

LOST: plain-rimmed
glasses, brown case,
left in 117 Main B.
Owner, Brother Brian.

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LOST: in the Caf, a
gaberdine rain-coat.
FOUND: peace of soul
by a good confession.

Once More: Mass For The Next One To Die.

The 7:00 o'clock Mass tomorrow will be offered for Father Wenninger and the 10:00 for the "next one of us" to follow him into eternity. It may be you.

Notice, Third Order Men.

Father Craddick, your genial Director, wishes the Bulletin to remind you that there will be a Dialog Mass, together with Reception into the Order, tomorrow at 7:00 A.M. in the Chapel of Saint Thomas Aquinas, third floor, Main Building. *** It is just a quiet thought, but very likely Saint Francis would like the idea of his twentieth century followers starting their noviceship in the Chapel of Saint Thomas Aquinas. University men need humility and detachment from earthly things. They also need intellectual acumen, urbanity, diplomacy. But one of the great tragedies of our time is the prostitution of brain-power-- wise men running amuck and running whole nations to ruin. Too much headwork without the corresponding humility. If you have tendencies in the direction of becoming a pseudo-intellectual, fall to your knees in the chapel tonight. Pray that God will give you to understand His own word: man's sufficiency is not from himself.

Down El Paso Way.

Miss Fannie McWilliams is an ardent lay-worker among the Mexicans in southwest Texas. Last year the Bulletin sent her a pittance but she was grateful for anything which might keep the work going. Now she writes:

My associate and I are still struggling among these poor people. Their poverty is extreme. One could scarcely believe the horrible conditions in which many of them exist. I found a group last Thursday inside an enclosure which is partly a garbage dump and in which hogs are kept. The odor is terrible. Some of the huts are made partly of cardboard boxes. Two of the women are blind; one couple is not married; one manly little boy has no family and stays around with different people. His only clothes are the ones he is wearing. . . The greatest need of all is for a Catholic Maternity Hospital. The Protestant sects are very active among the Catholic Mexicans and now the National Birth Control Association has two clinics open here. The personnel are not satisfied with the clinic attendance, so they go from door to door peddling and giving away their wares. Most of the Mexicans are extremely ignorant of our Faith. . . There is so much I could add. . . But I only ask that your boys remember these least of His children.

It is an honor to share in this apostolate and the many other worthy missions which will benefit from Penny-A-Day contributions. Fill your banks generously. (If anyone on the mailing list wishes one, it will be promptly mailed.) Next story in this series: the Mississippi marshland missions of Father Vic Feisvert, brother of the president of this year's senior class.

Don't Miss These Smaller Items.

Tom Kennedy and Jerry O'Fowl speak at the Catholic School Press Convention in Sincy today in behalf of Decent Literature. NO SMUT faces a sixth printing thanks to hundreds of orders for sample copies requested in response to a "How" in YOUTH MATERIAL. . . . Anyone interested in the coming Catechetical Congress to be held at St. Mark's should see Father Lynch now. . . . CAMILLUS is going great guns-- a paper for the clinic. Hospitals may have a copy by writing Father Edmund Mahan, 3645 Grand Concourse, Bronx, NY. PLAYERS (DECEASED) aunt of Jim Murray (How); uncle of Cecil Jordan (Ser); Bob Murray, a friend of Wilt Archer (Red); James Beritor; grandfather of Jim O'Neal (Red); (3rd am.) Julien Jarret; (ILL) father of Tony Kinella (Merr); mother of Tom Gilroy (Cav); Sr. M. Frederica OSB; 3 cancer patients; 2 vocations; father of Bill Mooney (Ser); mother of Harry Kreiner (Cav); uncle of Dave Holman (Ser); cousin of Jim Kelly; seven more, into.