into his ears.
Owing to the Priests' Annual Conference the students had no class in the afternoon of Nov. 12.
Fr. Ferdinand is planning to put on the play, "Under the Flag" after

Christmas. He just picked the main characters and some of the stenographers are busy typing the various parts.
Francis Staab, the center on the football squad, underwent an operation for appendicitis Sunday.

Cash Contributions to the Fund for St. Joseph's Diocesan College

Here is the list of the Cash Contributors to the Drive that is going on in the Northwestern Counties of the Diocese. These contributions total more than \$10,000. More than \$60,000 are still standing out in pledges. As in Ellis County, so too are the people in the other parts of the Diocese loyal to the Rt. Rev. Bishop's appeal for the New St. Joseph's Diocesan College. By doing your share in the College drive you are following the advice and wish of your Bishop. His Lordship realizes and knows the value of a good, thorough education and he wants you to give your boy the best that can be had. Do your part and do it as well as you can. "Every little bit" helps and it is the many mites that make the mighty mites.

"Light is the labor if all share the toil!" Bear your part and don't expect the "other fellow" to do it all. Sincerest gratitude to all who paid as well as to all who pledged.

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COLLEGE FRESHMAN

As a result of a recent initiation which took place at the College Auditorium on Halloween night only one member of our class has been admitted to the "scrubs."

Father Ferdinand has been substituted as History professor during the absence of Father Matthew who is recovering from an operation.

Nicholas Wasinger, College Freshman, left school a few weeks ago, and until now has not decided to continue his studies but intends to work on his father's farm near Munjor.

Help our new College by paying your subscription to the Building Fund.

FRESHMAN'S FIRST APPEARANCE

We have a nice class of Freshies this year. Although we have lost a few since school began, the class is still going strong.

Our instructors for this term are: Father George in English and Religion; Father Florence in Algebra; Father Herbert in Latin; Father Jordan in History and Prof. Weigel in Physical Geography.

Formerly we had Father Stanislaus in Latin but now Father Herbert keeps us busy.

Most of our Freshmen are from Hays and vicinity, but our most bashful student hails from Nebraska. Missouri is also represented.

The two largest boys in school: Leo Robben and Oliver Franklin, are both Freshmen.

The Freshman boarders were formally initiated lately. Fortunately, the results were not as serious as the Freshmen anticipated.

High Caliber Stuff

Algebra Prof.: What is the product of A times B?

Tony Schlyer: AB.

Prof.: What is the product of B times B?

Schlyer: B times B is BB.

Husky Drees (whispering): Why not buckshot, Tony?

Adolph Grabbe: No. The boarders will have them for dinner.

Some Freshie has been indulging in his love for art by drawing several portraits of a well-known instructor on the blackboard. After carefully inspecting the work we almost think we can detect a faint re-

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semblance to the original.

Certain members of the class are suffering from an optical disorder and a sprained neck after trying to read a story book and watch the teacher at the same time.—O. F.

BOARDERS SPEND A PLEASANT HALLOWEEN NIGHT

While witches, ghosts and jack-o-lanterns were in display at the Halloween celebration on Chestnut St., Oct. 31, the boarders gathered in the College Auditorium for the revival of an old but well known custom, namely initiation. For some reason or other this grand, old custom had been neglected by the older students for the last five years. Just a few students experienced in that line were left and they undertook the plans for the revival. Only three members were on the force to start the ball of merriment a-rolling, but soon these were assisted by some fresh-experienced hands. No pains were spared to make the occasion a happy one. Twenty-four were put through the fray, and the regulator pointed to eleven thirty when the last victim was in his delirious state. We never minded our sleep that evening but that "dormi" bell the next morning did not serve its purpose. Everybody awaited the second call.

COURAGE

Courage is not just
To bare one's bosom to the saber-thrust,
Alone in daring.
Courage is to grieve,
To have the hurt, and make the world believe
You are not caring.
Courage does not lie
Alone in dying for a cause. To die
Is only giving.
Courage is to feel
The daily daggers of relentless steel
And keep on living. —Anonymous.

Prof: I have not seen any robins around here. Do any stay around here all winter.

Murphy Schueler: Yes, professor, there is one staying around here this winter.

Prof.: Really?

Murphy: Yes, "Buddy" Robben.

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