

RELIGIOUS BULLETIN.

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The Ideal Notre Dame Man.

A lot was said about this man during the last year; a lot was written down on the questionnaires. Perhaps we can arrive at something from the self-accusations of those who have failed to live up to their ideal. From the Freshman questionnaires we arrive at:-

The Freshman Ideal.

"I am too light-headed."

"I miss Holy Communion about half the time. I shouldn't do that."

"I am not a he-man; I am too easily let; I am a little too smart, and not enough wise."

"I don't study enough."

"I am not a real fighter. The Notre Dame man is -- physically, mentally, morally."

"I have several pet vices, into which I fall frequently."

"I drink."

"I can't play football like Jimmie Crowley."

"I am a little incline to think too much of myself."

"I am not a good mixer."

"As we become better our ideal advances closer to perfection. I fail in many ways."

"I suppose I cheat too much, study too little, and am too rebellious."

"I lack initiative; and I was careless when with former companions during vacation."

"By failing to stick at things until they are fully accomplished."

"I haven't got the he-man's back bone when it comes to working."

"I need more initiative and more interest in athletics, more study and less talk."

"I get drunk. (My girl seems to think she could change me for the better.)"

"In no respect. I take that back: I swear too much."

"I am lazy and cowardly and a knocker."

"I have made my numerals and am forever sticking my nose in the air."

Or to Put It in One Line:

"He is an all-around man. I am only about half-way."

Prayers.

John Byrne is doing better, and is very grateful for your prayers.

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