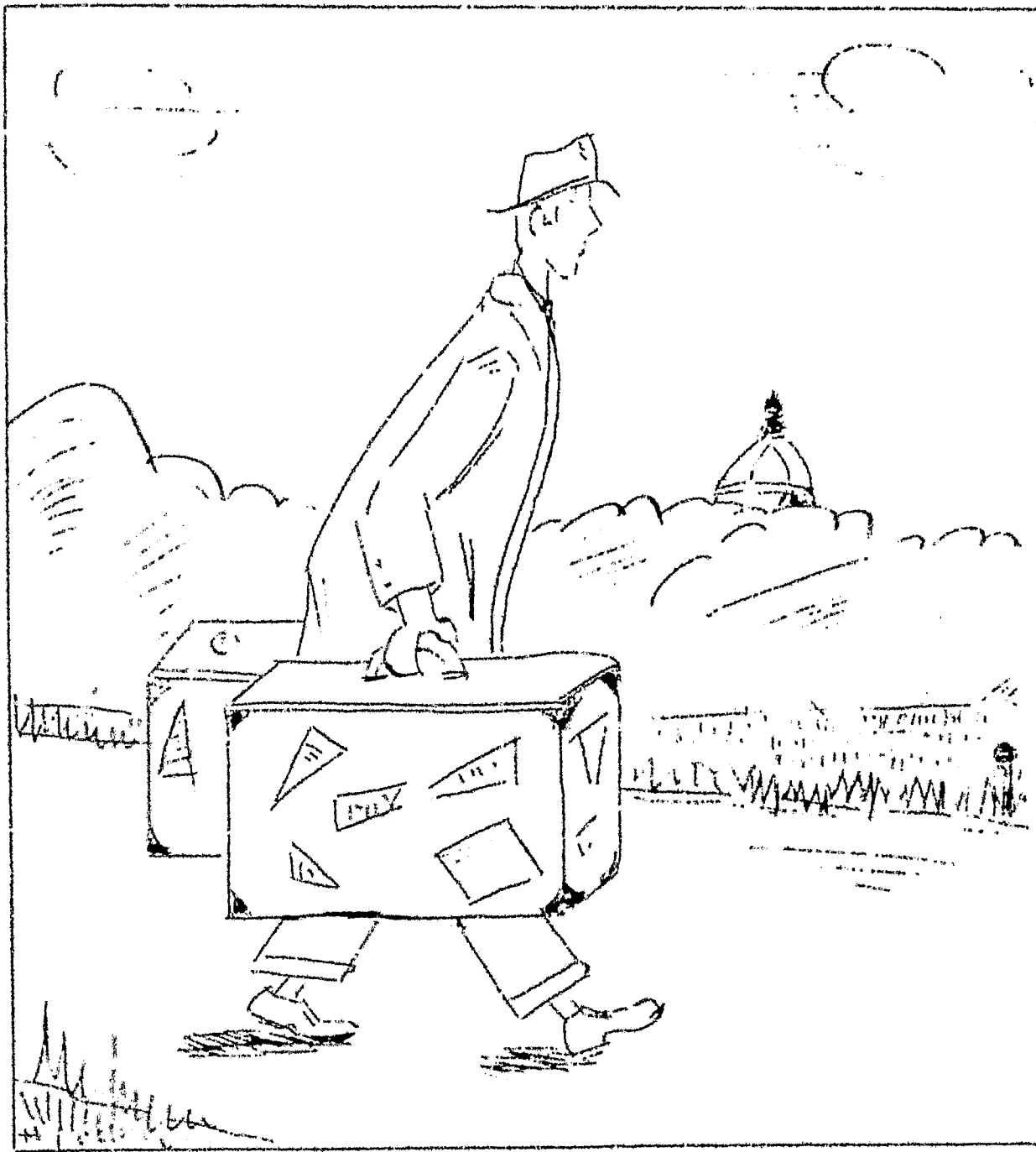


Good-bye -- Keep the Faith.



You're departing from the Dome, but you take Our Lady and her honor back into your community, your work, your recreation. You represent her and what she stands for.

You're "on your own". How you love it!

Back in the griping days of February and March you used to say, "I wish there were no morning bells or night bells. I wish I were entirely on my own. I swear, Father, I'd live a far better life." That's what you said.

And you said other things, like this: "Treat us like men!" Yes, you remember. Now you have a chance to act like men -- on your own.

If Notre Dame education is "taking" with you, you will put into practice this summer these unpretentious recommendations:

- (a) You will see to it, above all, that during the summer you live every hour in the state of grace. If you unfortunately sin, you'll get by yourself as soon as possible and make a sincere act of contrition, promising confession at the first opportunity. To help yourself, you will be choosy about your friends and amusements.
- (b) You will be on time for Mass every Sunday, and you will offer Mass from beginning to end with a Missal in your hand, realizing that this way you'll receive many exceptional graces, and that your example will help others.
- (c) You will receive Holy Communion every Sunday, regardless of the hardships. You know from experience how Holy Communion keeps you in line.
- (d) Morning and night, at your bedside -- visiting in non-Catholic homes, in summer camps, wherever you are -- you will say your prayers devoutly. They need not be long, but they must come from your heart. Every night you will pay attention to your Act of Contrition. Every morning you'll say the Morning Offering, you'll make your work a prayer.
- (e) Keep that rosary with you always; say it daily, at a definite time each day.
- (f) Let your recitation be fitting to a son of Our Lady -- to a Christian gentleman.

May Our Lady keep you. May you have a great time, and may she bring you back even finer and stronger this fall and she will, if you're faithful to her--"on your own".

Good-bye -- and God bless you.

PRAYERS. Deceased: Rev. Amirault; Mother of Rev. Bernard Drew. Ill: (operation), Joe Reynolds (Bro). Dec: Miss Edna Smith. 5 Special Intentions.