

Nick Palella's  
condition...

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...still critical.  
Pray.

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### Settle Down.

Well, the boys did it!

They did it against great odds too. To make that record you know the hard work, denial, and training they had to undergo. But everyone - they themselves, you and the millions of fans throughout the country - will say, "Victory was worth it all."

Settle down now and learn from the team. Most of you have a comeback to make - spiritually and scholastically. Weed-ends and excitement have thrown many of you off, freshmen especially.

Settle down to daily Mass and Communion. Plan your day with Him. It will make you thoughtful about avoidance of sin, about studying. It will develop your character.

Plan and work out your day with the greatest Teacher - and Coach in the world.

### 400 More.

Mid-term scholastic deficiencies are 400 more than last year. That increase shows how a victorious season and week-ends can upset you scholastically - a prediction made earlier in the Bulletin. And, of course, you've been thrown off spiritually - also predicted.

There is also a suspicion growing among professors that this year's freshmen class is under par intellectually. The Communion figures for the freshmen, two halls particularly, show them under par spiritually, quite definitely.

Don't get discouraged - or the jitters. But dig in, get thoughtful, settle down - or exam casualties will look like Uncle Joe's and Adolph's battle reports.

You have 4 weeks to Christmas, then exams come fast after vacation. You can do a lot to overcome those suspicions, if you settle down today, to regularity and hard work. Start the day with Mass and Communion.

Settle down! Don't let your parents and God down.

### Confessions.

Some don't seem to know that confessions are also heard in Dillon and Brownson (Basement) Chapels immediately after the evening meal until 7:00. Most of you know that the buzzer rung twice will bring a confessor every evening until 9:45 in Dillon, Howard and Cavanaugh Chapels.

These provide excellent opportunities for a leisurely confession with no line, no hurry - and to get any worry off your chest.

### "School Spirit."

"A Notre Dame junior at home in Milwaukee for the week-end attended a Marquette game with his girl. He carried a portable radio with him so he might listen to the Notre Dame-Army game while he watched the Hill-toppers. Just after he tuned in an usher asked him to tune it off. The youth excused himself to his girl, took his radio and departed. Under the stands he listened to the Notre Dame game. When it was over he hurried back to his girl and the final quarter of the Marquette game." (Chicago Tribune, June Provine's column)

PRAYERS: (deceased) father of John Fogarty (St. Ed's); Rev. Joseph Wilmes; mother of Ed O'Connor (Zahm); Philip J. Reilly Jr.; grandfather of Charles Pickhardt (Mor). Ill, father of Larry Schelly (Ly); Bob Lynch '42; Thos. Crotty ex'42. Four Spec. Int.