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Cheapening Your Degree. I.

What would you think of a business man, authorized agent for a valuable product, who would help manufacture and put on the market a cheap imitation which would cut in on his profits and hurt the reputation of his goods? Think that over for a minute while we talk about something else.

Make An Act of Reparation.

Make a visit to the Blessed Sacrament and offer Holy Communion in reparation for the desecration of St. Mary's cathedral, Hamilton, Ontario, Saturday night. Five hundred consecrated particles were desecrated by the vandals, who also smashed the altar, broke crucifixes, and stole the sacred vessels. Diabolical hatred animates such vandals; the Devil hates the Blessed Sacrament. Reparation is due from those who by the grace of God know and love Our Eucharistic Lord.

Cheapening Your Degree. II.

There are communities in this country where a degree from Notre Dame means the key to the city. That is largely because the graduates of Notre Dame who live in those communities are true to the ideals of Notre Dame. There are other communities where Notre Dame men are regarded with suspicion - although they are usually given a chance to prove themselves. The suspicion arises because the Notre Dame men in those communities, or many of them, are unworthy of the name they boast. Think that over.

Two Notre Dame Pioneers.

We had as our guest Saturday the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Schurman de Berenbrock, Vicar General of the Archdiocese of Tegucigalpa, and Apostolic Administrator of the diocese of Santa Rosa, Honduras. He came from Holland to Notre Dame as a student in 1899; he later returned to his native country to study for the priesthood. He has distinguished himself as a missionary in Central America - in pioneering work among the poor natives.

He is seeking help for an agricultural school conducted by Pompilio Ortega, a Notre Dame graduate of a decade ago. It is a very deserving work, and we are glad to bring it to your attention for your times or your dollars.

Cheapening Your Degree. III.

When you let a mental cripple copy your work, you assist in the fashioning of a fake Notre Dame man. When by your silence you encourage fellow-students to a life of debauchery, you clothe a wolf in sheep's clothing. When you allow your roommate to go for months without attending the Sacraments, and do nothing to bring him to his senses, you cheapen your degree, for you assist in sending him out as an imitation of the true Notre Dame man, an imitation who will bring disgrace to his Alma Mater, unless a great grace of God intervenes. Think that over!

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PRAYERS: Mass in the church at 6:35 Thursday for the repose of the soul of Prof. Greene's little son who died this summer - the Mass is requested by the Pharmacy Club. John Litcher's mother died last night. Jos. D. Clark's father is very ill. A cousin of Prof. Eugene and Thos. Burke died a few days ago. An alumnus asks prayers for a friend whose condition is regarded as hopeless. An uncle of Tom Probson is quite ill. A student asks prayers for a friend who died of injuries sustained in a football game. Dick Schneider, '29-'31, lost his mother during the summer. Five special intentions. Prof. Rohrbach and his brother Robert ask your prayers for their father, who is very ill.