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Still Engaged?

Fewer engagements are broken at Eastern than at Christmas -- for several reasons: There are no presents at Easter (candy and flowers don't count); the time for scrapping is shorter; the girl who has survived the Christmas storm has had more time to study and outsmart the collegiate mind. If your engagement has survived, you should read You and Yours before you grow too old to appreciate it; if the knot is severed, read The Tangle of Marriage and confirm your sage views.

Statistics.

No matter what you told people about daily Communion at Notre Dame, the facts themselves are striking enough. Here are some up-to-date statistics:

Total Communions, September - March.....	192,270
Daily average the scholastic year.....	1,062
Daily average during Lent.....	1,248
Average of off-campus students, March.....	222

With two months to go, the total is but 900 short of the total for the entire year 1923-24. The off-campus average represents approximately one-third of the Catholic attendance of off-campus students at the present time.

Notre Dame Spirit.

Returns of Survey questionnaires to date are as follows:

Off-campus.....	122
Brownson.....	110
Freshman.....	90
Carroll.....	75
Sophomore.....	60
Howard.....	54
Walsh.....	39
Sorin.....	29
Corby.....	29
Exiles.....	4

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There are nineteen questionnaires marked "Badin". As has been remarked, "Where is this Badin Hall?"

Prayers.

Father Crumley's sister, for whom prayers were asked a few weeks ago, died during Holy Week. Father Bolger's mother is quite sick. Dick Falvey, varsity pitcher a few years back, asks prayers for his mother, who died Tuesday. Philip Tomkins lost his father during Holy Week. Al Taylor's mother has just undergone an operation, and his aunt was reported dying a few days ago. Five other students ask prayers for sick persons, and two for deceased friends. Kirwin Williams asks prayers for his sister who has just undergone a dangerous operation. James Talbot, of St. Edward's Hall last year, died Sunday.

The State of Grace.

Do you cherish it during the holidays as you do at school? Do you look upon it as the mark of the true Notre Dame man? Did Lent increase your appreciation of it? Do you try to be always ready to die?