

Freedom of the press is a right that must be continuously won, for the forces that dislike its vitality are sleepless.
—Glenn Frank

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A student newspaper that is not free, within the boundaries of decency and good taste, is worse than useless.
—Glenn Frank

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Dramatic Club Considers Plans Of New Director

Doctor Van Deventer Succeeds Professor Maloney; Leaders Work To Reorganize Club On High Standard.

Adopting a plan of complete reorganization, the Dramatic Club met last Tuesday and enthusiastically welcomed Dr. William C. Van Deventer as its new director and moderator. Doctor Van Deventer succeeds Prof. Michael Maloney, whose academic duties forced him to resign this year.

The new moderator outlined to the dramatists his conception of a progressive Dramatic club, and suggested that the members adopt his proposals. He sketched a program which would make the organization active during the entire season, and which, at the same time, would build it up to a high standard. He dismissed the idea of presenting a large play at any near date.

Prospects Good

The meeting was marked by a keen interest and enthusiasm, and the suggestions of Doctor Van Deventer were acceded to in large part. After the meeting, the club leaders expressed themselves as being encouraged by the dramatic prospects, and stated their belief that a highly acceptable plan could be worked out before the next meeting.

Director Experienced

The new moderator assumes his duties with several years of experience and study behind him. While attending Central College, Fiette, Mo., he was active in dramatics and on numerous occasions directed the productions of that school's club. He has devoted much time to the study of histrionics, and has always been intensely interested in stage activities.

Note of Thanks

Through the columns of the VIATORIAN, the Dramatic Club extends to Professor Maloney and to Brother Williams, who assisted him, a vote of appreciation. The members are cognisant of the time and effort which the organization of the club and the production of the "Varieties of 1935" required, and are highly thankful to these two men who directed them.

Shirley Lane Elected President Of I. R. C.

From the group of seven Seniors eligible for the presidency, Shirley Lane, '36, was chosen by the International Relations Club at its first meeting. Miss Mary Anthony, '37, was named to succeed herself as secretary.

Lane, who succeeds Stephen Gould, '36, is a day student from Kankakee. In a brief talk after his election, he promised to make the organization one of the most popular clubs on the campus, and stated his own keen interest in international affairs.

Miss Anthony has held the secretaryship in numerous student groups during the past two years, and as secretary of the I. R. C. last year, she labored earnestly to place the high standards of the club before the thinking public. Her home is in Beaverville, Illinois.

Six Professors Named Advisors To Specialists

Dean Explains Advantages Of Faculty Counselors

The inauguration of a system of freshmen counselors by the College Administration was announced last week by the acting Dean of Studies, the Rev. Bernard Mulvaney, C. S. V. Six faculty members were named to offer advice in the preparation courses, and to suggest correct lines of study to students in each particular field.

Dr. William C. Van Deventer was placed over the pre-medical, pre-dental and pre pharmaceutical students. Prof. Eugene Donnelly heads the pre-law group. The Rev. John W. Stafford, C. S. V., will direct men interested in clerical life. Prof. Michael Maloney has charge of the pre-journalism students. The Rev. Dr. Richard French, C. S. V., was appointed advisor for prospective teachers. Dr. William J. O'Donnell will direct the pre-engineering men.

Purpose Explained

The objective of the plan is threefold: Advisers are to keep in close communication with each freshman by means of personal interviews; they are to check over student class records; and they will enable the student to choose those classes which will best suit his future studies.

In making the announcement, Father Mulvaney said that "the system will be invaluable to the student. He will not choose his line of study blindly, but will be directed to classes best suited to his needs".

Miss Margaret Clancy Heads Sorority Unit

Miss Lucille Putz and Miss Ruth Arrington, '34, of Kankakee were hostesses to the members of the College Sorority at an informal tea held Sunday afternoon, October 20, in the coed room. The tea table was appropriately arranged and beautifully decorated with fall flowers. Both hostesses presided over the tea table.

After tea, a business meeting was held and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Miss Margaret Clancy, '36.

Vice-President, Miss Claire Legris, '37.

Secretary, Miss Mary Anthony, '37.

Treasurer, Miss Hazel Dionne, '37. Miss Lucille Putz was appointed to represent the Alumnae members. Plans to sponsor card parties once a month in the coed room were discussed, as well as other future social activities.

Business meetings are to be held on the third Sunday of every month in the coed room.

Anniversary Mass For Msgr. Legris

A Solemn Requiem High Mass will be celebrated in the College Chapel on Monday for the repose of the soul of Monsignor Gerasime M. Legris. November 4 marks the first anniversary of the death of Monsignor Legris, who had been active as professor of moral theology and European history here for 53 years.

The Rev. P. C. Conway, of Chicago, a Viator alumnus and a close friend of the deceased Monsignor, will preach the memorial sermon. The Very Rev. Dr. E. V. Cardinal, C. S. V., will be celebrant of the Mass.

Seasonal Air Prevails At School Frolic

Coeds Hold First Of Saturday Night Party Series

The Sorority opened its social season with a gay Hallowe'en party, held in the Refectory Saturday evening, October 26.

The evening's festivities were inaugurated with bridge. Appropriate Hallowe'en refreshments were served, and the high spot of the evening was an all-student floor show.

The floor-show, which has come to be a recognized part of coed parties, made a decided 'hit' with the guests. Though informal, it was presented with the deftness of a professional show. Radio dancing followed the student show and concluded the party.

Clever and colorful decorations gave the occasion a festive air which prevailed throughout the evening.

The coeds probably established a precedent which will supplant the old Viator custom of "turning the village wrong-side out" in celebration of All Saints' Eve. The Sorority, with Miss Mary Anthony, '37, as chairlady, succeeded in presenting its party with an informality that assured an enjoyable evening. Popular approval on the part of the student body perhaps will induce the coeds to hold parties of a similar nature in celebration of future holidays.

Viator Economist To Have Radio Hour

In a few weeks the Reverend J. W. R. Maguire, C. S. V., nationally known figure in labor circles, will resume his radio broadcasts over Station WCFL. Father Maguire has been delivering these addresses for many years and the public has evinced great interest in them. The broadcast will be heard every Sunday night at 8:00 o'clock.

Besides his many duties Father Maguire has organized a Study Club at St. Patrick's in Kankakee which meets every Wednesday evening.

On November 5, he will speak in Hammond, Ind., and during the same month he will talk to the St. Mary Monday Evening Club of Chicago on the "Theology of Pain and Suffering".

College Club Arranges Supper-Dance Nov. 10

Viator Men Will Be Hosts to St. Francis College Students; Phelon Tells Of Efforts To Make Social Success.

New Washington Home Dedicated By Viatorians

Many Notables At Ceremonies; Fr. O'Mahoney Presides

The beautiful new home of the Viatorians at 1326 Quincy Street, N. E., Washington, D. C., was officially dedicated on St. Viator's Day. The dedication ceremonies were presided over by the Very Rev. J. P. O'Mahoney, C. S. V., provincial of the American Province of the Order. Father O'Mahoney sang a Solemn High Mass.

The house, which is under the supervision of the Rev. Thomas Sullivan, C. S. V., was placed under the patronage of Saint Michael. It is built according to Italian Renaissance architecture, and has been comfortably furnished.

Many Present

Many of the religious superiors in Washington and professors of the Catholic University of America were guests at a banquet on the evening of the dedication. Among whom were Msgr. Fulton, Sheen, '17, and Msgr. P. J. McCormick, Director of Catholic Sisters College. During the evening of October 20, the alumni of St. Viator College attended a smoker in the new home.

The domestic affairs of the house are in charge of the Sisters of Notre Dame. Sisters of the same order also direct the infirmary, refectory, and dormitory here.

The largest number of seminarians ever to study for the Order is now in Washington.

Cisca Outlines Work At First Convention

Miss Mary Anthony, '37, was elected President of the St. Viator Chapter of Cisca at the society's first meeting last week. The other officers chosen were: Weeger Krauser, '38, vice-president; Raymond Cavanagh, '38, secretary; and Donald Morgan, '39, treasurer.

An outline of the plans agreed upon for the coming year includes: the organization of Study Clubs in Kankakee for the benefit of high school students, the spreading of Catholic literature, and the study of the Liturgical movement.

After a few words of greeting, Miss Anthony asked the Rev. William C. Cracknell, C. S. V., to explain the Ciscan Organization.

Father Cracknell explained that the "purpose of the movement is to provide for the Catholic youth a laboratory of Catholic Action".

"Cisca", he said, "was introduced into the college last May, and the Berchman Society was the first group to enter".

The regular meetings of the society will be held every Wednesday at 12:30, in the College Club Room.

As we go to press, the College Club is beginning plans for a supper-dance to be held in honor of the students of St. Francis College, Joliet, on November 10. The affair is intended to repay the guests for the tea-dance at which St. Francis entertained Viator men in Joliet last spring.

The girls will attend the St. Norbert-Viator football game on Sunday afternoon at Bergin Athletic Field. A six-o'clock buffet supper will be served in the Gold Room of Hotel Kankakee, and dancing will be held during the evening.

Plan Gala Day

William Phelan, '36, President of the College Club, says that he has started arrangements at the urgent request of the students who attended the St. Francis-Viator tea-dance, and that he has been encouraged by the satisfactory results of the Homecoming dance to spare no efforts in making this second affair a brilliant one.

One of the best of the local orchestras will be secured for the evening, but as yet the entertainers have not been decided upon. The buffet-supper will include the finest fare that Hotel Kankakee has to offer.

Find Nothing Lacking In Homecoming Revels

The Viator Homecoming, held October 18-19 was the most successful seen here in recent years. The pajama parade and spirited pep-meeting held in Bird Park in the light of a huge bonfire began the festivities. Pep speeches by the faculty, alumni and team, interspersed with cheers for the Green Wave, were alive with Viator loyalty.

A colorful four block parade through the main streets of Kankakee and Bradley on Saturday afternoon also exceeded anything of its kind held here for several years. Buggies, floats and clowns proved an effective means of awakening Kankakeans to the realization that a Viator Homecoming was at hand.

The Homecoming celebrations were climaxed at Alumni Field Saturday evening when the Green Wave gave a strong Carbondale team a thorough trouncing to a 20 to 7 score. It was the first time a Viator team had ever downed the Teachers from Southern Illinois. The Victory Dance was held in the College gym after the game. A large number of alumni were among the 200 couples present.

The committees for the Homecoming dance were: General Chairman, William Phelan, '36; Decorations: S. Gould, '36, S. Hamilton, '37, G. Rogers, '37, T. Marik, '37, R. Lyons, '39; Music: Miss H. Dionne, '37, A. Black, '38, R. Mullen, '39, K. Wiser, '37; Reception: W. Fleming, '36, Miss C. Legris, '37.

The dance was chaperoned by: Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Van Deventer, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mors, Mr. and Mrs. G. Legris, and Mrs. S. L. Hamilton.

Debaters Open Broadcast Schedule

Choral Club Acclaimed By First Nighters

Director Plans Pre-Christmas Broadcast

The newly organized Choral Club made its debut Thursday night when it entertained the College with a grand, varied program. Its opening night showed evidence of high talent and superior directing as the crowded College Club Room resounded with the world's best beloved music.

After the program, the director, the Rev. M. P. Loughran, C. S. V., expressed himself as pleased with the performers, and announced that the Club will appear on a radio broadcast before the Christmas holidays.

High Ability

Don Morgan, '39, basso, and Raymond Cavanagh, '38, tenor, were presented as soloists for the evening, and received tremendous ovations. Both men possess unusually fine voices, and sang their way into the hearts of the audience.

No greater tribute could be paid an artist than the breathless silence which fell over the house when Charles Gilbert, '39, and Henry Zmjewski, '39, swayed the audience with violin solos. The former offered Ethelbert Nevin's immortal "The Rosary". He was accompanied by Herbert Foederer, '39. Zmjewski made a beautiful song more beautiful as he played "Liebesleid" by Fritz Krisler. Richard Powers, '39, accompanied him.

The entire ensemble sang six numbers, which included folk songs, negro spirituals and popular classics. "The Anvil Chorus" in which the club was accompanied by two violins was presented in a style decidedly new to most of the audience.

As an added attraction, the Club presented a moving picture, "Lighthouse By The Sea", starring Rin Tin Tin, William Collier, and Louise Fazenda.

Cisca Delegates At Chicago Convention

A group of Viator Ciscans attended the Catholic Action School at Providence High School, Chicago, conducted by the Rev. Daniel J. Lord, S. J., on November 1-2. The Rev. William Cracknell, C. S. V., and the Rev. M. P. Loughran, C. S. V., were accompanied by 14 members of the student body.

The outstanding lecture of the meeting was a talk on the Mystical Body of Christ, which was given as a motivation for Cisca activities. The doctrine as found in the Epistles and Gospels was most graphically presented by Father Lord. Under the masterful portrayal of this great leader of American youth, the Mystical Body and its modern application stood out in bold relief.

The Most Rev. Bernard J. Shiel, senior-auxiliary Bishop of Chicago, received a great ovation when he addressed the assembly. He heart-

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Benefit Hop To Climax Fall Revels

The last dance before the Christmas recess will be held in the College gym on November 23, according to an announcement made at a meeting of the College Club last week. The affair is being sponsored as a benefit for William Phelan, '36, College Club President, who is in a Kankakee hospital suffering from a serious compound fracture of the leg. Phelan was injured three weeks ago while playing in the annual Frosh-Upper-classmen football game.

The dance will be a gala climax between the football game with Northwest Missouri State Teachers on November 22, and the beginning of Thanksgiving holidays on the following Wednesday. Stephen Gould, '36, Acting President, was to have named his committees today, and the selection of an orchestra will probably be made the first part of the week.

In commenting upon the dance, Gould, in characteristic briefness, expressed himself as follows:

"Because we realize that the student body desires greater activity on the campus, Viator has had more dance parties this season than ever before. In further answer to the general demand, the College Club has decided to sponsor this Thanksgiving affair, and we know that every Viator man will want to attend, especially when its financial purpose is considered".

Dramatists Draw Up New Constitution

A committee, appointed the first of the month by Edward Buttgen, '37, President, to draw up a constitution and set of by-laws for the Dramatic Club, will submit its suggestions at a Constitutional Convention on November 26.

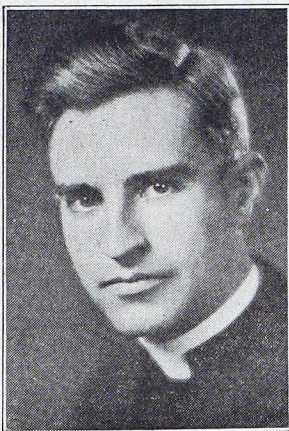
As we go to press, the committee has not revealed any of the recommendations which it will make. But if it is guided by the sentiment which was manifest at the club's first meeting, a radical departure from the loose-organization of former Viator histrionic societies will be effected.

In order to make the organization compact and to keep all of the members active, students have suggested that admission to the club be restricted in number — probably not to exceed 30. At their initial meeting, the Dramatists insisted that, as soon as the club is definitely organized, new members will be received only upon application.

It is probable, also, that the Constitutional Committee will recommend a semester fee, to be required of all members in order to defer the expenses of the program suggested by Dr. William Van Deventer, club moderator.

The committee is composed of the club officers and two additional members: E. Buttgen, '37, Miss C. Legris, '37, W. Schumacher, '37; W. Cahill, '37; W. Krauser, '38; A. Magdecki, '39.

FROM ORIENT



THE REV. J. A. MAGNER

Noted Author Will Address IRC Meeting

Fr. Magner To Tell of Problem In Far East

Having recently returned to America from a personal study of the Oriental diplomatic snarl, the Rev. James A. Magner, Ph. D., S. T. D., Professor of Languages at Quigley Preparatory Seminary, will tell the I. R. C. here on November 20 of "Japan's Bid For Power". Shirley Lane, '36, President of the club, said yesterday that Father Magner would include in his lecture not only a general survey of the political situation, but also an intimate study of life and customs in the Far East.

Has Active Career

The guest speaker is well known wherever international, social and cultural problems are discussed. He is Director of the St. Gertrude Study Club and Forum, of Chicago; a member of the Executive Committee of the National Catholic Alumni Association; and Guest Master of the Merivalists of Chicago.

Father Magner is a former editor of the "Question Box" and "Marriage Question" of the Extension Magazine, and is the author of *This Catholic World*, a book which has attracted wide attention. He is also a frequent contributor to leading Catholic magazines.

He has traveled extensively, giving several years to study and observation of world affairs, and he understands the oriental question as few men in this country today do.

Miss Putz Represents Viator At Rockford, Ill.

Miss Lucille Putz represented St. Viator College at the Illinois State Librarians' Convention in Rockford on October 31.

The convention was in session three days, but Miss Putz, because of her duties here, was present only at the final session, and attended the conferences in which college library work was discussed. Many of the outstanding men of the library world spoke.

Seniors Slip As Thesis Work Looms Close

Reporter Find Many Seniors Sleeping

Apparently the Seniors of this year are no exceptions to their distinguished predecessors. The VIATORIAN has been trying to secure the titles of their bachelors' theses since November 4, the day appointed for submitting subjects, and as yet has been unable to complete the list entirely. All present indications point to a busy, nerve-wrecking spring when the Seniors will be buried deep in source papers and authoritative works in a last minute attempt to finish their papers by May 1. This scene will not be a new one.

To date, the following theses subjects have been chosen and approved: Francis T. Williams—"The Development of Shakespeare's Mind from 'Love's Labour's Lost' to 'The Tempest'."

W. Stephen Gould—"Relative Duties of Church and State Regarding Charities". William T. Maloney—"The Revival of Scholasticism in the Twentieth Century".

John M. Shipman—"Ethics of War".

Thomas J. Ryan—"The Evil of Divorce".

Lester J. Soucie—"A History of Grant Park".

Richard A. Crowley—"Isben and Wilde; A Comparison of Influences".

Margaret E. Clancy—"Marlowe's Influence On Shakespeare's 'Richard III'".

Raphael M. Roche—"Catholic and non-Catholic Birth Rates in Kankakee".

Clarence L. Noonan—"Investment Banking".

James J. O'Mara—"Consideration of the Factors Concerning Good Will".

William P. Phelan—"The Oxidation of Toluene to Benzoic Acid".

Supper-Dance Hits New High In Viator Socials

If any Viator man failed to enjoy the supper-dance in honor of St. Francis College on November 10, it was through no fault of the College Club. The supper, the music, the air of informality, and the guests—above all, the guests, combined to make the gayest social success in many moons.

While the buses in which the St. Francis girls traveled to Bourbonnais were leaving Hotel Kankakee, Norbert Ellis, '36, voiced the general sentiment when he bemoaned, "Why do they have to go back so early?" Later in the evening, Weeger Krauser, '38, wondered, "Why can't we have more parties like this one?" and Joseph Barzantny, '37, insisted that the evening ranked first among college parties during the past three years.

These statements are indicative of the feelings of the student body, and show that the supper-dance answered every qualification of the "perfect evening".

Send Veterans Against DeKalb In First Clash

Name Men For Northwestern Fray Saturday

The Bergin Debaters opened their intercollegiate schedule this afternoon when they sent two veterans against a team from DeKalb State Teachers in a radio meet over station W. C. F. L. Viator was represented by Norbert Ellis, '36, and Raymond Cavanagh, '38.

Ellis, who is President of the Bergin Debating Society, is entering his fourth year of forensic experience. During his sophomore year he gained a berth on the Viator conference four, when he was teamed with Robert Nolan, '34. Last season, illness prevented his taking much active part in debating.

Cavanagh from Chicago, is recognized as having one of the best radio voices in the forensic society. He was also the first man to represent Viator over the microphone last year, and is making debating a major part of his extra-curricula activities this season.

Viator upheld the negative of a question now receiving much discussion in the nation: "Resolved: That the United States should maintain its neutrality in event of a foreign war".

Toomey and Buttgen

Northwestern University will furnish the opposition on the following Saturday, November 23, when Patrick Toomey, '39, and Edward Buttgen, '37, will represent the Bergin debaters. During the past two years, Viator has opposed the Evans-ton school twice on the forensic platform in North Manchester, Ind., and the honors have been divided.

Toomey, from Chicago, is in his first year of debating, but has exhibited outstanding ability in weekly practice. Buttgen, of Warsaw, Ill., is past president of the society, and has been a conference man for two years.

The proposition under debate will be: "Resolved: That the several states adopt legislation that provides free medical service to all citizens". Viator will defend the affirmative.

John O'Connor Named FHA District Director

John R. O'Connor, a friend of Viator and a former member of the Board of Trustees, assumed office this month as district director of the FHA for Northern Illinois. Mr. O'Connor brings to the FHA organization 25 years' experience in the real estate business in Chicago. He has been particularly active in the South Shore and Auburn Highlands districts and is president of the Gateway Securities Company.

Arrangements for the party were made by Stephen Gould, '36, Acting President of the College Club. This was his first management of an all-school social affair, and he showed himself capable of effecting the best in the line of parties.

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IN MEMORIAM

Next Monday marks the first anniversary of the death of Monsignor G. M. Legris, a man whom Viator students had loved for over half a century. He was one of those rare men whose virtues are appreciated and whose beautiful simplicity is revered even while they are still living.

Certainly Monsignor Legris achieved during his life the divine success of having filled his niche and of having accomplished his task. By moulding the hearts and minds of Viator men, by exemplifying the dignity of profound scholarship, by giving to his associates an example of the nobility and gradure of a life well lived, he left the world better than he found it.

As teacher, as man, as priest, The Monsignor gave to all the best he had, and in return always looked for the best that could be found in others. Today, a year after his death, in the hearts of hundreds whose lives are richer for having known him, he lives on — his life an inspiration, his memory a benediction.

LEAGUE ACTS LATE AGAIN

Civilization fades far into the distant future when one considers the utterly disconcerting procedures that have characterized the Italo-Ethiopian situation. Nothing could be more illustrative of the need for improvement in world government and international diplomatic methods than the slow action taken by the league powers at Geneva.

The entire affair, plainly a war of conquest as far as Italy is concerned, was nevertheless the topic of lengthy league investigations, first to determine whether Italy should take over Ethiopia, second, which nation has been at fault in the present crisis, and third, in what manner sanctions, if any, should be applied against Il Duce.

The Fascist invaders of Emperor Selassie's domain have gone much too far. They cannot turn back until the colors of Italy fly over Ethiopia. That will be accomplished only over the dead bodies of every warrior in Ethiopia.

Just what the effect of the League's action will have, and how far the League will go in carrying out its decisions, no one knows. The fact is that Mussolini, after having sent thousands of black-shirted troops and cannons up to the Ethiopian borders, suddenly took advantage of Selassie's necessary mobilization orders and immediately declared Ethiopia's call for soldiers an act of war, whereupon Il Duce's planes and soldiers advanced into Ethiopian territory and the war was on. It would seem on the face of these facts that the machinery of the League is far too slow for our fast moving world.

There are two kinds of discontent in this world: the discontent that works, and the discontent that wrings its hands. The first gets what it wants, and the second loses what it has. There's no cure for the first but success; and there's no cure at all for the second. — Gordon Graham.

ALUMNI NOTES

The Homecoming game seemed to be a general reunion of the Alumni. It would be impossible to enumerate all those present, but we will say here that a great many were represented at the game and at the dance.

Students and faculty extend to Orville P. Berns, a member of last year's graduating class, their hearty best wishes and congratulations. Berns was married this month.

Mr. Ignatius Cleary, '28, visited Father Walsh, '28, to talk over old times. Mr. Cleary is now Principal of the Coolidge School, Harvey, Ill. Leslie A. Roche, '27, who taught here in the High School several years, paid us a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Werner Slag and son dropped in to say "Hello". Werner Slag graduated from Viator in '31.

Many of us met Brother Rupert, C. S. V., who is now Superior of a school for delinquents in Terra Haute, Indiana.

Andy Bracken came to renew acquaintances the other day.

J. H. Newman, '21, who was a professor of Latin and English here, dropped in for a short visit last week.

The Rev. T. J. Lynch, who is now teaching in Philadelphia, writes that he has returned from a month's vacation in Ireland.

Alumnus Ordained

Thomas A. Fox, who attended St. Viator College in 1929 and 1930, was ordained to the priesthood on October 26 at St. Joseph's church, West DePere, Wis.

Fox is now Frater Giles T. Fox, O. Praem., having joined the Praemonstratensian order in August, 1930. He received his B. A. degree from St. Norbert College in 1932, and taught in the high school the following year. The next year he taught at Archmere academy, Claymont, Delaware, and last year at Southeast Philadelphia Catholic High School.

The Forum

Dear Editor:

Since you take it upon yourself to speak for the boarding students as a body, we the Day Students address this letter to you with our profound apologies and deepest regrets. Far be it from any Day Student to deliberately slap anyone's face, especially one, whose bond of fraternal friendship is so close as a fellow student.

Therefore we take this opportunity to explain our action in electing officers and to assure you that we DO NOT feel our interests are neglected by the school's student heads.

You will agree with me when I say that it is utterly impossible for all of us to attend each meeting of the College Club. Therefore, to assure our wholehearted support to all its activities, we united and elected officers; whose duty it is to attend these meetings and represent us as a body. Then at an appointed time which is convenient to us we will meet and the officers will make a report of the actions taken by the College club at the last meeting; assuring all a complete knowledge of the social activities of their school. Thus we hope to stimulate more interest among the day students in college activities.

We are sorry that our organizing has led a few of the Boarders to think that we organized merely for the purpose of being arbitrary. WE DID NOT! We say a few, because we do not sincerely believe that this is the sentiment of the greater

Campus Personalities

MISS LUCILLE PUTZ

Known to most of you as "the librarian", Lucille is, nevertheless, one of the REAL characters on this campus, and that statement does not arise from any Irish blood in my veins. It is true. You have only to note her quiet, determined, business-like air to become quite sure of the fact that she does have real strength of character. Lucille has been with Viator for the past few years, and is, at present, working for her Bachelor of Arts degree. She is, truly, very efficient and brisk. Her tasks are performed quickly and with a smile. That smile, incidentally, is one of her chief assets. It catches you unaware sometimes, and the pure humanism and friendliness of it rather floors you.

To do justice to her, it must be said that she exemplifies the best type of coed. Her industrious, whole-hearted manner toward her work, and her lady-like appearance at all times make her about "tops".

BRO. ED DES LAURIERS—

Rev. Edward E. DesLauriers, C.

S. V., A. B., is what he is called in the Bulletin of General Information, but that cold title does not designate the true man. Brother Ed. is a vital, living person, a man whose every move has a purpose. He is tremendously efficient, and is possessed of a marvelously practical mind. Athletics is Brother's special dish. Fall finds him on the grid-iron while winter will locate him on the basketball court. In spring, he devotes himself to swimming and boxing, but his summer months are spent in acquiring more athletic knowledge at the University of Illinois. Of average height and weight, his wiry, agile body and natural athletic ability make him especially well fitted for his position as Director of Physical Education.

Supremely confident of himself, he inspires confidence in everyone who knows him. Of a kind, friendly disposition, he can be tough on occasion. Yes sir, fellows, he's kind but tough, small but mighty, and he comes under the specifications of—what's that we used to call them? — ah, yes,—a prince!

Pardon Us

The VIATORIAN wishes to correct a mistake which appeared in the last issue. Miss Margaret Clancy, '36, and not Robert Mackin, '37, is vice-president of the Day Student organization.

Dr. Donald Laird, Colgate U. psychologist, has found by a series of tests that light lunches are best for college students. They certainly believe that here.

part of the students of Roy Hall. Again pledging our loyalty to our College and to the College Club, we remain,

Very sincerely yours,
The Day Students.

Dear Editor:

I read with interest your editorial last issue concerning the day student elections. I think, however, that you failed sadly to interpret the Day Student's position.

First, you blithely assumed that the Day Students organized to fight rather than to cooperate with the College Club. This is not the position of the Day Students.

The majority of the Day Students are unable to attend College Club meetings. We organized so that we might have representatives at these meetings who can cooperate with the College Club in the name of the Day Students. If our interests were purely selfish, as you imply, we would have formulated a list of demands. But we did not. Instead, when plans were being laid for the Homecoming, our representatives secured decorated cars for the pep parade.

Secondly, you don't seem to appreciate that the needs of the Day Students are different from those of resident students. You call us the "off-campus" group instead of fellow students, then, in the same breath, tell us we are no different from resident students. Need we point out to you that day students are not even considered for offices such as President of the College Club and Editor of the Viatorian? We don't resent this for we realize that it is impractical that we hold these offices. But please don't tell us that our position is the same as that of resident students.

Sincerely,

"A member of the Off-Campus group".

THE LIBRARY LOG

New books on Architecture have been recently added to the Library. They have been cataloged and are now available for circulation. All those interested in Architecture and Art will find a great deal of enjoyable reading in the following volumes.

Living Architecture by Arthur Waltersdorf. A collection of essays on present day problems in Architecture written and sponsored by the Chicago Chapter of the American Institute of Architects.

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Father Munsch is now negotiating for the 14th edition of the Encyclopedia Britannica and also expects to order many of the volumes on the Shaw-Carnegie list of Books for College Libraries.

Ethiopia's theme song might be, "Let Not a Day-Go By" Also Benito is still trying to Muss-in-i.

GEMS OF—

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Western Catholic Conference teams in 1916. He was the first Viator griddier ever to be named as Captain of the All-State Conference eleven.

The team of 1916 won six and lost two ;scored 342 points to its opponents 50; and was rated as being the best of the little college eievens in the state. The Notre Dame Freshmen and Columbia University were the only teams to defeat them.

In 1920 Viator had four men make the All-Star eleven. The men who made it were: McCarthy, quarterback; MacLain, right halfback; Bushell and Winterhalter, ends.

Editor's Note: The above are just a sample of the interesting Gems of the Green Wave that may be found in the new football program.

DETROIT 'PRO'—

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college team undergoes such rigorous pre-season practice. That's where the boys from the smaller schools show up to advantage. They are eager to make good, and hustle more, and they're not always thinking about past reputations".

Clark cited "Cowby" Jack John-

son, formerly of Utah University, tackle for the Detroit Lions, as an example of the type of player who makes good in professional football.

"He's the best conditioned man I have ever seen in football", Clark said. "He plays a full sixty minutes at top speed and after the game, when the rest of us are all tucked out, he's as fresh as a daisy. From the end of one season to the start of another, Jack is on his ranch, and he's always as hard as nails".

Beattie Feathers of the Chicago Bears, former University of Tenn. star is, in Clark's estimation, the finest running back in the professional football.

SPORT SHORTS—

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that were once enlisted in the Little 19 are William and Vashti, Lombard, Blackburn, Lincoln, Hedding and Mount Morris. William and Vashti, Hedding, Lombard and Mount Morris are no longer in existence. Lincoln and Blackburn are now classed as Junior colleges.

Cecil Garriott of Argenta, Ill., who is slated to join the St. Louis Cardinals when he finishes his college course at Millikin, had been out for football practice but four days before the Wesleyan-Millikin game, October 19. Garriott was refraining from football because of his major

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A Year Ago Today

The college mourned the death of Monsignor G. M. Legris. The Most Rev. William D. O'Brien, Junior Auxiliary Bishop of Chicago, and

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Rogers RE V. Murphy
McGrath QB J. Hamilton
Phelan LH W. Kilbride
Normile RH Lanahan
Wiser FB D. Murphy

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the Most Rev. Bernard J. Shell Senior Auxiliary Bishop of Chicago, came to Bourbonnais to officiate at pontifical Requiem Masses.

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Il Duce Blamed For War Crisis At I. R. C. Meet

Speaker Fears World Conflict Will Result

In no uncertain terms, the Very Rev. Dr. E. V. Cardinal, C. S. V., denounced Mussolini in his invasion upon the peace of Ethiopia at the first meeting of the I. R. C. Father Cardinal based his condemnation upon three major points:

(1). "The consequences", he said, "of a war between Italy and Ethiopia would be worse than any good that possibly could be derived therefrom". He explained that should war be officially declared, it would be inevitable that Europe be drawn into the conflict. "Today", he asserted, "war is an international crime".

(2) The speaker stressed the conviction that "Italy is not defending a cause which is worthy or just". He discarded Il Duce's plea that Italy needs land for her crowded populace, because there are means which could be used to solve the problem other than war. The reverend doctor suggested as reasons for Italy's aggression the desire to regain her lost glory, the pressing demand for natural resources, or the need of an outlet for her population. But, he declared that none of these ends justify the means which the dictator is using to gain them.

(3) Father Cardinal gave as his third reason for condemning the Italian attitude the fact that Italy is sworn to the League of Nations, the World Court and the Kellogg Peace Pact. And yet, he pointed out, she has not attempted to make use of this machinery. On the contrary, she has deliberately broken her word with the nations of the world, refused to exhaust her means for keeping peace, and has begun to invade Ethiopia.

Americans Charged With Soviet Plot

Easton, Pa., (ACP)—Eugene Brinson, Lafayette, '31, is being held prisoner by Chinese authorities at Hankow on charges of "assisting Communists to imperil the Chinese government, bribing officers, and attempting to procure the escape of a convict" college authorities here have been informed.

Details of an alleged international plot, which it is thought included Brinson, are as yet very meager. The early information cabled to this country told how Brinson and a friend, Carl J. Lemcke, were detained when it became certain they were attempting to work the release of Joseph Waldon, also known as "Dr Rivosh of Berlin", believed to be a native of Latvia and an agent of the OGPU, the Soviet secret political police, from a Chinese prison. Waldon was sentenced to 15 years imprisonment for espionage.

According to a reliable Japanese source, the plot to set Waldon free was discovered when a Japanese gunboat on river patrol in the Yangtse intercepted a radio message from the Soviet steamship Sever, enroute from Shanghai to Vladivostok.

Brinson and Lemcke, it is charged, had planned to bribe the assistant warden of the pail in Wuchang, where Waldon is being held. Wuchang is directly opposite Hankow on the Yangtse. In this way the pair intended to gain admittance

History Of St. Viator College

BY LEO V. NOLAN, C. S. V.
II—THE POTTAWATOMI

On the basis of linguistic characteristics, the Indians of North America were divided into three chief groups, the Athabascans, the Iroquois and the Algonquians. First in importance among the Algonquians were the Pottawattomi whose hunting ground, for a long time, comprised the Kankakee country.

LaSalle did not encounter the Pottawattomi here during his explorations as they were at that time dwelling in the regions around Green Bay. The Jesuit Relations for the years 1639 and 1640 refer to them as being north of Lake Huron and later as being farther south along the shores of Lake Michigan. Charlevoix believed their villages on the Saint Joseph and at Detroit to have been settled around 1700. As the tribe multiplied they spread south and west until they occupied nearly all of Northwestern Indiana and Northern Illinois.

These Indians were faithful allies of the French until the close of Queen Anne's War in 1713. In the Revolutionary War they fought on the side of the British despite the fact of their previous campaigns with Pontiac against the English. In the Fort Dearborn Massacre, during the War of 1812, they played the leading role. In fact, certain of the friendly tribes warned the inhabitants of the small fort that the Pottawattomi could not be trusted.

The Kankakee country can boast not only of Caucasian heroes nurtured on this soil, but also, of picturesque Mongoloid braves who made this land their home. Among them were three who deserve special mention: Shabbona, Pontiac, and Shawanasee.

Chief Shabbona was born within the boundaries of Kankakee County around 1775. Although he fought with Tecumseh against the Americans, in the War of 1812, he is said to have done much to cement the friendly relations between his tribe and the white intruders. "In the Winnebago War of 1827", according to the History of Kankakee County, "it was to his efforts that pioneers were indebted that his tribe did not take part in that conflict". He resisted Black Hawks' blandishments and thus kept his tribe from an alliance with the Sacs and Foxes in the Black Hawk War. Given a tract of land in DeKalb county by the government, he abandoned it to go with his tribe when they moved westward. When he returned, years later, the land had long since been forfeited. However, the citizens of Ottawa, Illinois, bought land and built him a home where he died in 1859.

The History of Kankakee County is authority for the statement that Pontiac with the shattered remnants of his once mighty band, to the jail, let Walden leave and have Lemcke remain behind in his place. Once Walden was safely out of the Chinese territory, Lemcke was to have effected his own release by a mere declaration of his true identity.

joined the Pottawattomi in the valley of the Kankakee at the close of the War of 1812. An Illinois Indian assassinated him during an Indian Council not long afterwards.

Chief Sha-wa-na-see died in his village at Rock Creek in 1832. This village is reputed to have been one of the largest and oldest in the country. The last great Indian Council is said to have been held here in 1830. The Treaty of Camp Tippecanoe bears his name as well as Shabbona's.

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Mid-West Schools Show Growth

New York, (ACP)—Definite and substantial enrollment gains in colleges and universities throughout the country are the order of the day this fall, with almost every school able to report at least a slight increase in registration over last year.

The gain is most marked in the Mid-West, where student ranks are apparently increasing three times as fast as they are on the Atlantic sea board. Colleges polled beyond the Alleghenies show an average student gain of 10.6 per cent over last year, as against 3 per cent in Eastern schools.

More money at home, plus the feeling that new jobs are opening up, is believed mainly responsible for the 1935 jump. The N. Y. A. is playing an important part, many registrars believe.

College Club President Injured On Gridiron

The day after he had told the VIATORIAN of his plans for the November 10 supper-dance William Phelan, '36, College Club President, suffered a compound fracture of the leg while playing in an inter-class football game. Since Sunday, the day of the accident, he has been a patient in St. Mary's hospital, Kankakee. He is expected to return to the campus in a few days.

During the absence of Phelan, Stephen Gould, '36, vice-president, is acting as head of the College Club.

According to an announcement from the University of Illinois, plant molecules have been brought within man's microscopic vision.

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College Students Opposed To War

Madison, Wis., (ACP)—The college youth of America definitely does not want war, and can be expected to oppose vigorously and actively any effort to drag the United States into the general European war many experts predict will arise out of the Italo-Ethiopian conflict.

This is the belief of Associated Collegiate Press correspondents who have just completed a survey of student opinion on the subject.

Outstanding among the conclusions reached as a result of the survey are these:

(1) While most American students are in decided sympathy with Ethiopia in the present undeclared war in Africa, opinion is divided as to the wisdom of the United States joining the League of Nations in the application of aggressor penalties against Italy with only a minority in support.

(2) Today, more students than ever before are prepared to view with cynical skepticism the flag-waving jingoism and propaganda so successfully used to drive America into participation in the World War.

(3) The flood of books, pamphlets and magazine articles exposing the origins of the past wars and particularly the World War, has found a wider circulation among college students and instructors than among any other group of the American public as a whole.

(4) The number of "conscientious objectors," and pacifists in the colleges and universities, both those who would refuse to enlist for a foreign war and those who are pledged not to fight for any reason, has vastly increased during the past few years.

The Science Society of China was founded 21 years ago by Chinese undergraduates at Cornell University.

Cash Prizes Offered To Psychologists

The Department of Psychology will announce this week an essay contest which will be open to all college students. An award of \$25.00 is being offered by the editors of "The Modern Psychologist" for the best paper on the topic, "The Meaning of Gestalt Psychology".

The essays should not be less than 1500 nor more than 3500 words in length, and should be in the hands of the judges by December 31.

Fr. Cracknell Attends Ill. Registrars' Meet

The Rev. William C. Cracknell, C. S. V., St. Viator College Registrar, attended the annual meeting of the Illinois Association of Collegiate Registrars in Rockford, Ill., last Thursday and Friday. The convention, who discussed many problems which they had in common and listened to suggested improvements for their work, were the guests of Rockford College.

In comparison with other countries the United States ranks tenth in the educational scale, according to a statement made at the last national convention of the Parent-Teachers' convention.

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