

Seniors Earn Wages For Learning In D. E.

Students enrolled in D. E. have been caught "working" on the job of getting a high school diploma.

D. E. is the popular term for Distributive Education, a program planned for on-the-job training. Students in D. E. are enrolled on a basis of need, interest, and ability. Twenty seniors are enrolled. The main purpose of this course is career development. D. E. is offered in the afternoon. The student takes 1 hour of classroom study and 3 hours of on-the-job training.

Some of the requirements for this course are: the students must be seniors, a "C" average is recommended and the job must provide a learning situation.

Distributive Education began in 1936 with the passage of the George-Dean Act by which the federal government makes money available to states for such a program.

All of the students participating in D. E. this year, have formed a local chapter of DECA, Distributive Education Clubs of America. The members of DECA will study marketing and distribution in connection with their club, and will also "help to promote understanding and appreciation for the responsibilities of citizenship in our free, competitive enterprise system."

Band Gains 19 Members

The Riggs high school band has 139 students this year compared with 120 last year. Although the band lost many senior players through graduation, Norman Sampson, band director, says that the quality is relatively the same and that Riggs should have a very good band this year.

No special new plans have been made except that the band will be going to Bismarck this year during the annual basketball rivalry, and many new precision marches have been planned.

Approximately \$4,500 has been spent this year on new music and instruments and should produce some new and excellent music, according to Sampson.

Music Group Elects Officers

David Hanson and Cheryl Burge were elected 1965-66 presidents of the mixed chorus and girls glee club, respectively. The vice presidents and secretary-treasurers were also elected.

The chorus elected Gary Ellwanger as its vice president and Linda Hall as secretary-treasurer. The Glee Club elected Sharon Moser as vice president and Teri Harding as secretary-treasurer.

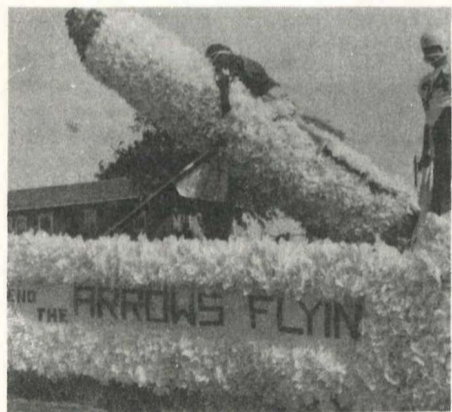
Mrs. Helen Spitzer directs both groups.

Face Lifting At Riggs

The library had its face lifted this summer when the former browsing area was transformed into a reading section.

The new facility will allow 50 students to visit the library at one time, an increase of 20 over last year. All of the magazines and newspapers will be in the new material is still in the section.

When the new section is finished, there will be storage units under the windows.



"Let's send the Arrows Flying" was the theme of Miss Hewitt's homeroom float pictured above. Although this float did not receive an award, it is exemplary of the quality of floats entered in this year's homecoming parade. "Expecting Victory," built by students in Mr. Pries' homeroom, was named the Best Float in a parade of 17 entries. Other winners were "Aim for Victory," Mr. Fjelstad's homeroom, awarded Most Original; "Sailing to Victory," Mr. Peterson's and Mrs. Harris' homerooms, Spirit of the Day; "Flame of Victory," Mr. Judson's homeroom, Most Beautiful.

Homecoming Is Tradition

Homecoming festivities, known as "Minnesosho days," leads one to thinking of the history of Minnesosho day in Pierre high school.

The name, "Minnesosho" or "Minnesoshe," is an Indian name meaning "by the muddy waters" and was chosen by the student body at large.

In 1926 the students voted to sponsor a homecoming and the school board granted a half-day holiday on condition that the pupils dispose with freshman initiation. Thus, "Minnesoshe days" came to be the annual homecoming of Pierre high school.

The excitement began on the eve of homecoming when the Alumni Banquet took place. After the Alumni Banquet, a snake dance, made up of most of the older students in the city schools, wound through the streets to the gymnasium at the high school where a pep program was held. A bonfire and a stunt program on the practice field finished the pep meeting and completed the activities of Homecoming eve.

Homecoming day began with a parade, as it still does. The football game climaxed the day.

Times have changed, but Pierre high school, now Riggs Senior high school, lives to make its new traditions mingle with the old.

The tradition of the homecoming costumes has an interesting history.

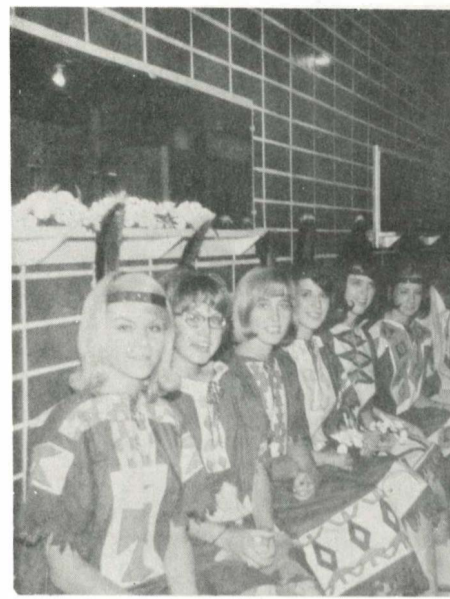
Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Holm donated a specially-made jacket four years ago to the school for the Marshall to wear.

The squaw collar for the queen is a real Indian heirloom belonging to the Cudmore family and loaned through the courtesy of the Bert Nieber shoe store. The headbands are made each year by the costume committee and given to the candidates to keep. The costumes are made by the home economics department and the designs on the girls' costumes are painted on by Mrs. Smith's art class. Each design has a special meaning.

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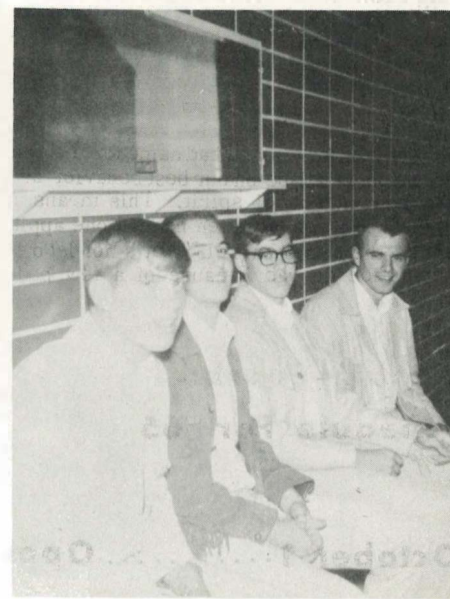


Sharon Moser and Bill Flannery were crowned queen and marshall of 1965 at the Coronation ceremonies Thursday night, September 16, at the Riggs High gymnasium.

Attending the queen were Geri Misterek and Janice Zarecky and attendants Cheryl Cowan, Lois Snow, and Kay Cameron. Attending the marshall were Stewart Cassell, Gary Ellwanger and Dave Hanson. John Fritz, mayor of Riggs high school, conducted the program.

James Douglas presented the queen a bouquet of red roses from the student Council, Dalene Moore presented the Marshall a gift from the senior class, Jane Lehnert presented the queen a gift from the pep club, and Larry Lueke presented the the marshall a gift from the G Club.

Mrs. Jon Horning (Terry Lamster) and



Dick Spilde represented the alumni of Pierre high school. Mrs. Horning was a member of the royalty of 1956 and Spilde was mayor of 1954-55.

Coach Jon Horning introduced this year's football squad and head coach, "Bud" Glanzer. Horning read a poem entitled, "What a football player is." Comet Haroldson, representing the team, told of the team's progress.

The audience was entertained by Dena Koutsoukas who sang "By the waters of Minnetonka" and Connie Smith who presented a dance. The cheerleaders led the audience in a pep fest.

Following the program a coke party, sponsored by the Student Council, was held in the gymnasium. Entertainment was given by the Madhatters.

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Governors Tackle Arrows On Homecoming

The Pierre High Governors football squad was defeated by Watertown, 13-6, in the Homecoming game at Hollister Field, September 18.

The Governors took to the air the entire game and totaled 59 yards passing. The Arrows took to a ground assault and averaged up to 7 yards per carry. Because of fumbles, and an inexperienced offensive line, the Governors ground assault was limited. Coach Glanzer and assistant Horning commented that the boys will have to work on holding the ball with more certainty.

There were no scores in the first quarter as Pierre held the Arrows down. The second quarter came with an interception made by Dave Ellwein and run all the way for Pierre's only score during the entire game. The second quarter ended with a score of 6-6. The Arrows increased their lead to 13-6 in the third quarter, the final score of the game.

Student Body Elects Class Officers

The newly-elected class officers were asked recently about problems they expect to face during the year and the following are their comments:

Senior class president, Bill Flannery, believes that the senior class this year has no problems and is well organized. Flannery was elected as president of the National Honor Society for this year and was also elected as Homecoming Marshall. Flannery would like to see something dedicated as a memorial in remembrance of this year's graduating senior class and would like to see something done for the sophomores. Flannery has been an active participant in basketball and cross-country in the past years and enjoys many types of outdoor sports.

Senior class vice president, Mike Schliessmann, believes that the senior class has no general problems and that they are well organized. Schliessmann served as vice commissioner his junior year, prom waiter his sophomore year, and is an active member in the Latin Club. Schliessmann believes this year's graduating class should establish a type of memorial or do something creative for the school. His various types of hobbies include outdoor sports and basketball.

Sharon Moser, secretary of the senior class is also active in many organizations. She participates in Pep Club, Gumbo, Band, Student Council, Latin Club, and Glee Club. Sharon is looking forward to joining either FHA or Drama Club.

Janice Zarecky, senior class treasurer, is active in Pep Club, Gumbo, Band, Student Council, German Club, Choir, and is a cheerleader. After graduating from high school, Janice plans on going to college and studying pharmacy. The feeling of all the seniors was summed up when she commented, "To me, the Senior Class of '66" is the best."

Junior Comet Haroldson, believes the biggest problem facing the juniors is their financial situation, but feels that problem will quickly dissolve if the juniors work together. Haroldson is a past president of the student council in Aberdeen and was a member of Latin Club, YMCA, and Methodist Youth Fellowship there. "Responsibility, honor, and surprise" were his first thoughts after winning the office. Between school and homework he enjoys playing his guitar, reading and all kinds of sports.

Rich Shangreaux, junior class vice president, expects no major problems in the future if all juniors pull together. Shangreaux, who has lived in Pierre all his life, was vice president of the sophomore class last year. Vacations from school find Rich hunting or active in sports.

Linda Douglas, junior class secretary, believes the juniors should work together toward making the prom a success. Linda is active in Pep Club, Spanish Club, Catholic Daughters and is a twirler. In her spare time she enjoys bowling.

Mary Schliessmann, junior class treasurer, says her class will have bake sales and refreshments at the home games to earn money for the prom. Schliessmann,

Vocal Groups Announced

Helen Spitzer, choir director, has announced the memberships of small vocal ensembles. They are: Girls Sextet - Mary Jassmann, Dana Slaathaug, Jocelyn Quinn, Karla Von Wald, Mary Spilde, and Linda Hall. The accompanist will be Judi Gifford.

Boys Octet - Buddy Smith, Steven Gray, Bill Benesh, Buddy Cassell, Harlan Timmerman, Ray Palmer, Len Allen and Wendelin Molsam. The accompanist will be Barbara Holst.

Mixed Octet - Roberta Bartels, Dorianne Snodgrass, Vada Trimble, Pam Schumacher, Mike Brewster, Larry Randolph, Harold Hunter and Steve Noble. The accompanist will be Suzanne Kjelland.

Eighteen choir members have tried out for solos this year. Local eliminations will be held the last week of October. Of this group 6 new solists will be chosen to represent Pierre at the contest in Moberge. Former members, Mary Jassmann and Harold Hunter, who won superiors last year, will also return to the contest to try to retain their ratings.

is active in Pep Club and Catholic Daughters. She has lived in Pierre all her life and enjoys sewing in her spare time.

Charles Adams is the newly elected president of the sophomore class. The other sophomore officers are: Mike Robinson, vice president; Jackie Downs, secretary; Susan Gilkerson, treasurer.

Charles Adams is an active member in golfing, reading, and collecting coins. He held a previous office as commissioner in the seventh grade and again in the ninth grade.

Mike Robinson is an active member of the German Club. He likes all sports and collecting coins. In the seventh grade Mike was commissioner and in the ninth grade, vice-commissioner. He served as secretary in the eighth grade.

Jackie Downs belongs to 4-H and Jobs Daughters. She likes to read and oil paint. In the eighth grade Jackie was Commissioner, and the ninth grade she was vice-president of the library club; she was also student drama director.

Susan Gilkerson is an active member of the Spanish Club; she is also B-squad cheerleader. In the ninth grade Susan was vice-commissioner and she was secretary in the ninth grade. She likes all sports, playing the piano, and reading.

Sophomores Prepare For Second Game

Riggs High Welcomes Second Foreign Student

Riggs Joins ESD Conference

In 1966 the Pierre High Governors will be privileged to join the Eastern South Dakota Conference. This means that Pierre will play against larger schools more often. When Pierre enters the Conference it will likely make Pierre a better known town. In the first few years we can give Pierre a good or a bad name that will take many a year to live down. We all know how easily it is to make a bad name for a town. So we must all be on our best behavior and not lack in school spirit. This means all of us. As you so often hear, "one apple spoils the whole barrel." Let's not let our reputation go bad because of a few bad apples.

Varsity Football Schedule For '65

- October 1..... Open
- October 6..... Winner*
- October 15..... Bismarck
- October 22... Rapid City
- October 29..... Mitchell
- November 5..... Huron*

* indicates home games

SET - HUT 1. HUT 2...

By: Vada Trimble

Orders like this (or, at least, similar) were flying right and left during the three weeks of practice before the Sophs' opening game last Monday. Thirty-six sophs are out for football this year. They include: Charles Adams, Lanny Blake, Clayton Boyle, Jerry Coble, Bob Creager, Gerald Dixon, Roland Erikson, Clarence Gloe, Steven Gregory, Mark Hammond, Allen Hanley, Greg Jirsa, David Jones, Joe Krier, Arthur Krig, Paul Lerdal, Gilbert McBride, James Neiles, Steven Boble, Vernon Newlon, Tom Olson, Jim Osberg, Dave Pavolovich, Terry Ree, Mike Robinson, Douglas Roseth, Dennis Sampson, Dale Sheffer, Jerry Snyder, Danny Sommer, Lee Stevens, Larry Theobald, Terry Tousley, Don Trimble, John Walker, Mike Walch, Wayne Wilson.

Upon interviewing coach Judson, I found that he was impressed with the enthusiasm and spirit of the squad. Coach Judson commented on the fact that there are some pretty large boys out for football, but said that just being big doesn't make a good football player. He said a coach would be as happy with small boys who hit hard as large boys who take it easy.

It appears to me that the coaches are very concerned about the Sophomore team. Together, both coaches have stressed the fundamentals of football a great deal and will continue to do so. They feel this is the basis for good, sound football players.

The Sophs started out their season by playing Gettysburg September 20 at Gettysburg. The other games on the schedule are:

September 27	Cheyenne	Here
October 4	Winner	There
October 12	Gettysburg	Here
October 18	Chamberlain	Here
October 25	Jr. Varsity	Here



Sharon Moser '65 Queen

Twelve New Teachers Join Riggs Staff

Riggs High opens this year with 12 new teachers, four women and eight men.

Delores Fordahl, new home economics teacher, is from Sisseton, South Dakota. Miss Fordahl attended college at Moorhead, Minnesota, for one year. The next three years she attended State University at Brookings. She graduated with a major in Home Making Education and a minor in Science.

While attending college Miss Fordahl was one of the six students to go on a semi-synthetic diet for 57 days in which natural food was not eaten. This research was conducted to determine the amount of protein necessary to the body.

Swimming, sewing, and playing the piano are Miss Fordahl's favorite past times.

Miss Fordahl taught school in Rapid City at South Junior High. This summer she was a camp nutritionist in the Black Hills for a 4-H group.

Miss Fordahl is planning to get married next summer.

Don Baumberger, the new American history teacher, graduated from Huron College. His minor was in social science, and his major in physical education.

Baumberger taught two years at Woonsocket. He also spent two years as an assistant recreation director at Minot, North Dakota, as a civilian.

Some of Baumberger's favorite hobbies are golf, bowling, and music.

Bob Ivers is the new assistant band leader. Mr. Ivers attended Black Hills State where he received a major in composite music and a minor in math.

His home town is Belle Fourche. Iver's favorite sports are tennis and golf. Last year Mr. Ivers taught at Bridgewater, South Dakota.

Mrs. Mary McClure teaches journalism and English III. Mrs. McClure attended Black Hills State and the University of South Dakota, where she got her B.A. degree. She majored in journalism and minored in English and government. Some of her interests are reading and skiing.

Before Mrs. McClure came to Riggs, she was on the staff of Senator Francis Case in Washington D.C. for two years.

She also campaigned for Senator Botum in 1962, and was secretary to Lt. Governor, Nils Boe.

Elizabeth Hewitt is from Coco Solo, Canal Zone. She attended college at Hastings College, Hastings, Nebraska. Miss Hewitt majored in Spanish and minored in history.

Miss Hewitt's hobbies are piano, bowling, sewing, and reading.

Delmar Green attended Black Hills State College. He majored in social science and minored in biology. His hometown is Deadwood and this is the first time he has taught.

Steve Brown is now teaching English IV and drama. Also, he is the dramatics director.

Brown is from Worthington, Minnesota. His educational experience includes two years at Worthington Junior College, two years at Yankton College, where he received his B.A. degree with drama and speech as a major and for minors, history and English.

Brown was a practice teacher at Yankton High School. For two years Brown participated as an actor and technician at the Lewis and Clark Playhouse in Yankton.

John Ziegler got his B.S. degree from northern State College in Aberdeen and his M. S. degree at Stouts Saint College in Menomonie, Wisc. Ziegler is the shop vocational directional director. He has taught before at Redfield public schools. His hometown is Aberdeen, South Dakota.

Yvonne Schafer is from Webster, South Dakota. She attended South Dakota State University at Brookings, where she majored in foreign languages, German and Russian. Her minor was in English.

Last year she taught German, Russian, and English at Webster.

Miss Schafer's hobbies are collecting records, mostly German.

Jon Horning attended the University of South Dakota where he received his B.S. degree. He majored in physical education and minored in history. He taught school before at Brooten, Minnesota, for three years. His hometown is Watertown, S. D. He graduated from the Saint Thomas Military Academy. Later he got his M. S. degree from the University of Colorado.

Robert Judson attended College at Huron. He majored in physical education, and minored in biological science and English. Judson taught at Sisseton, S. D. before he came here. Judson's hometown is Custer, S. D. One of his favorite hobbies is athletics.

George Adams attended college at the University of South Dakota. He majored in biology and minored in speech. He is a resident of Pierre. This is the first time he has ever taught in a high school. His favorite hobbies are hunting and fishing.

Sturgis Defeats Governors

Sturgis defeated Pierre 31-0 in the Governors' first football game of the season.

Outstanding offensive players for Pierre were seniors Jack Myers and junior Comet Haraldson. Outstanding players for Pierre's defense were seniors Tim Brooks, end, with 11 tackles, Vince Olson, tackle and sophomore Greg Walpole, center, with 8 tackles.

The Governors passed a total of 21 and completed 10 for 48% with 2 interceptions. Both teams had three fumbles.

Riggs High Welcomes Four New Coaches

Riggs has a new football coaching staff this year headed by Elroy "Bud" Glanzer, assistant Jon Horning and sophomore coaches Robert Judson and Don Baumberger.

Glanzer graduated from Yankton College and before coming to Pierre coached the Arlington varsity football team and taught history. He currently teaches American History in Riggs as well as coaching football and wrestling.

Glanzer commented that although this year's team is green and inexperienced, the boys learn quickly and are eager to learn and play.

Jon Horning, assistant football coach, has a B.S. degree from South Dakota State University and an M.A. from the University of Colorado. Other colleges he attended are the University of Oklahoma, Carlton College, and Saint Cloud State College. He teaches economics at Riggs.

Before coming to Pierre, Horning was head football and baseball coach for 3 years and assistant basketball coach for 2 years at Brooten, Minnesota.

"Very good facilities very capable personnel, and tremendous desire, spirit, and determination," were comments made by Horning about Riggs' athletic program.

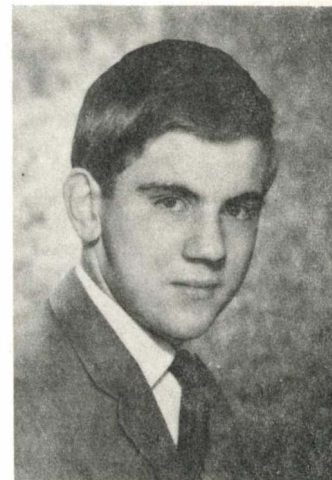
The head sophomore football coach this year is Robert Judson.

Judson is a graduate of Huron College and coached football at Sisseton before coming to Pierre. He teaches biology and gym at Riggs.

Judson commented, "Pierre's school spirit is excellent and I hope it will remain that way." He also said the equipment and facilities are excellent.

Baumberger, also a Huron college graduate, is the assistant sophomore coach. Before coming to Pierre he taught two years at Woonsocket and spent two years as an assistant recreation director at Minot, North Dakota.

Gero Schachtiefer, foreign exchange student from Bonn, Germany, enrolled as a senior in the Pierre school system on September 7. He is staying at the home of Donald Gerlach on 1704 E. Erskine. Gero has one sister, 13. His father is the head of a bank department in Bonn.



Schachtiefer

"I had more free time in Germany," said Gero, "although in Germany everybody is required to take ten subjects." Gero has taken Latin, English, Greek, German, biology, physics, math, geography, history and religion. Not all classes are held every day of the week. He has studied English for 4 1/2 years and speaks it fluently. In Germany the school day lasts from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. There are no study halls.

Gero participated in sports, art, and music and drew illustrations for the school newspaper. The school newspaper contains 50 pages and is published once every 2 months.

"I hope to run with the cross-country team at Homecoming," Gero said. He is active in many sports. He enjoys rowing, tennis, socker, basketball, handball, and track.

When asked about his future plans, Gero replied he would like to do one of three things; major in mathematics or political science or else make a career out of the army.

Pierre Wins First Meet

Pierre opened its 1965 cross-country season with a 13-23 win over Sturgis in a dual meet run during the half-time of the Governor-Scooper football game, Friday, September 10.

The low scorer wins in cross country, and points are given on a basis of one for 1st, two for 2nd, etc.

The course averaged slightly over 1 1/4 miles. Jan Fladeboe, a senior, led the Pierre team taking 1st place in a time of 6:40. Bruce Bad Moccasin, a junior, took second place for Pierre in a time of 7:01.

The other top finishers in order were: 3rd Emery, Sturgis; 4th Osberg, Pierre, 7:12; 5th Casteel, Sturgis; 6th John Ashley, Pierre, 7:33; 7th Burdick, Sturgis; 8th Volmer, Sturgis; 9th Evers, Sturgis; 10th John Fritz, Pierre, 7:40.

Those participating on this year's team are John Ashley, Bruce Bad Moccasin, Jan Fladeboe, John Fritz, Jim Frost, Frank Halligan, Larry Hughes, David June, Mark Marion, Mike Moffat, Nels Nelson, Bernie Osberg, Gero Schachtiefer, and Mike Welton.

Roger Pries is coach. Pierre's next meet was scheduled for September 17.

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Pierre - Watertown Game

	PIERRE	WATERTOWN
Rushing	105 yards	210 yards
Passing	59 yards	53 yards
Penalties	30 yards	45 yards
fumbles	4	3

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