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Wildcats, Pink Slips and Pink Elephants

The Wildcats were licked last spring. Spring training, hard work, condition, and attention to fundamentals did it - plus some prayers.

The pink elephants - terrors of flunking - are coming unless you take those pink slips seriously and get down to training, to study and prayer.

No need to get the jitters over pink slips or pink elephants now or later if you settle down today to steady work and prayer. January exams are passed now.

Plan your work with Christ at Mass and Communion each day, even if you rise late.

Don't Worry! There Is No Hell...

...say the false prophets of the wise world, those who didn't make the rules for saving our souls, those who didn't make the rules for getting to Heaven - or Hell.

THERE IS A HELL, says God - Who knows without any guessing. He made it. He ought to know. Here are some of Christ's warnings:

"If thy hand is an occasion of sin to thee, cut it off! It is better for thee to enter into life maimed, than, having two hands, go into hell, into the unquenchable fire, 'Where their worm dies not, and the fire is not quenched.'

"And if thy foot is an occasion of sin to thee, cut it off! It is better for thee to enter life everlasting lame, than, having two feet, to be cast into the hell of unquenchable fire, 'Where their worm dies not, and the fire is not quenched.'

"And if thy eye is an occasion of sin to thee, pluck it out! It is better for thee to enter into the kingdom of God with one eye, than, having two eyes, to be cast into the hell of fire, 'Where their worm dies not, and the fire is not quenched.'

"For everyone shall be salted with fire, and every victim shall be salted."

Are You Square With "Mr. Big?"

The mother of Ollie Helland '39, naval air cadet, used to write to him in training telling him to keep faithful to God. One time Ollie wrote back to her saying: "Don't worry, Mother, I'm square with 'Mr. Big'."

One of the greatest consolations to his mother, father and family - and to himself now - is the fact that he received Communion on Sunday, the day before he crashed to his death.

He was square with "Mr. Big" in the service, just as he was here at Notre Dame, where he was a frequent Communicant.

Pray For Another N.D. Pilot.

Mrs. Barrett, mother of Larry Barrett '40, just phoned that Larry has been reported lost while piloting a bomber over a desolate south-western area. She asks your prayers that he may be found - safe.

PRAYERS: (deceased) friend of Jim Fagan (Dil); John O'Brien; Mr. Bert Stolberg, friend of Dough Haley (O-C); Mrs. F.F. Wolfinger, friend of Bob Baker. Ill, uncle of Bill Leonard (Car); wife of Ollie Wolfe. Eight special intentions.