

Taste the joy that springs from labor.—Longfellow. "Masque of Pandora".

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And yet without labor there were no ease, no rest, so much as conceivable.—Carlyle. "Essays".

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Modern College Frowns On Loafer—Dr. Cardinal

Library Facilities Brought To Attention Of Undergraduates As College Pres. Lectures

Institutions of higher learning no longer have a place for the idler nor the youth who comes to college merely to enjoy the cozy atmosphere and social life, the Very Rev. E. V. Cardinal, C. S. V., Ph. D., president of St. Viator, declared recently in an address to the first general assembly of the College undergraduates.

Striving to awaken the students to a sense of their scholastic responsibilities, Father Cardinal presented facts and figures to prove his assertion. The analysis from which the president drew his material was prepared by the Rev. Bernard Mulvaney, C. S. V., who was head of the Sociology department here last year and who is at present on leave of absence completing his studies for the doctorate of sociology at the University of Louvain, Belgium.

Average Set

The study represents a refinement of the ordinary studies which concern grades only, and gives an opportunity to compare accomplishments with ability. Besides being an analysis of the entire student body enrolled during the second semester of 1936, studies were also made of classes and other groups.

In determining scholastic averages a 5-4-3-2-1-0 ratio was used. Under this system an A student has a rating of 5, a B student of 4, a C student 3, a D student 2, an E student 1, and an F student 0. In calculating the expected average from the intelligence quotients, a student with a score of 120 has a rating of 5, a student with 110 has a rating of 4, etc. While the entire student body last year had an expected average of 3.82, the attained average of its semester grades was only 3.23, a deficiency of .59.

Using a chart to illustrate his points, Father Cardinal congratulated the various groups that had attained, or exceeded, their expected averages. At the same time he admonished those who had failed to use their abilities to the utmost.

Students Warned

"A college does not only consist of a faculty," the speaker observed. "It also consists of a library. We have done everything within our power to make the library attractive, efficient and servicable. We want you to use it. We want you to know books. We should like to have our students 'bookish'. We want you to know and read other books than your text books. Every student should be reading periodicals and books other than those strictly required. I am at a loss to understand the mentality of a college student who does not know what to do with his time on Saturdays and Sundays. Instead of running home on frivolous week-end trips, why not catch up on your reading? The man who has brains has no business getting lonely".

Continuing his remarks Father Cardinal warned both the new and the old students that unless satisfactory work was done during the current semester the delinquent students would be requested to leave

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Microbe Hunters, Atom Smashers Form Club

A new Science Club, composed of students from the Biology, Physics and Chemistry departments, was organized Friday afternoon under the combined leadership of the various department heads. Doctor William VanDeventer, the Rev. Eugene Hoffman and Doctor G. D. Kinzer, are the department heads who have decided upon this new movement and will act in conjunction as the moderators of the newly formed organization.

According to a statement issued by the moderators of the Science Club the members of the organization will have complete charge of all activities. The speakers to be obtained will be men who are associated with the three sciences. They will lecture on the latest discoveries made by contemporary scientists, with a view of better understanding current scientific problems.

The old Biology Club, which was inaugurated last year and is now the nucleus of the new organization, will provide a working model for the new organization. Regular meetings will be held once a month. These meetings will open with a review of current scientific literature. A speaker, either a biologist, chemist, or physicist will lecture to the members. After the lec-

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Purdue Will Be First Fall Wrangler Foe

The Bergin Debating Club will inaugurate its activities on November 24 when it meets Purdue at Lafayette, Indiana. Following this first platform appearance the Viatorians will meet DeKalb College in a radio debate to be broadcast over WCFL on December 5. The subject for the latter date is, "Resolved: that the extension of consumer cooperatives would contribute to public welfare".

The club intends to enter teams in the Illinois State Normal Tournament on December 11 and 12, the Manchester Tournament on February 26 and 27, and also the Illinois Intercollegiate Debate Conference Tournament to be held in Peoria on March 12 and 13. According to the Rev. J. W. R. Maguire, C. S. V., the Moderator, open dates are being sought to enable the debaters to meet such schools as Rosary, Illinois Wesleyan, Beloit, and the University of Illinois.

It has been announced that Edward Buttgen, Debate Manager, has been selected to represent St. Viator College at the college discussion demonstration to be held on November 6 before the Illinois Association of Teachers of Speech. The subject which Mr. Buttgen will present before the assembly will deal with consumer's cooperatives.

Jubilarian



Rev. J. J. Corbett, C. S. V.

Fr. J. J. Corbett Will Celebrate Silver Jubilee

Noted Dignitary To Deliver Sacerdotal Sermon

The Rev. John J. Corbett, C. S. V., an alumnus of the College and now Pastor of St. Viator Parish, Chicago, Illinois, will celebrate his Silver Sacerdotal Jubilee in Chicago on Sunday, October 25. Father J. J. Corbett will be celebrant at a Solemn High Mass, at twelve noon, before His Excellency, the Most Rev. Bishop Bernard J. Sheil, D. D., who will deliver the sermon.

A banquet in honor of the Jubilarian will be held in the St. Viator Parish Auditorium at 1:30 P. M. Father Corbett will hold his parochial reception in the Alvernia High School Auditorium, Ridgeway at Byron, at 8:30 P. M.

Former Treasurer

During his early days as a priest Father Corbett taught at the Holy Name School in Chicago and at St. Viator College. While here Father Corbett occupied the position of head of the Junior Department and from 1911 until 1918 he was treasurer of the College.

In 1918 Father Corbett was transferred to St. Edward's Parish in Chicago. For thirteen years he was pastor of St. Edward's parish and then upon the death of the Rev. Jas. F. Ryan, C. S. V., was appointed pastor of St. Viator parish, a post that he has held ever since.

Alessandri Named As Day Hop President

At a recent meeting of the Day Student Organization, Alessandro Alessandri, '37, was elected to the presidency for the current scholastic year. The remaining three offices were secured by two men from the sophomore class, and a senior. Francis Marcotte was named vice-president; LeRoy Lee, secretary, and Joseph Rondy, treasurer. With the exception of LeRoy Lee, of Bonfield, the officers for this year are all from Kankakee.

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Straw Vote Forecasts Democratic Landslide

Kansan Candidate Overwhelmed As Students Give Roosevelt Strong Vote Of Confidence

Choral Club Director Waves Baton To All

The Saint Viator Choral Club with an ambitious season in prospect launched its activities with an initial meeting last Thursday night, with Rev. M. P. Loughran, C. S. V., founder of the organization, in charge. This year the club, again under the leadership of Father M. Loughran, is expected to prove one of the outstanding campus groups.

The meeting was held in the brilliantly decorated quarters provided expressly for the vocalists. Last year practices and meetings were held in various places. This year the club's new home, once used as a "junk room", has been decorated in gay colors and is being tastefully furnished. A piano, radio and victrola will be installed soon. Several easy chairs and davenport will give the club quarters a most pleasing atmosphere. Besides being a place for rehearsals the rooms will serve as a club for the members of the choral group.

Repertoire

A short recital will be given before Christmas and at Christmas a major program will be presented. Several broadcasts over radio station WCFL are also to be presented, while once a month, at the regular club meetings, there is to be a special entertainment. This will continue throughout the year with wide variety of programs being offered to the student body.

Richard Powers, president of the Choral group, has written to a number of colleges throughout the country in an effort to secure an appropriate repertoire. Music which has been selected to date includes the Soldiers Chorus from Faust; March on Aida, and the Bells of Saint Marys by Adams. Virile sea songs and humorous novelties will also be listed, along with several of the current popular songs of the nation.

During the past weekend the Choral Club director tested voices of all students who were interested in becoming members of the club. Those interested will kindly see Father Loughran or Richard Powers within the next few days. New members of the Choral Club will be initiated this evening. A slight repast will be served.

I. R. C. First Meeting Promised to be Soon

Plans for the first International Relations Club meeting are still in the embryonic stage of development and the moderator, the Rev. Jas. E. Williams, C. S. V., announces that members of the club will receive a pleasant surprise when these plans are completed. Father Williams will hold a short business meeting before the first lecture for the purpose of electing officers for the current year.

Students and faculty members went to the VIATORIAN straw-vote polls last Wednesday to give President Franklin D. Roosevelt a 5 to 1 margin over his closest opponent, Governor Alfred M. Landon, of Kansas. The president stepped into the front as the first ballots were counted and continued to widen his lead as the returns were tabulated. The Democratic ticket drew 75 per cent of the campus votes.

While running a poor second to President Roosevelt, Governor Landon lead Representative William Lemke, the Union for Social Justice candidate, by a 1 to 1½ count. Two votes went to Norman Thomas, while a lone ballot from the Sophomore class named Browder as the preferred candidate.

Class by Class

Slightly more than 79 per cent of the Senior class expressed confidence in the New Deal. Landon received all but one of the Anti-administration votes.

President Roosevelt ran 5 to 1 ahead of Governor Landon among the Juniors, who came nearest to approximating the political temper of the school. Among the third year men, the Kansan was preferred to Lemke by only a 3 to 2 margin.

The strongest Republican and Union for Social Justice voting came from the Sophomore class where the two parties combined polled 50 per cent of the votes. President Roosevelt led Landon by 22 ballots, while Lemke was only 4 votes behind the Republican. One Sophomore named Norman Thomas as his preference.

The Freshmen, who polled the largest number of ballots in the school, gave the present administration a 9 to 1 vote over Landon and a 10 to 1 vote over the entire field.

All but 3 members of the College Faculty were placed in the Democratic column, the New Deal dissenters dividing among Landon, Lemke and Thomas.

Seventeen unclassified ballots gave 14 votes to President Roosevelt and 3 to the North Dakotan.

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Sorority Plan Huge Amateur Night

The Sigma Upsilon Sigma Sorority will sponsor the first social of the current scholastic year on October 20. The social will be an informal affair and will be held in the Commons Building upon the campus.

The entertainment committee headed by Miss Claire Legris, president of the sorority, has prepared an Amateur Night Program. Besides the usual amateur entertainment, card playing, bunco, dancing and refreshments will be provided to all.

These socials are planned with the objective of providing entertainment for the student body, and of creating more friendly and more sincere relations, according to Miss Legris.

Opportunity Offered to Budding Shakespeares

Thespians May Now See Their Brain-Children Actually Produced

Intermittent attempts to encourage latent talent among the undergraduate playwrights of America are to be crystallized into a nation-wide campaign during the coming year, it was announced recently by Francis Bosworth, director of the WPA Federal Theatre Projects Play Bureau.

Taking cognizance of the vast, untapped talent in high schools and colleges, hemmed in by the lack of opportunity, the WPA Federal Theatre is assuming the lead in offering students the opportunity of seeing their plays in production.

Plays submitted by college playwrights, which are not produced by WPA Federal Theatre Project units throughout the country, may receive production by the Studio Theatre, a division of the WPA Theatre, where the playwright may see the flaws in his technique or play construction.

Aid Given

The WPA Studio Theatre, which will present the student's play, at no obligation to the aspiring playwright, will, in reality, serve as a laboratory for the young writer. He will be enabled to see the fine points and the mistakes in his brain-child, which are more easily discernible when the play is in manuscript form.

In addition to these services, Geo. Terwilliger, who is the official go-between for the student playwright and the Federal Theatre, announced this week that the WPA Theatre is placing extensive lists, bearing the names of plays, published or unpublished, at the disposal of all amateur dramatic organizations and college thespian groups.

The lists include the titles, authors, reviews, and complete research data of intrinsic merit, regardless of their subject matter. These lists are broken down into various classifications, such as dramas, satires, comedies, historical plays, mysteries, etc.

Genius Sought

The principal WPA Play Bureaus are in New York, Chicago and Los Angeles, but budding writers are asked to submit their manuscripts to Mr. Terwilliger at New York headquarters, 303 West 42nd Street, N. Y. C., where more than 5,000 plays have been reviewed since last April.

This new policy is in line with the position taken by Mallie Flanagan, national director of the WPA Federal Theatre Project, that "it is absolutely essential that the Federal Theatre take a chance on the new playwrights".

At a recent conference, Mr. Flanagan declared that "Plays currently submitted by professional playwrights cling too closely to the skirts of well trodden tradition."

When the WPA Federal Theatre accepts a play for production by any of its units, it does not buy the play but merely rents it for \$50 weekly. Furthermore, the author retains sole possession of the play.

If the play is reproduced in other sections of the country by other WPA Theatre Project units, as were "Chalk Dust", "Class of '29", and "Triple A Plowed Under", the author receives \$50 weekly for every individual production.

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Religion In Classroom Advocated By Rev. E. V. Cardinal, Pres.

The Very Rev. E. V. Cardinal, C. S. V., Ph. D., president of the College, in a radio address over station WGN on October 6, 1936, emphasized the responsibilities educational institutions have of teaching religion in the classroom.

"If the validity of Religion is not recognized in the classroom", declared Father Cardinal, "it is only natural that the students will not go to church. As long as religion is left to the churches, very little religion will be ministered because of many youths who do not regularly attend church. They will go to church only after they have been first convinced by some professor in a college or a university that God has validity, that religion has validity, that ethical relationship has validity".

God Is Ignored

"The freshmen students in a certain college were asked a few days ago to submit written reasons for their coming to college. Ninety-nine per cent stated that they came to college so that they could earn a better living later on. Only one student answered that he came to college so that he could learn how to live, so that he could learn more about his duties to God and more about his social relationships".

The College President, concluding his remarks, insisted that we must learn to know God and that as long as He remains buried in the churches His influence will be circumscribed and the peoples of the world will fail to improve socially.

Young Seminarians Enter Kendrick

Fourteen of the Clerics of St. Viator have been sent to Kendrick Seminary in St. Louis, Missouri, to continue their studies for the Holy Priesthood it was learned from the Very Rev. J. P. O'Mahoney, C. S. V., Provincial of the Clerics of St. Viator.

Brothers who have left St. Viator and will continue their studies in theology at Kendrick for the next four years are

Bro. Jos. L. Donahue, C. S. V.
Bro. Ambrose R. Burke, C. S. V.
Bro. Patrick X. Flaherty, C. S. V.
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Bro. Edw. F. Hauns, C. S. V.
Bro. Owen J. McCarthy, C. S. V.
Bro. L. A. McManamon, C. S. V.
Bro. Chas. C. Riedel, C. S. V.
Bro. Thos. J. Ryan, C. S. V.
Bro. Eric. A. Schaff, C. S. V.
Bro. John M. Shipman, C. S. V.
Bro. Francis J. Tourand, C. S. V.
Bro. Francis J. Williams, C. S. V.
Bro. John J. Wood, C. S. V.

Rev. C. Marzano, Treas. Pinch Hits For Pres.

A meeting of the Illinois College Presidents was held at Loyola University Library at the invitation of the Rev. Knox Wilson, president of the organization, on October 6. The Rev. C. Marzano, C. S. V., represented St. Viator College in the absence of the Very Rev. E. V. Cardinal, C. S. V., Ph. D.

Rain Fails To Dampen Irish Celebration

Drizzling rain and cold weather were not sufficient to dampen the Homecoming enthusiasm of Viator sons last week. The afternoon football game and evening dance drew several hundred alumni to the campus where an expectant student body awaited a victory over Jordan College.

A Friday evening parade and pep-meeting opened a week-end of celebration during which present and past Viator men shook hands in the halls of their common college and compared stories of campus life.

As flames of the bon-fire leaped high out of the pit in Bird Park's abandoned rock quarry, John Morris, '37, as master-of-ceremonies, and Edward Branand, '39, as cheer leader, drew cheers from the student body to the vaults of the sky. With fine aptness, Morris introduced speakers who knew only one pass word—Victory. The meeting left Viator keyed with an enthusiasm that any opponent would have found difficult to down.

Alumni Pleased

Last minute withdrawals were responsible for a smaller Saturday afternoon parade than the chairmen had anticipated, but even rain could not keep students and alumni from watching the Green Wave sweep gloriously down Alumni Field for five touchdowns.

By nine o'clock the rain clouds had disappeared and the Earls of Sweet Swing began playing for a colorful homecoming dance in the gymnasium. The decoration committee featured a canopy of multi-colored balloons above the entire floor.

Arrangements for the homecoming affairs were marked by a systematic completeness and an inclusion of traditional fanfare that did credit to the College Club. The men in charge left nothing to be desired. Alumni and students responded with the enthusiasm of men well pleased.

Prexy Will Attend Regional Meeting

The Very Rev. E. V. Cardinal, C. S. V., Ph. D., president of the College, will attend the Tenth Regional Conference of College Presidents, at St. Mary's College of Notre Dame, Holy Cross, Indiana, on October 21 and 22. The meeting will be held under the auspices of the Association of American Colleges.

Dr. James R. McCain, president of Agnes Scott College and president of the Association of American Colleges, will preside at this convention.

The session will have in its midst such renowned educational leaders as Sister Thomas Aquinas, O. S. D., president of Rosary College, River Forest, Illinois; the Very Rev. William F. Cunningham, C. S. C., president of the University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana; Dr. Robert M. Hutchinson, president of the University of Chicago, and Dr. Walter G. Clippinger, president of Otterbein College, Westerville, Ohio.

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Viator Offers Free Course To Adults In The Evening

Administration Inaugurates Policy Planned To Assist Teachers Attain Degrees

St. John Berchman Soc. Selects John Foxen As Pres. for Current Year

Members of the St. John Berchman Society met recently and elected John Foxen, '39, to the office of president; Edward Dilger, '39, to the vice-presidency; and Richard Powers, '39, to the combined office of secretary-treasurer. The meeting was conducted by the new moderator, Brother Michael Ranahan, C. S. V. Brother Ranahan succeeds the Rev. Wm. J. Cracknell, whose increasing number of duties this year caused him to leave his post.

Brother Ranahan plans to conduct a number of classes to teach those who wish to learn to serve Holy Mass and urges all students to become members of the St. John Berchman Society.

New Duties Given Rev. J. E. Belaire

The Rev. J. E. Belaire, C. S. V., former treasurer of the College, has recently returned from his post in Jette, Belgium, and is now stationed at the Municipal Sanitarium in Chicago. During the past six years, Father Belaire has been assistant to the Superior General of the Clerics of St. Viator.

Father Belaire, one of the oldest members of the Clerics of St. Viator, will serve as chaplain in the Municipal Sanitarium of Chicago.

Clerics Active In The Performance Of Rites

Numerous parishes in the Kankakee vicinity recently have called upon members of the Clerics of St. Viator to give spiritual devotions. The Rev. J. E. Surprenant, C. S. V., conducted a Forty Hour Devotion at Clifton, Illinois, while the Rev. Wm. J. Bergin, C. S. V., LL. D., conducted services at St. Patrick's Church.

The Very Rev. E. V. Cardinal, C. S. V., Ph. D., preached a Forty Hour Service on October 18 at Manteno, and the Rev. Paul G. Hutton, C. S. V., conducted devotions in the Maternity Church here. The Rev. Wm. Cracknell, C. S. V., conducted Forty Hour Service in Colfax, on October 16, 17 and 18.

The Very Rev. J. P. O'Mahoney, C. S. V., preached a mission at Tinley Park. The Rev. Columbus Boyle, pastor of the parish, is an alumnus of the College.

Ciscans Will Help While-away Hours

St. Viator Cisca Chapter will collect and distribute magazines, newspapers, pamphlets and books to the patients in the local hospital it was decided on October 7 at the weekly meeting of that organization. Ciscans also decided to promote the sale of the New World and the Queen's Work after the student Mass on Sundays.

Edward Buttgen, '37, chairman of the General Apostolic Committee, gave a brief review of the work he has been conducting in Chicago and urged members of the St. Viator Chapter to attend the Apostolic Meeting in Chicago on October 24.

St. Viator College now offers to adults an opportunity to pursue without cost, studies in the higher educational field.

It has been the policy of the College for several years to offer late afternoon and evening courses, but heretofore a charge has been made. This year the Council of Administration inaugurated the policy of admitting free of charge persons who do not wish to obtain course credit.

Including among the subjects which will be offered are Science, Government, Languages, Literature, Public Speaking and Religion. The only requirement is that persons be of mature age. It is not necessary to be a high school graduate to enroll in these courses.

Varied Courses

The courses, instructors and schedules are as follows:

Mental Measurements—7:30 P. M., Tuesdays, Thursdays, Rev. Richard J. French, Ph. D.

Elementary German—7:30 P. M., Monday, Wednesday, Rev. Francis J. Harbauer.

Advanced Public Speaking—7:30 P. M., Tuesdays, Thursdays, Rev. J. E. Surprenant.

General Psychology—7:30 P. M., Mondays, Wednesdays, Rev. William Bergin, LL. D.

Romantic Movement—4:15, Monday, Wednesday, Mr. Michael Moloney.

Current Government Problems—4:15, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Rev. J. E. Williams.

American Government—4:15, Mondays, Wednesdays, Rev. E. J. Williams.

Economic Biology—4:15, Tuesdays, Thursday, Dr. William C. Van Deventer.

Intermediate German—4:15, Mondays, Wednesdays, Rev. Francis Harbauer.

History of the Renaissance and the Reformation—4:15 P. M., Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, Very Rev. E. V. Cardinal, Ph. D.

Student Congregation Aides Sacrifice

Sunday, October 11, the Rev. E. V. Cardinal, C. S. V., Ph. D., president of the College, inaugurated a direct participation in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass on the part of the entire student body. Pamphlets, containing an English translation of the prayers said during the Mass by the priest and the altar boys, were distributed among those attending the College Mass. During the Holy Sacrifice, Father Cardinal and Edw. Buttgen led the congregation in an oral recitation of the prayers, thus the students entered into the spirit of the sacrifice in a direct way.

At the close of the Mass, Father Cardinal urged the students to use this new method of assisting at Mass frequently. Pamphlets will be provided every day by the college authorities, and students are requested to leave them in the Chapel.

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Viator Swamps Jordan In Homecoming

Bearcats Will Be Out to Win Their Home Game

The Green Wave football team has been honored by having been invited to oppose McKendree College on the date of their Homecoming game, October 24, at Lebanon, Illinois. Viator veterans remember the shellacking the Irish took last year at the hands of the scrappy Bearcats, and the memory of that 22-6 defeat should spur the Macmen on to victory over this strong foe.

Bearcat Vets

Coach "Sandy" Blanchard, who shone on University of Iowa teams a few years ago, has practically all of his first string line intact from last season and Viator partisans remember the huge holes cut in their line by Randall and Schwarz, guard and center of the Bearcats. How many of the Irish backfield men do not recall the smashing defensive play of Jim Larsh, who starred in his first season of college football as an end? Captain Wally Blackburn, and Dudley Klamp, 245 pound giant, are still holding the tackle positions, and turning in their usual high class performances. Jim Beers, the husky lad who played the right end position last year, is back at his old job this season. Rice, 170 pound halfback, Norris, 165 pound speedster, who holds the other halfback post, and Bise, 188 pound smashing fullback.

McKendree has played three games to date, defeating Shurtleff in a forfeit, taking Chillicothe, Missouri, 6-0, and dropping a game to the strong Missouri School of Mines team by a 26-0 count. It must be remembered, however, that McKendree met one of the strongest teams in Missouri with a team that was riddled by injuries. Blanchard's team also plays Washington University of St. Louis, and Oakland City Teachers of Indiana, in addition to four conference games. McKendree has finished in the runner-up position in the Illinois Intercollegiate Conference twice in the past three years. The Bearcat's line averages almost 200 pounds per man, while the backfield hits about 165 pounds per man.

Irish Set

The Viator squad came through the Jordan tilt with few injuries and expects, unless accidents intervene, to be in top shape for McKendree. The Irish line, which has been a power on defense this season, has been receiving plenty of hard drilling from Coach McNamara, and although the Irish coaches expect their team to be outweighed, the team has overcome handicaps which were in evidence previously this fall and can be counted on to give their best. Mac, was pleased with the performance of the team as a whole in the Jordan game and especially with the work of Gibbons, Walsh, Lenahan, Blazeovich, O'Connor, and Morenc.

The St. Viator squad appreciates the honor of their selection as the opponent for this important day in McKendree football, and it is the initial conference engagement for the Green Wave.

V-Men Name Saia Irish Monogram Club President

St. Viator's Monogram Club held its first meeting of the year on Tuesday, October 13, at which time the letter winners elected their club officers for the 1936-37 school year.

The leadership of this exclusive but active club was placed in the hands of a senior football player, Joe Saia, of Greenville, Mississippi, who is at present playing guard for the Green Wave. Joe succeeds



JOE SAIA

Tony Marik as club president.

Danny Blazeovich of DeKalb, one of the most versatile athletes on the campus, succeeds Ray Roche as vice president. "Blaz", a football star this year, also rates very highly as a basketball player.

Bill Schumacher of Chicago, was unopposed for re-election to his position as secretary.

Tommy Gibbons, captain of the football team and a forward on the basketball team succeeds Alex Krauklis as treasurer.

The Monogram Club, which has been one of the most active organizations on the campus in the last few years, expects to again promote several social functions, including the banquets which it "throws" to the various teams, and the huge M-Club Dance which rates second only to the Homecoming affair as the largest of the year.

I-M Touchball Brings Students Active Periods

Intra-mural sports under the direction of Brother George Nelson and Lou Zarza opened on Monday, October 3, when the first round of elimination was inaugurated by teams captained by Val Mellonig and Red Hart. Due perhaps to early season lack of form, the game went six quarters with neither team scoring. Mellonig's passing and the sterling defensive work on the part of Brodie and Deback were the main factors in the Freshman cause, while Hart's passing to Vince Murphy, and Bower's fine kicking were the best the third floor boys had to offer.

On Thursday, October 8, Minnie's Midgets showed that they had something under cover when they passed and ran Sanhuber's proteges out of the first round by an 18-0 score. Sandy was playing without Foxen, Straub, Murphy and Burke, and he thinks that with his entire team, he has a good chance to cop the second round and force a playoff.

Monday, October 15, Hart and his Steamrollers fired up and blasted Mellonig's Milwaukee Brewers out of the race in a playoff of their previous tie game, 12-0. This time the Freshmen could not cope with the high-powered attack. Again Bower's punting was a feature of the game, the Hoosier lad keeping the Frosh up against the wall at all times.

On Tuesday, October 13, the final game of the first round was played when George Peper's Playboys clowned their way to a win over a very bewildered group of fourth floor boys under Pat Ryan. The final score was 18-2.

The first score came when Captain Peper intercepted a pass during an argument with the referee, and trotted for the forty yards. In the third period Lyons picked a fluke punt from a crowd of Ryanites and scored. Finally Lyons circled his own left end behind nice blocking by Budke and Cronin for a twenty yard run and the last score. Ryan scored his lone points by tagging Gates, who was attempting to pass from behind his own goal line late in the fourth quarter.

Most Valuable



Capt. Thos. Gibbons

Slim Pickings Diet of Northern Wolves As They Lose, 31 to 0

Flashing a brilliant aerial attack combined with the same tricky running plays which clicked against two former opponents, the Green Wave literally swamped a game, plucky team from Jordan College in the annual Homecoming game by a 31-0 count. The contest, which was played on Alumni Field, Kankakee, attracted a crowd of about 1,000 loyal Viator fans, many of them old grads, who braved the stormy, cold day to see the Irish extend their list of Homecoming victims to twenty.

The Viator Steamrollers required but 6 plays to score the initial touchdown when Bill Walsh lugged the leather over from the one yard line. A 37 yard run by Captain Gibbons, a 38 yard jaunt by Walsh, and a 17 yard gain on a lateral pass from Blazeovich to Sacco which netted 17 more, brought the ball to the Jordan 4 yard stripe and a 2 yard gain by Lenahan preceded Walsh's touchdown.

"Croat" Gallops

The next marker came a few minutes later when Walsh faded back to the Jordan 29 yard line and tossed a pass to Danny Blazeovich on the Wolves goal line. The versatile DeKalb star counted again after ten more plays when he took the pigskin on an end-around play and ran 8 yards for the score, then drop-kicked the extra point to end the scoring for the first half.

On the ninth play of the third period, Bob Lenahan, sophomore fullback, smashed the center of the Jordan line for the first touchdown of his short football career. After a Jordan punt, Viator advanced the ball to the Wolves 20 and Bill Walsh tossed a pass to Bob Bates in the opponents end zone.

Linemen Star

Outstanding in the game were the performances of Tom Gibbons, Bill Walsh, for his brilliant passing, Danny Blazeovich, for his equally brilliant pass receiving, Joe Saia, Ray O'Connor, and Joe Jenesky for their fine defensive line play. Another, who deserves mention, is Bob Hickey, a freshman, playing his first football game. Hickey broke through time and again to mear the Northerner's plays. Evidence of Viator's strong line play this fall is shown by the record of 11 first downs scored against it, in 3 games, only four of which were scored against the regular linesmen.

St. Viator (31)

Blazeovich	i.e.	(C) Babcock
Jenesky	i.t.	Eklund
Cusack	i.g.	DeBruin
Morenc	c.	Hesyk
Saia	r.g.	Harvey
O'Connor	r.t.	Hienz
Betourne	r.e.	Kelly
Sacco	q.b.	Kaufman
Walsh	l.h.	Hammen
Gibbons (C)	r.r.	Abraham
Lenahan	f.b.	Boots

Captain Gibbons Wins Gold Football Trophy

Tommy Gibbons of Minok, Illinois, was awarded the gold football for his sterling performance in the St. Viator-Jordan College Homecoming tilt.

This award, sponsored by the College Club, is an innovation this year and hope is expressed that it will become an annual event as it has met with much favorable comment by the players, coaching staff, and student body.

Gibbons was formerly a crack all-around athlete at Trinity High School in Bloomington, where he was a team mate of Fred Trenkle, now at Northwestern University, and Chuck Sweeney, a member of this year's varsity squad at Notre Dame.

Praised By Coach

Coach John J. McNamara was visibly pleased at the honor accorded Gibbons and declared, "Gibbons is one of the finest Captains St. Viator has had for the past several years. He is not the talkative type but has the inward fire and drive which are essential qualities for good leadership and are assets to any man on the team. He is a man who puts the team above himself and although not a flashy player, he can always be counted on for a consistently good performance."

Gibbons' performance in the Jordan game will always be remembered as one of the finest exhibitions of football that has been shown by any Green Wave player. Time after time he ripped through the Jordan forward wall for hugh gains and paved the way for his teammates by his superb blocking. On defense he handled anything and everything that came his way.

Irish Dope Bucket

By Murphy Duo

Having decided to enter the field of sports prognostication, the athletics staff of the VIATORIAN herewith presents its selections of teams which they expect to cop weekend contests:

Minnesota-Purdue. We'll take Minnesota.

Northwestern-Illinois. Northwestern has the edge.

Ohio State-Indiana. Ohio State, but a close game.

Columbia-Michigan. Kipke hasn't a thing. Columbia.

Notre Dame-Pitt. N. D. Reserve

strength against the Panther's veterans. Take your choice.

St. Viator-McKendree. The Irish to get revenge for last year's defeat.

Augustana-North Central. Augie's 18 lettermen too strohg for N. C.

Normal-Charleston. Normal gets the nod.

DeKalb-Stevens Point. A toss-up between DeKalb's line and the S. P. backs.

Knox-Beloit. Old Siwash wins.

Lake Forest-Ripon. Ralph Jones has too much man-power this fall. Lake Forest.

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UNITED WE STAND

The scene is in the rear of Roy Hall at an annual Homecoming celebration of a few years ago. A homecoming bonfire throws its dancing light over a scant handful of lukewarm rooters. There are hardly enough students on hand to send up a good healthy cheer and, with the exception of the perennial two or three dauntless enthusiasts, no one has any intention of taxing his lungs to that extent. As the flaming fence posts crash over capsizing boxes, pairs of students straggle away from the scene.

That Homecoming fell flatter than a warm snowball. If facts are looked in the face it must be admitted that, at that time, most campus activities died on their feet. Students were prone to view college undertakings with supercilious toleration instead of heartfelt enthusiasm. They sought their amusements and interests off the camps. That meant simply that, as time went by, their college came to mean less and less to them.

With the beginning of last year the student body began to pull itself out of the rut. A spirited homecoming celebration, for which last year's freshman class was largely responsible, did much to start things moving in the right direction. The St. Francis Dance, the Co-ed parties, Physical Education Day and the Biology Club were all undertakings which contributed their share toward making the student body a more homogeneous group. This year the VIATORIAN staff has been organized in such a way that it includes all who have journalistic aspirations, and the facilities of the gym have been made available to all students. Undoubtedly these forward steps have done much to revitalize campus life, but a great deal remains to be accomplished.

Now that new campus activities have been provided each student should participate in some way. Keep your interest on the campus, cooperate in the field in which you are the most capable, take your share of responsibility and, if possible, inaugurate some plan or activity you believe the campus needs. The columns of the VIATORIAN are open at any time to suggestions for improvements of the paper or campus life in general. It is to the best interest of each student to do his part, for in the last analysis, college life is like saving pennies in the copper teakettle—you take out of it just about what you put into it.

—J. R.

IN APPRECIATION

To the unknown friend of St. Viator College, whose modesty has caused him to ask the Rev. E. V. Cardinal, president, not to reveal his name, we the students of the College extend our appreciation and thanks. Because of your esthetic nature and generous contribution of trucks, material and labor, one of the greatest of eye-sores upon our campus is at present being removed. We refer to the work of filling in the remains of what once constituted the foundations of our gymnasium. For many years this debris filled cavity has greeted visitors to our campus. Now we are happy to say that it no longer exists, and all because you in your generosity have seen fit to give St. Viator College a worthwhile gift. Once again we hail you and send you our heartfelt wishes in all your undertakings.

The LIBRARY LOG

"Well, I left the fairy tales lying on the floor of the nursery, and I have not found any books so sensible since". Chesterton.

The soft light which is so easy on the eyes in the reading room at night is due to the indirect lighting and the specially built shade which throws the light on the ceiling and diffuses it evenly over the page. We have to thank Mr. Wm. Crowley of the Public Service, Kankakee, for his generous donation of the fixtures.

New wall cases have been built in the stack room and are of an olive green color to match the stacks.

With the combined efforts of the Little Flower Circle of Chicago, (of which Father Munsch is Chaplain), and the Sorority of St. Viator's College (of which he blushing admits he is the moderator), the new tables and chairs for the Reading Room become a proximate reality. A few arm chairs and some floor lamps are likewise in the library scheme of comfort.

Hanging on the south wall is a very fine small etching of St. Nickolas Church, Belgium, and, framed, an oblong piece of the silk fabric of the Stratosphere Balloon, "Explorer", in which Capt. Albert W. Stevens, U. S. A., attained the altitude of 72,395 feet, November 11, 1935. Both of these prized additions to the library come from Mrs. Julia Baldwin of Chicago.

To Father Wm. J. Bergin our warmest thanks for two brand new sets, "The Ante-Nicene Fathers", ten volumes, "The Nicene", and "Post-Nicene Fathers" in fourteen volumes. These are English texts.

Mr. Max Marek presented the Library with a large plaster plaque depicting the thirteenth station of the Cross. He thereby earns our gratitude.

Three profusely illustrated volumes bound in full leather, gilt-edged, picturing and recounting the wonders of the World's Fair of Chicago, 1893, were given the Library by Father Rheims, C. S. V., of Le-mont, Illinois. Our thanks go out to him.

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Charm of Other Days Clings to Bourbonnais

Your mind is made up before you ever see the town of Bourbonnais. It's the name. It has a gallic flavor spiced with a fine bravura. It piques the imagination. It is evocative of romance, color and high emprise. Indeed, it was that which sent here the noble souls that were to found the institution which is the basis for Bourbonnais' very existence, St. Viator College.

The charm of other days still invests this little town by the Kankakee river. It has a winsome way which even the advance of civilization has failed to completely destroy. Its people, mostly descendants of the early French settlers, uphold the traditions of their race for hospitality and courtesy.

They delight the stranger with their welcome. They excel in kindness. They vindicate the golden rule. In Bourbonnais the latchstring

it, is difficult to conceive of its humble beginning. It is an achievement that will endure forever as a monument to the lofty character and invincible ideals of the priests and brothers who have participated in its upbuilding.

Today these represent an enormous investment. The enrollment at the college is approximately 300, and the pupils come from every part of the state as well as from other states of the union. Living alumni number considerably more than 12,000.

The fame and prestige of St. Viator's are world-wide, and no small measure of the glory of its story is that it dates back only seventy-one years, to a September day in 1865. On that date you might have seen all the loyal Catholic people of Bourbonnais gathered on their doorsteps gazing up and down the dusty road. Finally, as with one



As The College Once Looked

is always out as many of the student body have already discovered. One need never long for home during the scholastic year.

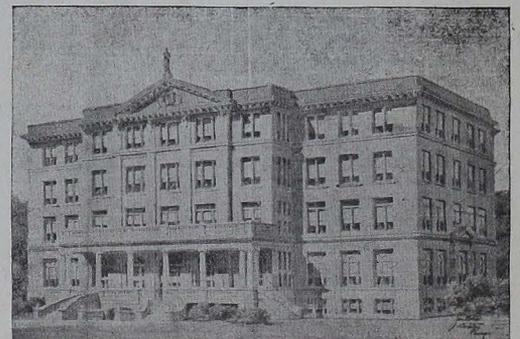
Still standing is the gray limestone church of Maternity parish, built in 1856, and the mother tongue is still spoken there. It has the distinction of being the oldest church building in the State of Illinois. The parish is even older. It was founded in 1847, although Abbe Crevier, the first Catholic priest to come to Bourbonnais, arrived in 1830 from Vincennes.

How did the city get its name? From that intrepid adventurer, Francis Bourbonnais, first white man to

voice, they began crying: "The brothers! The brothers are coming!"

Their coming had long been expected. Father Cote, the village priest, had gone to Canada to ask the Viatorians for aid in combating the influence of Father Chiniquy, the apostate priest of St. Anne. The Viatorians first took over the village district school. It was in 1868 that they started the college.

They acquired the site from that same Levasseur. In fact, he had his trading post on the land now occupied by one of the college buildings. They paid \$3,000 for it, but not in money. They paid in service, in teaching and manual labor.



Marsile Hall Now

penetrate this section of the frontier wilderness in the early 1800's and who adopted the Indian mode of life and took unto himself a squaw.

It was Noel Levasseur, government agent and factor for John Astor's fur trading post, who really laid the civic foundations. Coming here in 1832, he bought up large tracts of land. He was a man of vision and it was his aim to colonize the country.

Wherefore we reach the genesis of St. Viator College. Seeing it today, with its seventy-seven acres of ground, its stately halls of learning, splendid equipment, wholly remarkable refectory and modern gymnas-

They were three, and on a bit of hallowed ground close by the little gray stone church with its quaint spire there is a bronze tablet that commemorates their accomplishments. It reads:

"To the memory of the sturdy Viatorian pioneers, the Rev. Peter Beaudoin, C. S. V., Brother Bernard, C. S. V., and Brother Martel, who established a school on this spot September 6, 1865, and under the inspired leadership of the Rev. Thomas Roy, C. S. V., founded St. Viator College, A. D. 1868, and also to perpetuate the fiftieth anniversary of the college, A. D. 1918, this mem-

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Intercollegiate

In order that we may start the year off correctly, we will give you a lesson to test the sharpness of your vision. Don't feel alarmed if you do not catch them all.

Scrutinize carefully the following sentence and state the number of "F's", either large or small it contains:

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The correct answer is five.

Freshmen at the University of Holland are required to have their heads shaved to a high polish, and

are not permitted to use doors, the entire first year. —(A. C. P.)

A chemistry apron will be awarded the University of Minnesota's sloppiest chemistry student at the "Molecular Whirl", better known as the chemistry student's annual dance. So many students have competed for the prize, according to the Minnesota Daily, that runners-up will receive rubber sleeves designed for the protection of arms resting on (??) tables.

We have to include a joke about an Irishman to make this column complete.

A temperance speaker was lecturing on the evils of drink. He vituperated until at length an old Irishman in the back of the hall could stand it no longer. Rising up he said, "Listen you! My grandfather had his whiskey every morning and his whiskey every night; and he was 99 when he died—he wouldn't

dy died thin only he fell off his bicycle — and when he was 3 days dead, he looked a. d. . . sight bett-er'n you do now".

A man is known, not only by the friends he keeps, but by the enemies he makes. If you do anything at all in this world you are bound to meet people who don't approve of you; and their antagonism, active or acquiescent, should sometimes be your greatest encouragement to keep on doing things. Says an Armenian Proverb: "A man should not be cast down when an ass kicks him".

CAMPUS CAVALCADE

The New Mexico Lobo no more will seek wrath by mis-taking its titled administration aristocrats. Editorializing on the woes of a reporter faced with a hierarchy of doctors, deans, professors, directors, presidents, associates, and assistants, it declares it will "confer upon all the faculty the democratic title of

'Mister'."

Lightening our labors, we chanced on this head in the Southwestern Sou'wester: "Hug Revamps Physical Ed."

The Vassar Miscellany came out for the Giants in the recent World Series. It also favors Roosevelt.

The A. M. A. journal claims the New England recruits of 1940's bouncing class are the tallest aggregation ever put under the tape measure. The Yankee-Giants average around five feet ten.

(NFSA)—Campus polls prove that sectional differences, long-time factor in American politics, guide the choice of candidates by undergraduates, as results of local balloting show college disagreement on the next presidential.

Princeton University goes sweep-

ingly Republican, raising the 1932 percentage over five per cent as seventy per cent of the Nassau undergraduates pick Landon. Dissenting with the local majority, the Princetonian, journal of campus opinion, editorializes in favor of the New Deal. Wabash also picks the sunflower candidate sixty-one per cent. But the southern colleges go unanimously for the Democratic chieftan. Texas Christian by a decisive majority and Catawba balancing the Wabash sixty-one per cent with a like vote for Roosevelt. —John Morris, '37.

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★ ★ NEWS FLASH! ★ ★

"Sweepstakes" bring pleasure to war veterans

From a veterans' home in Legion, Texas, a number of entries all in the same handwriting come in each week. Of course we checked up to make sure that the entries conformed to the rules, and one of the men explained: "Most of the boys can't get around—but I do and so I fill out their cards for them."

We're glad to say that the boys have been pretty good pickers, too.

Have you entered yet? Have you won your delicious Lucky Strikes? Tune in "Your Hit Parade"—Wednesday and Saturday evenings. Listen, judge, and compare the tunes—then try Your Lucky Strike "Sweepstakes." And if you're not already smoking Luckies, buy a pack today and try them, too. Maybe you've been missing something. You'll appreciate the advantages of Luckies—a Light Smoke of rich, ripe-bodied tobacco.



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Briefs From Our Viator Club Chapters

Kankakee—"Pete" Laffey, renowned basketball star of other days, underwent an emergency operation for acute appendicitis late Sunday evening, October 11. "Pete" is at present confined to the St. Mary's Hospital here, but expects to return to his athletic director's office in the Bonfield High School in the near future.

Clarence J. Kennedy, for twenty-one consecutive years a member of the College Faculty, and now county superintendent of schools, underwent a serious operation recently at the Mayo Brothers Clinic. Friends of Mr. Kennedy will be glad to learn



CLARENCE J. KENNEDY

that he is now at his home in Kankakee recuperating and well on the road to recovery.

Joseph Torri, formerly associated with the College Chemical and Mathematical departments after his graduation, is now employed as a research chemist by the Mortell Paint Company of Kankakee. "Puff" Romary, another of Viator's ex-stars upon the basketball court, is also working for the Mortell Paint Company. "Puff" also is head coach of St. Patrick's High School.

Bourbonnais—Simon N. Legris is a clerk at the Kankakee State Hospital. In his spare time "Si" is quite active in the local political circle, being president of the Roosevelt-Garner Club and Democratic Committeeman of Bourbonnais Precinct One. Marie T. Legris, another Viatorian grad who has gone into politics, is listed as the Democratic precinct captain of Bourbonnais Precinct One.

Jas. Walsh, '88, visited the campus on October 11 and spent many happy hours in the company of Father Cardinal and other faculty members.

Boy's Town, Neb.—Ken Corcoran, '35, former editor of the VIATORIAN, and a star athlete, is now athletic director of Father Flanagan's Home for Boys here.

St. Paul, Minn.—Word comes from the Twin Cities that Chas. R. Murphy, '32, is now associated with the Union Trust Company of St. Paul-Minneapolis.

Chicago—Samuel J. McAllister, former coach and alumnus, called the first meeting of the Viator Club of Chicago on May 11, 1936, at the Maryland Hotel, which through the courtesy of Jos. McGovern of the Inter-State Management Company, and an alumnus, is now the permanent meeting place of the club.

The club's executive committee drew up a constitution which was duly ratified at the May 25 meeting. Officers of the club are:
 President—Samuel J. McAllister.
 First Vice-President—Frank J. Carroll.
 Second Vice-President—William J. Convey.

Recording Secretary — Leslie J. Roche.

Historical Secretary—Jos. C. Degan.

Treasurer — Roger F. Stevens.

The first social event to be sponsored by the club was a picnic which was held July 16 at Thatcher Woods in Chicago. Over 75 members attended along with their wives, sweethearts and family.

The club recently honored Samuel McAllister and his bride, the charming Miss Evelyn Connerton on August 22, when they gave them two traveling bags. Sam is now coaching at the University of Georgia and living in Athens, Georgia.

On Monday evening, September 28, Joseph McGovern was elected president of the Viator Club of Chicago. Under his leadership the club expects to hold a dinner dance during either the Thanksgiving or Christmas holidays. Plans for the event are as yet in the nebulous stage. Weekly luncheons are also a prospect of the new club.

Business connections of some of our members:

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Loafers frowned Upon By Modern College

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the college. By a continuation of the studies inaugurated by Father Mulvaney, the administration will constantly be in a position to judge whether or not a student is realizing his intellectual potentialities, Father Cardinal explained. The deficiency in the grades of certain students has become a problem which the administration hopes shortly to solve.

The groups that not only attained but exceeded their expected averages were—the Class of '36, who were .34 above their expected average; class of '37, .24 above expected average; Co-eds, .26 above expected average; and the Honor Roll students, who achieved an average .35 above what was expected of them.

Straw Vote Forecasts Democratic Landslide

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Original plans of the VIATORIAN straw vote committee, of which John Morris, '37, and Robert Baechle, '40, were in charge, included placing the names of Governor Henry Horner and C. Wayland Brooks on the ballots. But because of the unfamiliarity of out-of-state students with the local political situation, the names were withdrawn. From polling in the national election, however, it is believed that the Democratic candidate is favored.

The polls were opened at 8 o'clock on Wednesday morning on the porch of Marsile Hall and were closed at noon. During the morning, over 90 per cent of the campus cast ballots. In order to prevent stuffing of the ballot box, the name of each voter was recorded as he received his ballot.

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Death's Hand Misses Three Viator Couples

Three St. Viator undergraduates, Walter McCormick, Al Connerton, and James Cullen, while returning their homecoming dance dates, the Misses Mary K. McHugh, Minola Williams, and Madeline Krueger, to St. Francis College of Joliet, narrowly escaped death by electrocution Saturday, October 10.

The three couples, who were riding in Walter McCormick's car, were approximately nine miles from Kankakee on highway route number 44 when their car ran into a high tension wire that was hanging over the road. The wire was just low enough to catch the windshield of the car. The cornerposts supporting the windshield were grooved an inch and a half where the wire made contact and the generator of the car was burnt out. Fortunately none of the occupants were injured and all arrived safely at their destinations.

Microbe Hunters, Atom Smashers Form Club

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ture an open forum will be held. Similar to IRC

In speaking of the newly formed club, the moderators compared its structure and function to that of the International Relations Club. They pointed out that whereas the I. R. C. is a combination of the social science students founded for the purpose of acquainting the members with international governmental problems with the hope of breaking down international barriers by a more complete knowledge of these problems, the Science Club has been created in order that the student may realize the good that science has done for modern civilization. The club moderators hope that the new organization through its speakers may be able to correct the erroneous impression that science exists merely to improve deadly implements of warfare.

After the regular meeting a "coffee colloquium" was the usual method of the old Biology club's way of gently breaking away from the lecture room. The moderators have expressed a hope that the present organization will see fit to retain this interesting little feature which added so much to the success of the Biology Club last year.

Undergrad 4th Estate to Meet at Muhlenberg

Allentown, Pa. (NSFA)—Two hundred undergraduate delegates representing the thirty-five college papers in the Intercollegiate Newspaper Association will meet at Muhlenberg on November 13 and 14 at their annual conference. Entertainment instead of the customary copy will be provided by the Lehigh football game, speeches by nationally famous pundits, banquets and dances. The conference will be held under the auspices of the Muhlenberg Weekly.

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Charm Of Other Days Clings To Bourbonnais

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orial is dedicated by the high class of '21, May 30, 1921".

The first school, oldtime members of the faculty recall, was two stories high, the second floor being used for a dormitory. Today the students have for their comfort and convenience Roy Hall, a dormitory of unusual beauty. They also have the refectory or dining hall and the commodious gymnasium, both built of modern fireproof materials.

The gym contains a natatorium, 75-foot rifle ranges, a running track, bowling alleys, pool and billard tables and a handball court in addition to the large playing floor. Few educational centers can equal St. Viator in wise provision for fostering athletics. The gymnasium building of Italian renaissance style enhances the loveliness of the campus.

Grouping of the buildings adds to the effect, and their architecture appeals to the eye and the heart. Marsile Hall, named for the second president of the College, is an imposing structure of Bedford stone, built on classical lines, with ten Ionic columns supporting a finely wrought entablature in the porch scheme. Roy Hall is a plain, straightforward structure, a building of service.

The spirit that is St. Viator was admirably expressed by Father Marsile at the celebration of his golden jubilee of priesthood on October 21, 1925.

"I am here", he said, "upon the theatre of former activities, not to yield to pride nor to blush. With the help of devoted and competent teachers, there have gone forth from here students who now honor every station in life — business, professions, medicine, priesthood, prelature, episcopacy. Groups of bright minds, noble-hearted phalanxes, brilliant galaxies in Chicago, Peoria, St. Louis, Fort Wayne, Indianapolis, Kansas City, Dallas, Denver—in fact, from Los Angeles to New York".

And the very essence that is this College was articulated by the Kankakee Republican following the disastrous fire here in February, 1906. No finer eulogy was ever written of the aims and ideals of an educational institution. I quote—

"St. Viator's College, the famous old educational institution at Bourbonnais, fell before the fire fiend Wednesday evening. It is consoling to think, as one looks at the black-

ened walls of what was a noble institution of learning, that the real inward St. Viator's is indestructible. The wood and stone and all the materials that went to make up the structure are changed in form by the action of the elements until they appear to man as nothing but a ruin. But the real St. Viator's is the spirit that moves the cause of education and religious advancement in those who build the St. Viator's of sentiment that stretches its influence from one end of our great country to the other. The St. Viator's that fell before the flames was corporeal.

"In time the elements would have reduced it. Thus the change was but precipitated. The St. Viator's of the spirit and the mind, the college influence and the college thought that fills the hearts and influences the lives of those who have gone forth from its sphere equipped for the battle, not only of life, but the vicissitudes of eternity, can never die. It is immortal".

Editor's Note: The foregoing article, with a few slight changes, was written and published in a daily newspaper many years ago. The VIATORIAN reprints it at this time in order that the freshmen may know what others think of their college and as a consequence so act that that impression may never be marred. The author of the article, to whom we are deeply in debt, was Fred D. Pasley, an itinerant newspaperman.

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SORORITY NOTES

Miss Claire Legris, with the Misses Louise Legris and Yvonne Rivard as co-hostesses, held the first business and social meeting of the school year at her home Tuesday evening, October 13. It was voted that further action be taken to obtain sorority pins. The president appointed a committee to investigate and thereby give a report regarding this matter at the next meeting. Definite arrangements were made for the first annual Sorority Homecoming dinner which is to take place on Sunday, November 8, at the Oberlin Hostess House. Reservations can be made any time between now and November 4. Reverend F. E. Munsch, C. S. V., presided at the meeting and expressed his deepest appreciation to the Sigma Upsilon Sigma for his recent appointment of Moderator. The next meeting, the third Tuesday of November, is to be in charge of Miss Lucille Putz, '37.

The coeds have all condescended to gather in Marsile Hall next Sunday at three o'clock for the purpose of making the acquaintance of our new Mother Superior. After the presentation of a cash purse the students intend to give our Reverend Mother, tea will be served terminating a delightful afternoon.

Amongst the many who attended our College Homecoming we sighted members of our Alumnae—Mrs. J. P. McGovern, Mrs. Werner Slag, Mrs. John McNamara, the Misses Margaret Watson, Margaret Reichert, Marie Reynolds, Mary Taylor, Caroline Bally, Catherine Lampe, Genevieve Adams, Marguerite Senesac, Evelyn Lanoue, Mary Mallaney. They were all, apparently, enthusiastic about their return to the campus.

Miss Rose Smole of the class of '30, is now doing private secretarial work for the Western Electric company in Chicago. She had been teaching in the Bradley Public School during the past five years.

We feel indeed proud of Miss Mariette Murphy's success in obtaining the responsible position of Dean of Women and Instructor in English at Leyden High School, Franklin Park, Illinois. There are approximately five hundred young women under Miss Murphy's supervision.

Miss Oline Dandurand, one of last year's coeds, has just returned from a month's stay in Montreal, Canada. Miss Dandurand now contemplates enrolling at Gallagher Business School next term. In the meantime, she is entertaining a cousin who accompanied her home from the "land of maple".

Gymnasium Open To All Students; New System Introduced

Organization of St. Viator's managerial system into a more compact, efficient unit has been completed by the Athletic Board of Control and although in its infancy at this school, the new plan should be as much of a success here as it has been at other schools where it has been operated.

The new departure consists mainly in the posting of a student manager in the gymnasium at a specified hour each day. Student managers are on duty throughout the entire day. Managers have been given complete power in the gymnasium during the hour each is in charge, and each manager is required to report any rule infractions to the Athletic Board.

Equipment
Managers will have a complete stock of athletic equipment, including basketballs, footballs, handballs, boxing gloves, punching bags, etc., and these will be checked out to any of the students whenever requested. If, for some reason, the manager appointed for duty at a certain hour, is not in the gymnasium or fails to give you satisfactory service, students are asked to notify William J. Schumacher, senior manager of athletics, immediately.

The Athletic Board hopes that the revision of policy in this matter will stimulate student interest in individual athletics and expects the co-operation of the entire student body. It has been stated that any athletic equipment which is found in use in the gymnasium and which is not the property of the athletic department will be confiscated by the manager on duty at the time of its use.

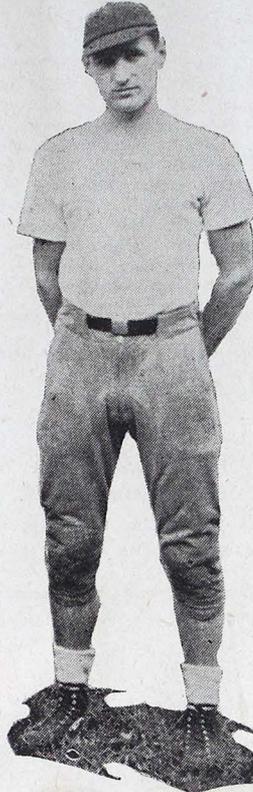
Managers who have been named for duty under the new schedule are: LeRoy Lee of Bonfield; Michael Sarich of DeKalb; Donald Dionne of Kankakee; Herbert Fields of Kankakee, and Deb Bendrick of Canton. A schedule of when these managers are on duty may be found on the gymnasium bulletin board.

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Before opening the election, Frank Ticulka, '37, retiring president, explained the main purpose of the Day Student Organization, as being one to promote the welfare of the day students. The new officers were also charged with the responsibility of attending all College Club meetings by the outgoing president.

Physical Eddie



EDDIE DES LAURIERS

Alumni—

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Fred Dundon, former athlete, is now working for the Banker's Life of Iowa. Raymond Wenthe, ex-editor, is connected with the United States Gypsum. William J. Costello is in the law offices of McInerney, Epstein and Arvey.

Jim O'Meara, '36, is now an accountant for a cosmetic company in Chicago. "Doc" Meany, '33, is the ever-genial football player who was selected three consecutive years as the outstanding center in the Little 19, is now coaching for his second year at the Austin High School.

The Rev. August J. Tardif, C. S. V., is now one of the chaplains of Municipal Sanitarium in Chicago. We

Bendix Brakes Name DesLauriers Coach And Athletic Director

Eddie DesLauriers, first physical education director at St. Viator, former assistant coach of football and basketball, and varsity swimming coach, was recently appointed head of the physical education department of the Bendix Brake company of South Bend, Indiana. DesLauriers will be head coach of basketball and softball as well as being the athletic director of the Bendix organization.

DesLauriers was coach of the St. Viator "B" basketball squad last season and turned out a strong combination that won two-thirds of the its games. In his capacity as head swimming coach, Eddie developed an outfit which copped third place honors in the Little 19 Conference meet of 1935.

The South Bend plant is nationally known for the high calibre of its' athletic teams and Eddie DesLauriers will find his new position one of great responsibility.

LIBRARY LOG—

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May we wickedly suggest that we are not afraid of the floor being scratched by keeping your feet on it while reading in the Library?

It is very desirable that students consult the filing cabinet and ask for the book wanted, by number as well as by title. Students should familiarize themselves with the card indexes.

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R. P. I. Students Up In Air At Dawn

Troy, N. Y., (NSFA) —Ten or more students of the Rensselaer Gliding Club practice in their motorless ship from 6:00 to 9:00 each morning at the Troy Airport. Rising early in order to avoid conflict with motor aircrafts and escape uneasy mid-day air currents, the glider enthusiasts are swiftly becoming experts in the new sport, and expect to acquire more advanced equipment at an early date. The club is under the instructorship of Alfred Sibilla, who has calibrated an altimeter and air speed indicator for glider use, and who has experienced with aerial photography from gliders.

Chicago Cafeteria Supt Host of College Treas.

The Rev. C. Marzano, C. S. V., treasurer of the College, attended the National Restaurant Association meeting at the Furniture Mart Building in Chicago on October 7. Father Marzano also attended the Symposium on high school and college cafeterias which was held at the Steinmetz High School, under the auspices of Mr. O. W. Washam, superintendent of cafeterias of Chicago high school system.

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Little 19 Camps

Wheaton, Ill.—Dr. Jack Cardiff, former welterweight champion boxer of the world, is Coach Fred Walker's assistant as trainer this year. For many years Cardiff kept the late "Billy" Sunday in condition.

DeKalb, Ill.—Northern Teachers boasts a new addition to the giant-midget combination of last year, composed of Charles Couch, 265 pound tackle, and Bill Rezek, 130 pound quarterback. He is Ari Kovacovich, 245 pound tackle, hailing from DeKalb, who stands 6 feet 7 inches tall.

Macomb, Ill.—Paul Stewart, triple threat Western Teachers halfback had no prep football experience. Colchester high where he attended did not include the gridiron sport in its curriculum. Stewart has developed into a fine kicker, excellent passer and good ball-carrier. The touchdown he scored against Millikin this year was the first of his career.

Harold Henderson, tackle, who

kicked the field goal which beat Millikin, 10-7, counted the first points he has ever scored also.

Stewart, Henderson, Perry Barclift, right half, and Bill Hughes, end, were members of the Western cage team which finished in a tie with Illinois College for first place in the final conference standings two years ago.

Carbondale, Ill.—For the second time in history Southern Teachers has the son of a former letterman trying out for its football team. He is Ralph Hamilton, Jr., of Carbondale. His father, Ralph Hamilton, Sr., was captain in 1915.

Charleston, Ill.—Louis K. (Judy) Voris, who has established himself as a permanent fixture in the Southern teachers' line, is another lad who had no high school football experience. Neoga high which he

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Naperville, Ill.—Lack of capable reserve strength is hampering Coach Gordon Fisher at North Central college this fall. The center of the line is probably the biggest problem. Bob Steinhebel handles the pivot position well on offense and is a tower of strength on defense, but the Cardinal squad lacks a capable sub to back up the big proviso Dutchman. Guards also give North Central coaches a big headache. Paul Hartman, 155, is a consistent performer but he, like Paul Shoger the other regular, 160 pounds, is handicapped by lack of weight.

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Bourbonnais, Ill.—St. Viator suffered one of the toughest losses in its history to Maryville, Mo. Teachers, 13-6, rolling up 25 first downs to the Missouri team's four and making 364 yards from scrimmage to Maryville's 194.

Francis Romary, a freshman back from Fort Wayne, Ind., is one of the new stars uncovered by Coach John McNamara this year. Tony Sacco is another back that apparently has won a regular berth this fall, sending a letterman to the bench.

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