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Exam Insurance.

The newspapers announced yesterday that a group of seniors at an eastern college were insuring their fellow students against flunking in exams for premiums ranging from fifty cents for freshmen, to thirty-five cents for seniors.

Don't let any group, seniors or freshmen, try to sell you such insurance. You know it is best to be your own insurer. Carry your own insurance by carrying your own knowledge in your own head, and put it on your own paper.

Spend some time praying to Divine Wisdom Personified. He won't charge you anything, and will give you the best assurance against failure.

Don't Stop Now.

The Feast of the Conversion of Saint Paul yesterday terminated the Church Unity Octave. That however, is no reason to dismiss your non-Catholic friends from your mind. They still need your help and prayers, above all your good example.

You know the power of good example. So do your older brothers. Here are some of the answers taken from former Alumni Surveys.

What do you regard as the greatest enemy of the Catholic Faith today?

Leading answer: Bad example of Catholics.....

How can a Catholic best combat religious indifference among non-Catholics?

Leading answer: Give good example.....

How would you go about converting a non-Catholic relative or close friend?

Leading answer: Give good example.....

What have you done to spread the faith?

Leading answer: Given good example....

How can Catholic leadership best be fostered and directed against pagan and corrupt tendencies in social, business and political life?

Leading answer: By good example.....

Those Questionnaires.

Did you send out your questionnaire? It is not too late to do so. Don't be afraid that you are intruding on your friends' privacy, or that you are "peddling your religion". You yourself may be the principal beneficiary as a result of their answers, because as the introductory letter states, you hope to be able to better understand your own religion by studying and answering the replies of your friend.

Second Childhood.

(Overheard in the caf)

The Freshmen boo and hoot,
The Sophomores sneer,
The Juniors fall in love--
And the Seniors boo and hoot.

PRAYERS: (deceased) Rev. Brother Hennessy, friend of Dr. Ford (Harvard); wife of Eddie Gould '23; uncle of Father J. P. Lynch C. S. C.; Ill, aunt of Martin Shea (Cavanaugh); father of Gene Dolan (Walsh); mother of Brother Philbert C. S. C.; aunt of Art Haley. Nine special intentions.