



I GOT TROUBLES !!

If you have a problem which looks serious to you and you can't solve it within twenty-four hours, take it to a priest. What is your trouble? A difficulty in the family, fear of the future, dread of failure, your vocation, sick of study, fed up with religion, some bad habit? Get it off your chest now. Maybe all you need is a good confession. Students have cracked up spiritually and mentally around here because they were not humble enough to admit they needed help.

Fatal Crash

Winona, Minn. Oct. 15. A civil aeronautics board specialist testified today that fatigue cracks were found in a section of the right wing of a Northwest Airlines plane which crashed near Winona, Aug. 29, killing 37 persons.

Purity seems to be the most difficult virtue for the modern young man to practice. The temptations of the century make it stormy flying for most people. If there are frequent fatal crashes in your life, that is, mortal sins of impurity, you had better inspect your wings. You will certainly find fatigue cracks.

Every occasion of sin deliberately faced causes a fatigue crack, or expands a crack already existing. You can't play with magazines that fire your imagination and expect to keep flying. You may consider an impure story a mere gust of wind; maybe some are mere tiny puffs of wind, but if these have been breaking against you for years, you are in for many a fatal crash.

Many modern youths are goofy pilots. They think they can run their ship into temptation and come out intact. Maybe you are one of those goofy pilots. You had better check your wings and resolve to stop fooling with temptation.

If you are thinking straight you will want to take the Food that will keep you clear-headed in meeting temptation. The Catholic has a co-pilot to guide him -- Christ in Holy Communion. Through this Sacrament Christ gives danger signals, and endless suggestions for virtuous flying. If you become a frequent Communicant Christ won't let you fall asleep at the wheel.

Here is what former students have testified about Holy Communion and purity:

"I feel that I am at peace with God. I have found myself wishing for death, knowing that I was safe."

"I haven't committed a mortal sin since I have been a daily communicant."

"I was a good kid when I went."

"It keeps my thoughts out of the gutter."

PLAYERS: (deceased) father of Dick Walsh, '48 (Peoria); Antionette Bukowski. (Ill) M. C. Kirchner, '29, operation. Five Special Intentions.

Novena For Vocations Begins Friday