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Rockne Premiere
Announcement.

The Prefect Writes a Letter.

Midshipman Bill Daly
U.S. Naval Academy
Annapolis, Maryland.

Dear Bill,

Thanks for your letter of September 19th in which, as editor of your Catholic Midshipmen's Bulletin, published weekly at the Academy, you ask for permission to use material from our Religious Bulletin.

Use anything, any time you want, Bill. Since the Navy now has Bishop O'Hara, you certainly have a right to the Bulletin. The Bulletin editor himself uses material from various sources; sometimes from Bishop O'Hara's old Bulletins, sometimes contributions or suggestions from priests, students, alumni and subscribers. Really, everybody helps to put out the Bulletin, even its own office staff of students. It's tried out on them first and are they frank!

Yes, Bill, everybody helps in the whole religious program at N.D. The program relies on team-work -- everybody doing his part -- just like a football team. Because religion is the most important part in Catholic education, everybody here helps generously over and above his regular duties, from the President down to the sacristan. In between are rectors, professors, prefects, brothers, even the good nuns over at the laundry and the infirmary. For example, Bill, 27 confessors, old and young, march out, rain or shine, hot or cold, to the different confessionals every day. That's team-work for you, generous, sacrificing, team-work, without it the work of the three Prefects of Religion would be a failure, even with - what Bishop O'Hara calls- "The finest boys in the world."

Elmer Layden is trying to get some boys together to visit Baltimore about November 9th. You might look them up, but they'll probably run into some of your friends down there, anyway, - around that week-end. (Stop putting an a in week-end, typist).

Good-bye, Bill. Be sure to send us your Bulletin, too, for possible use in ours. We need something that can wake up a few sleepy seniors and juniors to the benefit of denial and frequent Communion in preparing to serve their country and Christ the King.

Sincerely yours in the good ship, S.S. Peter's Bark.

October Adoration.

Upperclassmen don't have to be urged to make Adoration.

For the benefit of freshmen, however, who probably wonder, "What it's all about?", here are some answers from the 1940 Student Religious Survey, to the question: "Has Adoration helped you to develop a more personal love for Christ?":

"Yes, because it seems I just talk to God and He talks to me."

"Yes, I have gained more love for Christ this one year than all the other 18 years combined."

"This is the one thing I really love and the one thing I will always remember Notre Dame by when and if I ever forget her other beauties."

PRAYERS: (deceased) two uncles of Gene Devine '42; Rev. Wm. Millay, O. Praem.; Father of Frank Metzger '41; Wife of Dan McChiskey '27; Sister Marcella Reagan. Ill, grandmother of Al Swan (Cav.); Friend of Jack Bennett (Lyons); uncle of Bill Scully (Badin); uncle of John Hogan (Howard); grandmother of Bob Fallon (Al.)