

Pray Hard For Father Walsh.

Nothing is doing more to keep up Father Walsh's spirits than the knowledge that you are praying for him. It is a tough battle he is having, and courage is a big part of it. Remember him ~~in~~ daily ~~for~~ in Holy Communion and you will have his undying gratitude.

Wasn't Lent Nice And Short.

Statistics show that it lasted about seven days this year. That's sweet. Catholics used to make it forty, but, after all, there's nothing like keeping up with the times, and this is a swift age.

First Friday.

Attention is called to it early this week because present indications are that the professionals will be very crowded Friday morning -- too crowded for efficiency.

Thievery.

It's hard for you to suppose that money is just lost when it disappears from a locker. Fifteen dollars disappeared in this fashion from a Brownson Hall locker one day last week. If the person who assisted at its disappearance will make it reappear, he may save himself and his family some anxious moments. A slip can be condoned; detection is hard to down. If a boy is once caught, he is branded; people find it hard to forget that he was once a thief.

Study The Survey.

Letters and messages on the Religious Survey are coming in from all over the country. There is a general expression of satisfaction with it; several of the correspondents have pronounced it the best one issued thus far. It is used a great deal by priests in sermons and by educators in the class room. You are missing a bit bet if you do not study it systematically, analyzing your own spiritual life in the light of what your companions have to say.

Campus Graft.

There have been various inquiries as to which campus graft was meant in Saturday's Bulletin. The editor wishes to state that he had knowledge of no existing campus graft when the Bulletin was written, and that this is the first year in several that this was the case. The desire to make reference to this particular abuse in past years has always been balked by the fact that he had one or two cases under advisement -- cases brought in by students who had been drawn into some such condition without full previous knowledge of conditions. To the best of the editor's recollection, there is no student here now who brought in such a case; those who did in the past always asked that reference to it be withheld until after they had left school. Their confidence has been respected; so has their desire to do something to put a stop to abuses.

Campus grafters have been put into the Novena for Brains because what they need more than anything else is common sense. Their imaginations may be able to figure out some sort of fiction of right for what they are doing, but they know down in their hearts that if they get something they are not entitled to they must give it back. The paltry gain they receive now is not worth the uneasy conscience they get; and the bad habit they acquire now may yet send them to hell.

PRAYERS: Sister Miriam, Summer School student, is undergoing a serious operation this week. Paul Farmer's grandmother is very ill.