

All Souls' Day
Every priest
says 3 Masses

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All Saints' Day
Masses, 6, 7, 8, 9
(none later)

It's a Goofy World.

St. Louis - A department store, in its house organ, claims to have duplicated the miraculous odor of roses which accompanied the removal of the relics of St. Therese, "the Little Flower," to their present resting place in the chapel of the Carmel of Lisieux. Their claim reads:

"Perfume experts have tried and tried to capture a scent that embodied the 'rain of roses' sent by St. Therese. Recently they succeeded. In 'Les Fleurs de St. Therese' they have the purest, loveliest, rose scent imaginable. It is dedicated to the memory of St. Therese."

All this in the glorious Twentieth Century, here in the United States of America.

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West Virginia - A physician announced the expected arrival of a synthetic baby, produced by an injection into the mother's bloodstream of an extract from the leaves and sap of a cherry tree.

One more sap - believe it or not.

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Chicago - Welfare workers announce the formation of a union to secure an increase of pay.

Shades of Frederick Ozanam!

What Price Education?

Provost Josiah H. Penniman, of the University of Pennsylvania, spoke thus at the Founder's Day exercises at Lafayette College recently. He is quoted as follows:

"Education has not succeeded in eliminating selfishness and untruthfulness from the dealings of men with each other. The good of the whole has been sacrificed to the aspirations of the individual. Hence conferences have met and closed with little done and with the world restless and unhappy."

True enough - but why? What has education offered as a cure for selfishness? What has it offered as a source of peace and happiness?

Increased knowledge, increased earning capacity, greater power - these have been the objectives placed before students in secular schools - and for a long time now. Isn't that the appeal to individualism, to restless ambition?

Whenever an altruistic appeal was made, it was to the principles of Humanitarianism - and did anyone ever sincerely believe that Humanitarianism would be effective in uprooting inherent selfishness, except in a few sentimentalists.

Education has got back exactly what it has given. Christian education has given the Sermon on the Mount and Christ Crucified; it has got back the Father Damians, the St. Francis Xaviers, all the hosts of Saints and martyrs, and all the unsung heroes and heroines who are faithful to their duties to God, to the State to the family. But Christianity carries with it the Ten Commandments, so secular education will have none of it.

PRAYERS: Deceased - Col. Wm. L. Luhn, U.S.A.; the father of B. P. Wood; a relative of Vernon Tetrault. Ill - Walter Schrader's mother; Francis Twomey's father; a sister of Gerald Klein, '30; George Blaine's grandmother; a cousin of Francis Quinlan (operation); a friend of Vincent Jordan. Three special intentions.