

Religious Bulletin.

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Figures.

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There were 626 Communion this morning, as compared with 697 last year. George Gipp is still remembered.

The average daily attendance during December is now 651. If this average is maintained during the next several days, the total number of Communion for the Fall months will be just 287 less than 60,000.

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The collection box in the pamphlet rack looks like mother Hubbard's cupboard these days.

Discounting Futures

When a man discounts a note at the bank he receives the face value of the note minus the interest till maturity. He takes a present loss for a future gain. Ability to discount futures is indispensable in business.

Spiritual values are discounted by the practice of mortification: a temporal loss is taken for spiritual gain.

"The children of this world are wiser in their generation than the children of light." : Luke, 16, 8

Fodder

Feed your imagination. Good food ennobles the imagination: bad food vitiates it. Feed it with good books. Some suggestions:

My Unknown Chum
The Mill Town Pastor
San Celestino
Sins of Society

Knocknagow
Glenanaar
Initiation
The Daughter of a Magnate

Advice in Confession.

Question from Religious survey:

"Do you like to receive advice in the Confessional?"
Answers: "Yes", 520; "no", 20.

Frequently the confessor refrains from giving advice for fear of offending one of these 20. If you want advice ask for it specifically.