

Mass, father of J.  
Lafferty, Thurs.  
7:20 Howard. . .

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. . .request of  
Badin Hall mates.

To the Young Lady...

...who wrote to Coach Leahy asking if she could attend Mary's Rally in addition to the "pep" rally, we would answer that Mary's Rally is really held every Saturday morning throughout the year and not just during the football season. Mary's Rally does not mean "football Communion" or praying for victory. It is her sons' rallying to honor Mary at Mass these 99 long years on Saturday, her day. During football season the boys traditionally have appreciated the campus rising en masse in a spirit of solidarity and sacrifice and to add a prayer against injuries.

We would advise the young lady that some halls have been quite crowded these last few Saturday mornings. She probably could not find room in the sophomore and senior halls though "The Gentlemen of Walsh", faithful therefore crowded, would make room, but judging from reports there would be plenty of room for her at the 6:30 Mass in any of the freshman and most of the junior halls.

Maybe it would be better, Mary - we somehow assume your name is Mary - to attend one of the Masses Saturday especially in honor of Our Lady, at 7:10 in Dillon and Cavanaugh Halls, 7:20 in Howard. Of course, the Cotillion is on this week-end and there will be some late sleepers and perhaps some of the girls will wish to go to Mary's Rally: so therefore we will have a Mass at 8:00 o'clock in Dillon Chapel.

Thanks - -

1. "Many thanks for sending me the Scholastic while I was at camp. I have just been released from the army so I wish to inform you and tell you how much I appreciated your thoughtfulness. (signed) William E. Doyle"

The above note on a postal card shows the thoughtfulness of the old-timers, your older brothers who are receiving the Scholastics. The Student Commission members mailing out the Scholastics don't expect thanks, but they appreciate thoughtfulness - - and a few more student helpers. Don't be bashful! Report at 117 or 121 Dillon.

2.--and many of them to the Catholic Action Students who sacrificed a little time - yet had a great time - in initiating and putting over that collection for the House of Hospitality in town. The collections so far amount to \$206 (including \$5 from Mechanical Engineers) with a few outlying districts to be heard from. That was splendid, their work and your donations especially those of the freshmen and every nickel you gave is registered up in heaven where no thieves or rust or defense taxes can ever consume. One day you will have Christ, Himself, thanking you in His own words: "I was hungry and you gave me to eat."

3.--to the Scholastic last week for the good article on N.D. "Cafe Society", but it didn't mention those Coffee Hour habitues who don't stop at Dillon first for Communion because they "haven't the time". Prices may have to go up in the Cafe, but the charge for immortal nourishment will remain the same at Dillon; a little thoughtfulness, a little sacrifice, a little love - and a sense of direction.

For example, on Founder's Day one sophomore, without sophomoritis, figuratively if not literally staggered over to Dillon at quarter to twelve to receive Communion. Chatting with him, the priest discovered that he had been working all morning, fasting, of course. We're willing to bet on that boy. If he keeps up his doggedness, he will be a success, first and most important of all, spiritually. That same spirit of determination, stability and sense of direction overflowing into his business and professional life will take him places even in the depression after this defense boom when jobs will be scarce. The weak-sisters meantime will fall by the way-side, and will reminisce on happy hours in N.D. "Cafe Society" - as they stand in the bread-lines.

PRAYERS: (deceased) friend of Bill Anderson (How), friend of John Gibbons (Al.), Mr. G. Schmelk. Ill. grandfather of J. Zimmerman (Bro). 6 thanksgivings. 3 S.I.