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This issue includes information on our 50th Reunion



**Greetings Classmates!**

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Time is passing quickly. This is the third issue of the 50th Reunion newsletter. It is time, if you have not already done so, to start planning to attend the 50th Reunion. We have received several registrations as of this date. We will start announcing names of those who have registered in the April newsletter. [Visit the website](#) for complete Registration Information.

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### ***St James High School Forty-Fifth Commencement Booklet***

Our Thanks go out to Dave Risky, for sending us a copy of the SJH Class of 1964 Commencement Booklet from Sunday, May 24, 1964. That's more than 50 years ago. Are we old or what! It makes a great addition to our 50th Reunion website. Click here to [download your copy](#). Dave was also kind enough to dig into his storage boxes and he found a copy of the Grand Forks Herald article on the Class of 1964 Graduation. [Click here to view it](#).

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### ***Do You Remember the School Song?***

This is a test! Do you Remember the words? Com'on! Need some help? Listen to the song here:

<http://sjh64reunion50.com/Music%20Plus/StJamesFightSong.htm>

Here's a hint:

**Fight on you Jimmies. We are for you.....Dada da dee dee, da da da da due.**

Is this the way you used to sing along to the school fight song? It was for many of us.

We are not 100% positive, but thanks to help from Paulette Painter Schaefer - Paulette was one of our Cheerleaders and she otta know, we think the words were:

**"Fight on you Jimmies. We are for you. Carry our colors, we'll see you through. Fight, fight, fight for SJH - We've got team that's on it's way."**

Was there a second verse? If you know – [email us](#), please if you know it.

We think we should sing the SJH School Song at the Reunion Dinner. Start practicing!

### ***Who is the most famous person you have met in your life – when and where?***

That is one of the questions in the 50<sup>th</sup> Reunion Class Book Survey. Here are a few of the answers we have received from your classmates so far:

Former U.S. President Bill Clinton  
 Alabama Governor George Wallace  
 Michael Wilding - (Elizabeth Taylor and Michael Wilding's son). – A very funny story  
 Paul Newman – This former classmate spent 15 minutes with him.  
 Joan Kroc, wife of McDonald's Founder, Ray Kroc – This classmate introduced himself to her and thanked her for the generous help she gave to Grand Forks Residents after the Big Flood.  
 Larry Hagman & Linda Grey of the show, "Dallas"  
 President Lyndon Johnson & his Daughters  
 Lawrence Welk  
 Michael Cassidy from the TBS Show "Men At Work" and she is actually related to him.

These are just a few of the famous people your fellow classmates have met in their lives. Want to know the details? – Sorry!...You have to [Register](#) and come to the reunion and start asking your classmates in person – they all have facinating stories to tell you about their lives these past 50 years since we graduated.... or....if you really cannot attend the reunion because you will be called away on secret government business or you have open heart surgery scheduled, etc.,....Then get busy and complete the [Class Book Survey](#) and we will send you, after the Reunion, a copy of all your classmates' life story summaries and comments.

### ***Think School was hard for us?***

(Our Thanks to Chuck Pelzl for sending this)



### What it took to get an 8th grade education in 1895...

Remember when grandparents and great-grandparents stated that they only had an 8th grade education? Could any of us have passed the 8th grade in 1895? This is the eighth-grade final exam from 1895 in Salina, Kansas, USA. It was taken from the original document on file at the Smokey Valley Genealogical Society and Library in Salina, and reprinted by the Salina Journal.

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### 8th Grade Final Exam: Salina, KS - 1895

#### Grammar (Time, one hour)

1. Give nine rules for the use of capital letters.
2. Name the parts of speech and define those that have no modifications.
3. Define verse, stanza and paragraph.
4. What are the principal parts of a verb? Give principal parts of 'lie,' 'play,' and 'run'.
5. Define case; illustrate each case.
- 6 What is punctuation? Give rules for principal marks of punctuation.
- 7 - 10. Write a composition of about 150 words and show therein that you understand the practical use of the rules of grammar.

#### Arithmetic (Time, 1 hour 15 minutes)

1. Name and define the Fundamental Rules of Arithmetic.
2. A wagon box is 2 ft. Deep, 10 feet Long, and 3 ft. Wide. How many bushels of wheat will it hold?
3. If a load of wheat weighs 3,942 lbs., what is it worth at 50cts/bushel, deducting 1,050 lbs. for tare?
4. District No 33 has a valuation of \$35,000. What is the necessary levy to carry on a school seven months at \$50 per month, and have \$104 for incidentals?
5. Find the cost of 6,720 lbs. Coal at \$6.00 per ton.
6. Find the interest of \$512.60 for 8 months and 18 days at 7 percent per annum.
7. What is the cost of 40 boards 12 inches wide and 16 ft. long at \$20 per meter?
8. Find bank discount on \$300 for 90 days (no grace) at 10 percent.
9. What is the cost of a square farm at \$15 per acre, the distance of which is 640 rods?
10. Write a Bank Check, a Promissory Note, and a Receipt.

[Click Here to View the Remainder of the Test](#)

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## Memory Test - Can you name these Classmates



How good is your memory? They say it's your short-term memory that goes as you get older. This should be easy for you then as these are photos of your classmates from over 50 years ago. Can you name them? Each month until the 50th Reunion we will include four classmate photos. Send us an email and tell us who they are. We will score the entries and keep a running tab and declare The Classmate With the Best Memory at the 50th Reunion in August. No cheating now! [Send us an Email](#) giving full names for each classmate.

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**Until Next Month - John Wavra, Editor** If you have any photos, stories, etc., you would like to contribute to a future newsletter - [email us](#). Now get busy and make your reservations at the Canad Inn in Grand Forks if you are traveling back and complete the [Registration forms](#) and mail in your check today!

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