

N.D. World War II Dead  
4. Ensign John French, '34  
Rosary Thurs. 7:00 for him.

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Novena Devotions  
7:00 in Church. Pray  
for Poor Souls.

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### Who Will Visit The Grotto For Him?

Bryan Patrick Degnan, a graduate of the class of '34, has been laid up on the flat of his back off and on since graduation in Vermont Sanatorium, Pittsford, Vermont. In his student days he had a great devotion to Our Lady of the Grotto. From his sick bed he makes his own "visits in spirit". And now that he needs Our Blessed Lady's intercession very much, he is anxious to have some one make "visits in person" for him. Who will visit Our Lady every day for Bryan? Bryan will enjoy knowing who's praying knees he is using. Write directly to him or leave your name with one of the Prefects of Religion.

### A Letter From A Graduate.

"Last night I had supper with Captain Frank Gabreski ex. '42, who was one of the two fellows who left N.D. with Howie Petschel two and one-half years ago. Frank said he lost track of Howie after they graduated and didn't hear from him until he read the report that Petschel was lost somewhere in Java. It was the first time Frank has been in the United States in almost a year. He expects to leave for Europe in a short time.

"It's hard to figure out whether war causes people to turn to religion - or turn from it. Most probably the latter until they get into trouble. But with this new draft the gang at N.D. are fools if they don't accept what all of you put before them. I'm not in the Service - not yet - but we have here a pretty good cross-section of what a young fellow must contend with. Give my regards to all my friends at N.D., and please remember me in your prayers."

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### Help Others - Cooperate.

The Chicago Tribune of last week carried a paragraph about a lady who was burnt up with people who would not share their cars and personal service with others in the war effort. It is reported that this one woman crusade sits in front of the armory in Jeffersonville, Indiana all day long and watches the cars go by. Whenever she detects a person alone in a car, she cries, "Hog!"

Don't "hog" your prayers. Think of others, the Poor Souls this month. Someone timed the Novena devotions of Rosary and Benediction Monday night - just seventeen minutes. You have that much liberty to share your prayers with the souls in Purgatory. A packed church means that 900 plenary indulgences will go to the suffering souls from the 900 men who will have meditated on the Rosary.

### From The Mail Bag.

"Dear Father:- I am anxious to get several St. Christopher medals and chains."

(From a N.D. guard of the '38 team who is  
keeping the Faith. August F. Bossu, 2nd Lieut.  
Signal Corps, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.)

PRAYERS: (deceased) father-in-law of Ensign Bill Sullivan (former secretary to Coach Leahy; wife of Bob Schmelzle; friend of George Bastyr (B-P); daughter of Mrs. Luczynski; uncle of James Mitchell (Dil); father of Jim Daner (OC); grandfather of Stan Kudlacz (Cav); 2nd Lieut. Thomas Dunberry (missing in action); Miss Mary Casey. (Ill) friend of John Morrison (Wal); friend of Bill Simpson (Z); Russell J. Mahoney; father of Ed Nichols (Al); mother of Brother De Sales, C.S.C.; mother of Dave Thornton (Cav); father of Bob Benes (B-P); Prof. John Sheehan (recurrence of old back injury); serious - Miss Mary Powers. Four Special Intentions.