

Found: a sum of money. In- University of Notre Dame Brother Sacristan, main  
quire Pref. of Rel. 117 Religious Bulletin church, needs servers. Ap-  
Dillon. (No rush, please.) September 20, 1949 ply after supper--6:30 p.m.

Samson Slew One Thousand Men.

I listened to the silly things my roommate had to say.  
The way he rattled on was just a crime;  
The jawbone of an ass is just as dangerous to-day  
As it was long ago in Samson's time. Anon.

The Old Testament story of Samson has New Testament applications, even at Notre Dame. We apply this verse to the following students:

1. Upper-classmen who talked 143 freshmen out of making the mission;
2. Roommates who boast about highschool escapades, summer experiences, that would better be left unsaid;
3. Quipsters whose tongues are double-coated with double meanings;
4. Morons who think they must tell shady stories to be "one of the boys";
5. Notre Dame squirrels who think every girl is the "nuts", but whose wise-cracks embarrass young ladies in crowded South Bend buses;
6. "Tough" boys whose uncouth language you know is a bluff;
7. Wiseacres of the "smart set" who say there is too much religion around here.
8. Lahdeedas whose heavy preoccupation is two-timing home-town Dalilas.

Phony Notre Dame Men.

There are communities in this country where a degree from Notre Dame means more than a degree from any secular university. That is largely because graduates of Notre Dame who live in these communities are true to the ideals Notre Dame stands for.

There are other communities where Notre Dame men are looked at with raised eye-brows --although they are usually given a fair chance to prove themselves. Suspicion arises because some Notre Dame men in those communities are unworthy of the name they boast.

When you let a mental cripple copy your assignments, you help fashion a phony Notre Dame man.

Silence is golden, say some, but silence is oftentimes yellow. When by your silence you encourage fellow-students to lead fast lives, you dress a wolf in sheep's clothing.

When you allow your roommate to go for months without attending the Sacraments--you know from his talk that he ought to go--and do nothing to bring him to his senses, you impoverish Notre Dame; for you assist in creating an imitation--a phony--of the true Notre Dame man, an imitation who will disgrace his Alma Mater, unless a strong grace of God intervenes.

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PRAYERS: (deceased) father of Oliver Golden (Alu); mother of Frank, '33, Bill, '37, and Jack, '44, Fallon; T.E. De Gurse; Mrs. Henrietta Crowley; Carl Sabo, '39; mother of Father Jerry, '32 and Fritz '28, Wilson; Linus C. Niemeyer, '29. Ill: R.F. Martin; grandfather of Howard Fenn (Dil); Prof. Paul Shiang. Special Intention--1.