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St. Anthony Comes Through.

Last Friday down on one of the piers in St. Joseph's lake a fifty dollar watch slipped out of its owner's hands and fell into the water. Fervent pleas were sent up to St. Anthony while divers went down repeatedly in search of the timepiece. The watch was not found. Saturday afternoon swimmers were on the same pier and mention was made of the misfortune of the preceding day. One fellow thought he would try his luck. He persevered in his efforts and came up with the watch. St. Anthony was twenty-four hours late in answering the prayers, but he came through. St. Anthony will help you find objects which are lost. His intercession has special efficacy before God. Pray to him when you lose golf balls, books, money. And be sure to thank him when he brings back the lost article.

Prayers.

Father John O'Brien writes from Mexico that Pedro de Landero, former professor at Notre Dame, is practically blind and that he is soon to undergo a serious operation for the removal of cataracts from both eyes. . . The mother of "Peg" Hubler, university switchboard operator, died suddenly Tuesday morning. . . And the mother of Cec Jordan (O-C) is seriously ill.

Thoughts While Strolling.

The long list of N.D. men in the service - nearly a thousand. . . I wonder if the student with the dining hall napkin on his golf bag realizes his act was thievery. . . The number of Navy men who visit the church, the Grotto and the Log Chapel after the evening meal. . . The heroic patience or utter insensibility of some students who allow nearby radios to blare during study hours. . . It's cool again.

About Confession.

- 1. Always mention a sin of your past life, v.g. "I am sorry also for past sins of
- 2. Make a sincere act of contrition <u>before</u> you enter the box. The act of contrition said in the box is to be spoken <u>aloud</u>,

and not silently to yourself.

3. Daily confession is a helpful cure for breaking bad habits of sin. The effects of the sacrament will quickly check impatience, impurity, untruthfulness, laziness. If you have no sin to confess since your last confession, mention sorrow for the sin you are trying to stop.

Low Ebb.

The following is Monday's tally of Communions given out in the Dillon chapel - a new low which indicates that many students are making little effort to better themselves.

Freshmen	0	Seniors	14
Sophomores	15	Graduates	5
Juniors	1		

PRAYERS: (deceased) friend of Geo. Bariscillo (Wal); wife of Carlos Frank, '32. (111) grandmother of Jim Cassedy (B-P); friend of Jim Bucci (B-P). 7 special intentions.