Get a Rosary from the Prefect of Religion

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and meditate on the mysteries.

## Graduate of '33 Killed In Action.

The Canadian government has just announced that Pilot Officer Lionel V.O. Smith, '33 of El Paso, Texas, was killed in action in India October 3. Lionel received his wings in the Canadian flying school at Winnipeg early in 1941. He had served the allies in England, Gibraltar and India.

Pilot Officer Smith began his university training with the Holy Cross Fathers in their school in Austin, Texas - St. Edward's University, and then he transferred to Notre Dame. His application to study won for him the honor of graduating with special merit, magna cum laude. After graduation he won a scholarship and attended the Harvard University Business School.

A detail in the story of the death of Lionel cannot but draw your attention to his mother, and to all mothers of sons in the service or about to enter. Three hours after receiving a letter from Lionel in which he said he was well and enjoying the fighting in India, his mother received the announcement of his death. She will be pleased to know that you will support her in her sorrow by your prayers.

Mothers the world over are praying for their sons in the armed forces. In many parishes one day of the week is set aside for special prayer for those who have left the parish for the army or navy. On these days the churches are crowded at Mass time. Students can well ask themselves what prayers and acts of sacrifice they are performing for their friends and as a preparation for their life in the Service. It is a hard heart that is unmoved to action at the sight of mothers on their knees at prayer. How many of you are telling the beads every night in honor of the Queen of Peace?

Officer Smith died on his thirtieth birthday. Attend Mass tomorrow for this Notre Dame man. Ask Our Lady, the Patroness of Aviators, to bring him to a glorious birthday - to Eternal Life.

# Founder's Day.

The Founder's Day program for this year has been transferred to November 26. On this day one hundred years ago, Father Sorin and six Brothers came to Notre Dame. There will be solemn church services to celebrate this historic event. Today is the feast day of Father Sorin's patron, St. Edward. Tonight at Benediction and at your evening devotions beg Our Lady and St. Edward to shower blessings upon the men of Notre Dame.

## Soft Sophomores.

"Soft" is the word. They could not make a sacrifice for their souls and for the team Saturday. There are 500 sophomores in Dillon. Only 70 received Holy Communion on the day of the game. Were you among the missing Saturday? The following figures will tell you how much spiritual cooperation your hall gave the team.

Walsh	103	St. Edward's	103
Brownson & Carroll	181	Breen-Phillips	91
Zahm	111	Cavanaugh	70

#### Dillon and Sorin also ran.

PRAYERS (deceased) brother of Msgr. Daniel Byrnes of Chicago, killed when hit by "L" train. (III) friend of Bill Kock (Z); Cousin of Bill Kellow (Wal), dying with cancer in army hospital in Texas; father of Prof. Frank Kelly, seriously ill.