

CISCANS TO PRESENT "STORM TOSSED"

"Tweet" Hogan Waves Baton Saturday Eve

Alumni Endeavor To Make Monogram Dance Largest In History of the College

The Sixteenth Annual Monogram Dance will be held Saturday evening, April 17, in the Bal-Tabarin Ballroom of the Sherman Hotel in Chicago. It is the first time in the history of the College that the dance has been removed from Kankakee.

According to an announcement made by the Rev. F. J. Harbauer, C. S. V., director of athletics and moderator of the Viator Monogram Club the poular Chicago maestro, "Tweet" Hogan and his colorful ten piece orchestra will furnish the music of the evening.

Alumni at Work

The decision to hold the Annual Monogram Dance in Chicago this year was reached by members of the Varsity Club when undeniable advantages of alumni co-operation were brought forth. The dance this year is being sponsored by the Viator Club of Chicago and every effort is being made to reunite the alumni of the College at this affair.

Alumni have been active for the past month in securing patrons and in disposing tickets. Lowell Lawson, formerly president of the Chicago Viator Club and a prominent lawyer in Chicago, is chairman of the committee intrusted with securing patrons for the affair.

The Chicago ticket committee which reports an enormous advance sale is composed of the following alumni: Joseph McGovern, president of the Chicago Viator Club, chairman; Francis Carroll, Joseph Degnan, "Gus" Dundon, Leslie Roche, Robert Delany and William Marr.

Table Reservations

Similar ticket units are located throughout the Chicagoland area and are headed by the following alumni: Robert Doyle, River Forest; Timothy Corcoran, Oak Park; Thomas Williams, Hammond, Indiana; James Ward, Chicago Heights; Robert Sprietzer, Joliet; and Daniel Blaze- vich, '39, St. Viator College and Kankakee.

While the dance is intended primarily to unite the college alumni, the annual prom will be open to the friends of the College and tickets may be secured from any of the ticket committees. Tickets are priced at two dollars per couple.

According to an announcement made by Father Harbauer table reservations will be accepted at Hyde Park 4176, Chicago. Make a party of it—bring your friends and enjoy a gala evening of fun. Don't resist the festive spirit.

As we go to press the Rev. F. J. Harbauer, C. S. V., director of athletics and moderator of the Monogram Dance, informs us that he has just received word from Lowell Lawson, chairman of the patron committee stating that enough patrons have already been secured to guarantee the payment of the orchestra.

Rev. Paul Farley Named Viatorian Superior - Gen.

Delegates of the Clerics of St. Viator, convening in Brussels, Belgium, last month, elected the Rev. Paul Emile Farley, C. S. V., of the Province of Montreal, to the office of Superior General of the order on March 26. The delegates, who represented provinces in both America and Europe, also named the Rev. Jules Blanchard, C. S. V., former Master of Novices of the Province of Rodez, France, as Vicar General, and the Rev. Daniel A. O'Connor, C. S. V., former Principal of Cathedral Boys' High School, Springfield, as Assistant General in charge of the American Province.

Father Farley, a member of the council of the Superior General since 1933, succeeds the Rev. F. M. Roberge who was forced to resign the office because of declining health and advanced age. Father Farley entered the Community in 1913 after completing studies at Joliet College, Canada. He obtained the degree of Bachelor of Arts at the University of Montreal.

The new Superior General pursued his theological studies at St. Charles' Scholasticate. He was ordained to the Holy Priesthood in 1918. He later followed graduate courses in French Literature at the Sorbonne in Paris, where he obtained the degree corresponding to the American doctorate.

For several years Father Farley was a member of the faculties of St. Charles' Scholasticate and of Joliet College and Seminary. He was appointed Rector of the Seminary in 1931. Two years later he was called to Belgium as Assistant General in charge of the Canadian Province.

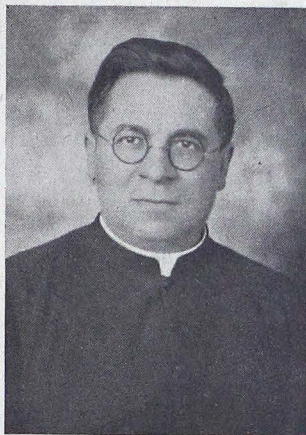
Seniors Will Not Have Class Photographer

Because most of the Seniors prefer to have their graduation pictures taken by their own photographers, the Class of 1937 will not choose a firm to do all the work. Taking of pictures will be left to the discretion of the individual. It should not be forgotten, however, that a gloss print should be secured for the use of the VIATORIAN. Most photographers will supply this type of a print without charge.

The editor of the VIATORIAN will call for all gloss prints not later than May 15 in order to have cuts made of them for the final issue.

Edw. Butegen, '37,
Class President.

Superior-General



Very Rev. P. E. Farley, C. S. V.

Holy Name Society Will Hear Fr. Wm. J. Bergin Thursday

The Rev. Dr. William J. Bergin, C. S. V., head of the department of philosophy here, will address the monthly Holy Name meeting on Thursday evening at eight o'clock in the Commons Building, it was announced this morning by the Rev. Paul Hutton, C. S. V., moderator of the local branch of the Holy Name Society.

Father Bergin, a nationally known author and lecturer, has chosen the topic of "Birth Control" for his evening's lecture.

Open Meeting

According to Richard Powers, '39, president of the St. Viator Holy Name Society, the meeting will be open to all male members of this community. President Powers further stated that written invitations had been sent to all of the local parish branches of the Holy Name Society located in this vicinity. It is believed that well over 200 men from the towns of Kankakee, Bradley, Bourbonnais and Mokenzie will respond and attend the lecture.

Following the lecture Father Bergin, the speaker of the evening, will conduct an open forum during which he will attempt to answer all and any questions pertinent to the subject to the lecture.

As is customary a slight repast will be served after the lecture to those who donate five cents to the collection that will be taken up by John Heery, '37, treasurer of the local Holy Name branch.

The May meeting of the Holy Name Society will feature the Rev. J. W. R. Maguire, C. S. V., head of the department of sociology who will speak on Sterilization.

Labor Versus Capital Theme of Play Tonight

Local Ciscans Look Forward To A Sellout As Ticket Agents Report Large Sales

Science Club To Hear Dr. Wilbur Luce April 16th

Doctor Wilbur M. Luce of the Department of Zoology at the University of Illinois, will lecture to the Science Club Friday night, April 16. His topic for the evening will be "Heredity and Man".

Doctor Luce is coming here through the influence of Bro. Charles Williams, C. S. V., who is studying under him. The meeting is sponsored by the Biology Department. This is the first regular meeting of the club since the return of the students from their Easter vacation.

The sponsors urge that all the members attend, in view of the fact that this topic deals with a subject which should be of interest to everyone.

Hillbilly Prom Of Freshman Class Is A Social Success

The melodic strains of Roy Shield's orchestra marked the social debut of the Freshman Class in a dance held in the Commons last Saturday night. Attendance at the dance, which was styled as a "Hillbilly Prom", was large enough to insure the Frosh of a slight financial success in this their initial campus effort.

Colorful decorations lent gaiety to the affair and during the intermission the gay throng of dancers was entertained by the surprise appearance of the "Beef Trust Follies". The "Follies", composed of a football chorus line, was greeted with enthusiasm, as were the succeeding acts of the program.

Much credit for the success of the initial freshman social activity is due the class officers and the various committees. According to John O'Connell, class president, each committee functioned well and cooperation was the keynote of the dance.

Seniors Take Warning

The deadline for the submitting of thesis for graduation is rapidly approaching and the VIATORIAN wishes to take this opportunity of reminding prospective graduates that all bachelor thesis must be in the hands of the Rev. Leo T. Phillips, C. S. V., Dean of Studies, not later than May 1. Take heed, seniors, and see your thesis masters at once.

A commonplace situation brought to the stage in an uncommon manner will characterize the Cisca players' presentation of *Storm Tossed* in Kankakee tonight. The play, a drama of the struggle between capitalism and labor in today's social order, is filled with stirring enthusiasm and genuine pathos.

High marks in vivid realism and dramatic perfection are reached in the staging of a strife at the plant of Con Fey, in the death of Joan Fey, and in the spiritual turmoil aroused by social injustice in the minds of Larry McGinley and Phil Holley. A fierce denunciation of corrupt Capitalism is made at a mass meeting of the workers, who determine to fire Fey's anti-union plant.

Strong Cast

The cast of 44 characters includes some of the finest talent in the school. The roles are well fitted to the abilities of the players, and include portrayals of men from all walks of life. Several of the actors give promise of reaching new heights in Viator histrionics.

No time nor effort is being sacrificed in arranging stage settings. Outdoor scenes of the Fey Spark Plug Plant and the setting for a typical workers' union hall, in which the entire auditorium will be utilized, are being constructed at great cost to the Cisca chapter.

Advanced selling of tickets has given rise to expectations for a full house. The theme of the play is a popular one. The enthusiastic reception of *Storm Tossed* by Chicago and St. Louis audiences has aroused public interest in the drama.

The cast includes, in the order of their first appearance, the following major roles:

Cornelius Fey—D. Ward, '40.
Father Moran—D. Morgan, '38.
Riley—P. Bimmerle, '38.
Slim Ellis—L. Roemer, '39.
Phil Holley—E. Buttgen, '37.
Joan Fey—Mary Anthony, '37.
Larry McGinley—F. Nolan, '40.
Peroni—R. O'Connor, '39.
Schwartzmeier—F. Claeys, '39.
Ester Friedman—P. McLaughlin, '39.
Elizabeth Smith—M. Egges, '40.
Paul Naughton—S. Hamilton, '37.
The play is under the direction of the Rev. William J. Cracknell, C. S. V., moderator of the local Cisca Chapter, and Mr. Michael Moloney, head of the English department. Brother Maurice Robinson, C. S. V., has been assisting as a stage director.

Tickets for this evening's performance may be obtained from any member of the cast or at any of the following places of business in Kankakee: Betourne's Drug Store, The United Drug Store, and The Illinois Central Drug Store.

National Collegiate Committee Formed to Aid Drama on Campus

WPA Theatres And College Groups Cooperate In New Campaign

New York City, April 12, 1937—A campaign to stimulate a greater interest in the theatre among the undergraduates of America was launched yesterday with the formation of a National Collegiate Advisory Committee to the WPA Federal Theatre Project, according to an announcement by William W. Hinckley, chairman of the American Youth Congress.

Plans outlined by the Committee, which was formed to assist and advise the WPA Federal Theatre in bringing the theatre to the campus, include the immediate initiation of a national contest for an original full-length play; the establishment of a central college play bureau with the Federal Theatre's Play Bureau to serve as a co-ordinating service for college dramatic societies and youth drama organizations, and the sponsorship of Federal Theatre productions in college theatres, fraternity, settlement and community houses.

The playwriting contest, it was announced, will be under the joint sponsorship of the Federal Theatre Project and its collegiate advisory body, and will be open to every enrolled American college student.

"The object of the National Collegiate Advisory Committee", Mr.

Hinckley said, "is to aid in stimulating interest in drama among youth. We hope to make the services which a people's theatre already has offer available to existing dramatic and social interest groups in the colleges and among young people generally".

In addition to Mr. Hinckley, the National Collegiate Advisory Committee consists of Russell MacFall, Secretary, National Interfraternity Conference; Helen Morton, Executive Secretary, National Student Council of the Y. W. C. A.; William J. Farma, President of the National Collegiate Players (Pi Epsilon Delta); Arthur Northwood, Jr., President, National Student Federation of America and James Wechsler, America Student Union.

Other organizations and individuals closely associated with the youth of the country and with the colleges will be added to the committee in order to make it as widely representative as possible.

College professors now functioning as members of the National Advisory Committee of the Federal Theatre, compose of leading dramatists, producers, theatre critics and educators, and set up at the inception of the project in October, 1936, have been invited to support and advise the new youth committee.

Flood Tide Ruins Peace of Roy Hall Students

By FRANCIS SANHUBER

April 5th, ten o'clock in the evening on the second floor of Roy Hall and "All was well". Peace and quietness reigned supreme. Then all of a sudden bedlam broke loose.

With half the student body of St. Viator College writing their annual English essays on "Nature Fights Back", an essay concerning the recent flood disaster, another flood broke out to endanger the lives and property of those residents of Roy Hall who have rooms on the first and second floors. With raging waters flowing freely and swiftly down the halls and under the doors barricades of carpets, towels and rugs were quickly constructed. Valuables were placed high and dry as quickly as possible and the endangered citizens of the hall rapidly donned boots, rubbers, swimming suits, or whatever was handy before rushing out to aid in the suppression of the flood tide.

Volunteers were quickly mustered to sweep, mop up, and do what they could to stop or dam the rising waters. Nothing seemed to check the rise of the flood waters since there was no outlet. Soon the inhabitants of the second floor of Roy Hall were wading in an ankle deep river while the faculty members living on the first floor covered under umbrellas.

"At first the source of the flood was unknown but soon bold explorers discovered that room 219 was the fountain-head of the flood that was engulfing the lower portions of Roy Hall. The first rescue crew to arrive at room 219 found a gallant lad (He is an officer of the junior class, you know) frantically trying to hold back the water which was gushing merrily from two broken water pipes. It reminded the writer of the tradition of the little boy in Holland who

held back the waters of Zyder Zee when the dyke sprang a leak.

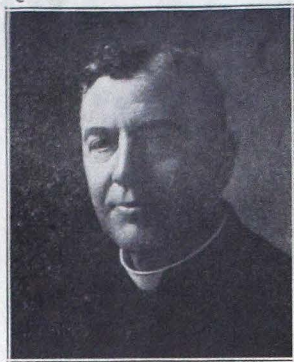
While the cause of the disaster is still unknown a special commission, headed by the Rev. Paul Hutton, C. S. V., whose gallant leadership during the flood period did much to calm the inhabitants of Roy Hall, is conducting an investigation. At present one plausible solution offered is attributed to a "Kreml" ad. It seems that our "heroic" class officer had been reading a magazine and noticed this particular ad. You know—A man bald-headed, his hair leaving his head all at once—"Gone With the Wind". From this it has been deducted that dear "Junior" picked up a mirror, sat on the sink and tried to see the back of his head in the other mirror above the sink. The result of his mammoth proportions being placed upon so frail an object is believed to have been responsible for the strain that broke the water pipes.

Rev. John Foster, C. S. V., Celebrates 1st Mass

Rev. John Foster, C. S. V., celebrated his first solemn High Mass Sunday, April 11, at St. Phillip Neri Church at twelve o'clock noon. Rev. Arthur Landroche, C. S. V., assistant master of novices at Forner Institute, Lemont, Illinois, was the deacon of the Mass; the Rev. Jas. Tolan, C. S. V., of Pekin, Illinois, sub-deacon; and Brother John Gunville, C. S. V., '38, master of ceremonies.

Father Foster was ordained on April 4 by His Excellency, Bishop James A. Griffin of Springfield at the Immaculate Conception Cathedral.

RETIRES



Pictured above is the Rev. F. M. Roberge, C. S. V., whose ill-health and advanced age were determining factors in his decision to retire from his post as Superior General of the Clerics of St. Viator. Father Roberge left office on Good Friday and was succeeded by the Very Rev. Paul E. Farley, C. S. V., formerly an Assistant General in charge of the Canada Province.

Operetta Cast Is Named In Full By Fr. M. P. Loughran

"The Pirates of Penzance", the operetta which is to be enacted by players from the Dramatic and Choral Group of St. Francis College of Joliet and the members of the Choral Club of St. Viator College, according to an announcement made today by the Rev. M. P. Loughran, C. S. V., moderator of the Viatorian organization and director of the operetta, will take place on May 1, 3, 8 and 10. May 1 and 3 will see the combined casts of the St. Francis organizations, and the St. Viator Choral Club presenting the operetta in Joliet while May 8 and 10 will see its production here in Kankakee.

The Kankakee performances will be held at the Kankakee High School Auditorium. Both Kankakee performances are scheduled for the evening and as yet no matinee performance has been scheduled.

Cast Decided

Under the capable direction of Miss B. Wakurka, teacher of dramatics at St. Francis College, joint rehearsals for both the dramatic group and the choral groups of both colleges have been held weekly.

Father Loughran revealed that final selection of the cast has been made. According to the director of the operetta it will include: Francis Prew, '40, St. Viator, as Richard, a pirate chief; William Sagstetter, '40, St. Viator, as Samuel the pirate chief's lieutenant; Jack Stanley, '40, St. Viator, as Frederick, a pirate-apprentice; Richard Powers, '39, St. Viator, as Major-General Stanley; and Robert Baechle, '40, St. Viator, as Edward, sergeant of police.

Miss Kathleen Heaton, '38, St. Francis, will enact the roll of Mabel, General Stanley's youngest daughter who is desperately in love with Frederick; Misses Vione Hanon, '37, Mildred Kroeger, '39, and Blanche Marie Hagen, '37, all of St. Francis College, will interpret the parts of Kate, Edith, and Isabel, also daughters of General Stanley.

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Lack of Catholic Missionary Plays Revealed By WPA Survey

Translations of French and Spanish Works Now Being Undertaken

Two months of intensive activity by the WPA Federal Theatre Play Bureau on its projected Catholic-play list have disclosed an extraordinary lack of Catholic missionary plays, which, in spite of a wealth of magnificent recorded historical material potentially suitable for dramatic treatment, are extremely rare, according to findings of the Play Bureau's searches.

"It is amazing," said one, "that while the Methodists, Presbyterians, and other denominations have any amount of missionary plays, we have so far found practically no plays about the Catholic missionaries. This in spite of the fact that the lives and exploits of the French and Spanish Jesuit missionaries in America alone, during the last four centuries provide the most superb dramatic themes. One might also gather that Joan of Arc was the only martyr from the dearth of martyr plays".

Translations of scores of French and Spanish plays are now being made in addition to the collecting and reading of all available Catholic play material in English. Scripts are also being received from Ire-

land and Canada by the Play Bureau.

Since the first announcement of the projected compilation of the Catholic play-list, letters have been received from all leading Catholic organizations, and from numerable individuals in Catholic institutions, commending the plan, offering any possible service in completing the list, and assuring officials of the Play Bureau that the results of such research will fill a long felt need.

It is now thought that the list will be completed in time for the National Catholic Theatre Conference, called by the Loyola Players at Loyola University, Chicago, Illinois, on June 8, 1937.

Emmett Lavery, author of "The First Legion", Jesuit play produced with great success by the WPA Federal Theatre in New Orleans and elsewhere, is expected to be chairman of the National Catholic Theatre Conference.

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SORORITY NOTES

The "five dollar limit" card parties given by the Sorority during the winter months have proved very successful. There is still a number to be given before the end of the school year and we ask the members to show the same cooperation and enthusiasm that have characterized the work already done.

After all "five dollars" isn't very much, but we are under the conviction that many of these small amounts amassed will go far to complete the equipment of the Library. Moreover, while the members have pledged themselves to assist the Library, yet the good spirit of loyalty to S. V. C., the friendship fostered among the members of the Sorority, the good feeling created among them, are objects not secondary to the financial

aid given to the College. The Sorority is quite as anxious to form the nucleus of an alumnae society which in years to come will be a valuable asset, and an encouragement to those who have to direct the destinies of St. Viator.

We bespeak, therefore, a full attendance at all the Sorority meetings. We understand that sometimes under pressure of school work or for other reasons some of the members cannot be present, yet even at the cost of some inconvenience, the members should make it a sort of duty to attend the meetings.

The clash of opinion, the discussions, the friendly conversation, all help to clarify issues and to bind

the Sorority together as a unit, not only for the good of St. Viator but of Catholic Education as well. This surely is a worthy object and the least moral contribution thereto will bring rewards to every member in some way that she may be unaware of, but which will be nevertheless real.

—C. L.

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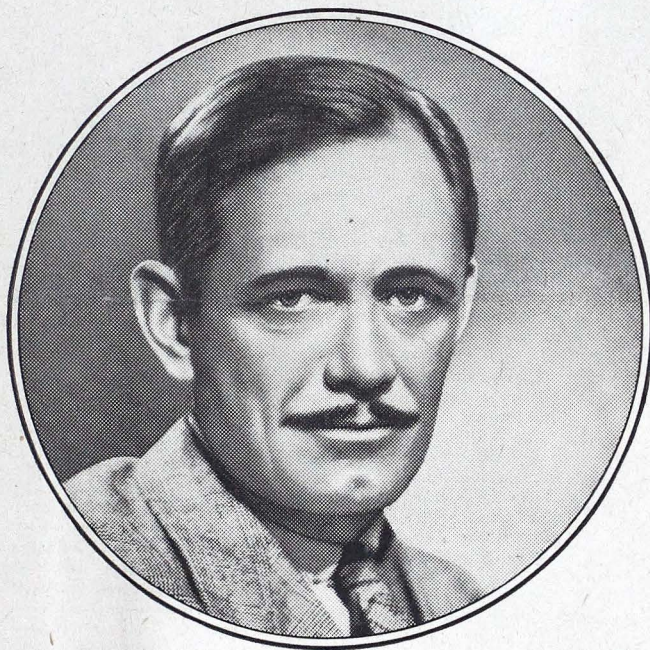
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Philip Merivale

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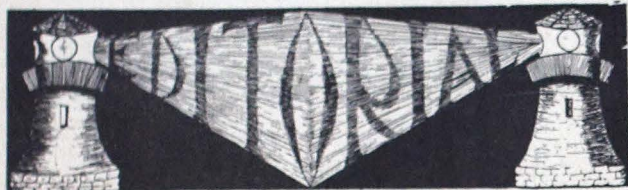
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THE MONOGRAM DANCE

The success or failure of the Monogram Dance has always depended upon the support that the student body has given. In the past, due to the efforts of a loyal student body, that important social event has always been successful. In view of this we feel that we have a right to find fault with the authorities because they have allowed the Dance to be given in the Bal-Tabarin of the Hotel Sherman in Chicago. This will make it impossible for a majority of the students to attend, a fact which will be the source of great disappointment. The students have been unnecessarily antagonized and severe criticism has been heaped upon the sponsors. The Monogram Dance, is, after all, a student activity and should be held on the campus. The tremendous success of last year's Dance is sufficient proof that financial considerations did not necessitate that it should be held off the campus.

It is not necessary to call attention to the fact, that, regardless of what we may have to say, the Dance will now be held in Chicago. However, we trust that those who sponsor the Monogram Dance will awaken to the realization that in the future they will hold it where it should be held—on the campus.

Even though certain persons have blundered, we hope that all students who can possibly do so will attend. We must not lose sight of the fact that the proceeds will be used so that the athlete may receive his monogram which he justly deserves.

—A. A.

DON'T BE IGNORANT!

The college student is an individualist. He likes to act when and if the spirit urges. He likes to let his socks hang down and, if he wears a hat, he likes to wear it all the time, indoors and out. He hates conventions. He wants to be his own master and he does his best to show the world he is. For these reasons "refinement" is an odious word in the ears of the college student. When it is mentioned he immediately has visions of some optimistic soul trying to reform him. This, as an individualist will tell you, is a horrible sight but it must be admitted there is room for reformation.

Perhaps a certain amount of gay abandon has always been and will always be typical of the college student but we question the supposition that a ruthless disregard for all social conventions is an unadulterated good. Refinement or courtesy is only regard for the rights of others and it is, therefore, something education should teach us. Ruthless individualism is only a manifest of ignorance which has no place in higher education. If we practice boorishness now because we believe it our right as college students we are only neglecting something we must learn in life or be branded as ignorant.

—J. R.

The LIBRARY LOG

"When Robert Browning lent the best poems of Keats to Mrs. Carlyle, she read them and returned them with the remark that, 'Almost any young gentleman with a sweet tooth might be expected to write such things'."

Mrs. Carlyle was a very clever woman, but she was not quite educated up to Keats.

—Edmund Gosse.

We acknowledge with sincere appreciation a handsome donation to be used for buying books for the Library. The donor is Mr. John V. Connor, Ph. D., a Viator alumnus, professor at Loyola University, New Orleans.

We hate to use the word "vandalism" in this Library column. A library is indicative of culture and surely radiates culture. Whether it always imparts it is another question for to import implies a recipient. We do believe there are recipients at St. Viator—many of them. It comes, therefore, as a disappointment to see signs of near-vandalism in the Library. Some one, thoughtlessly, let's hope, has already defaced one of the new tables by heavy pencil marks and scratches. We should have thought that such propensities were stifled in the grade schools, or at best confined to telephone booths. Please let's have no more, "Mensagraphing".

We are deeply grateful to Father J. W. R. Maguire for parting with his beautiful and durable steel, with glass doors bookcase. Such a case is distinctly needed in the Library to house our rare books.

Thanks to Rev. A. Rinella, C. S. V., for a presentation of two volumes to the science department.

A dozen of the new oak chairs have arrived for the reading room. The general comment is that these new chairs are comfortable, roomy, good-looking, and durable. Does anyone want to add another dozen?

New books added:

The English Constitution by Maurice Amos.

Watchers of the Sky by Alfred Noyes.

Physico-Chemical Metamorphosis by Ernst Ghen.

Radioelement and Isotopes by Kasimir Fajans.

The Introductory Lectures of Thomas Cooper.

Principles of Chemistry by J. H. Hildebrand.

General Chemistry by T. P. McCutcheon.

The Fundamentals of General Chemistry by P. A. Bond.

General Chemistry for Colleges by B. S. Hopkins.

Condolences

The VIATORIAN on behalf of the faculty and student body wishes to extend its sympathy to Rev. A. L. Girard, pastor of St. John the Baptist parish of Chicago, on the death of his mother on April 3.

The sympathy of the student body and the faculty is likewise extended to Brother James Naughton, '37, whose mother passed to her eternal reward on March 29, and also to Miss Mary Anthony, '37, whose grandmother died on April 7.

Briefs From Our Viator Club Chapters

Chicago, Ill.—Leslie J. Roche, who secured his A. B. degree from St. Viator College in 1927 with honors, has been appointed a member of the faculties of the Wilson Junior College here and of the School of Commerce of DePaul University.

Since leaving St. Viator in 1927 Leslie Roche has taught for seven years at St. Mary's University, San Antonio, Texas, and for one year at St. Viator College. During his residence in Texas he took a sabbatical leave from his duties at St. Mary's University to secure the degree of Master of Arts in Economics from the University of Texas. For the past year and a half he has been pursuing graduate work in Economics towards the Ph. D. degree at Northwestern University.

Leslie Roche's new duties in Chicago, which began with the second semester of the present academic year, will keep him a very busy man, for besides teaching a full schedule of class hours at the Wilson Junior College, affiliated with the Chicago Normal College, Professor Roche is giving two courses in Economics in the School of Commerce of DePaul University in the late afternoon and evening division.

This distinguished son of Viator has also been of great assistance to the young Viator Club of Chicago in his capacity as Secretary, and the success of that organization is due in no small measure to his constant interest and enthusiastic industry in the Club's behalf.

Kankakee, Ill. — Clarence J. ("Puff") Romary recently resigned

his post as head coach of football and basketball at St. Patrick's High School here. Romary's resignation came as a surprise since it was expected that he would continue to coach the Irish for many seasons.

The past season saw Coach Romary's warriors enjoy an exceedingly successful season. His basketball team in particular was outstanding in-so-far as they reached the semi-finals of the National Catholic Tournament at Loyola University in Chicago before being defeated.

"Puff" was forced to choose between business and coaching, and, wisely enough, he surrendered his lofty position in the athletic world. Romary during his reign as St. Patrick's mentor has lifted the school's athletic teams from a lowly status to one where the Irish were feared throughout Illinois for their greatness both in football and basketball.

Rockford, Ill. — John ("Ducky") O'Malley, formerly a star football, basketball and baseball player at St. Viator College recently resigned as head coach at St. Thomas high school here after a successful year. Rumor has it that "Ducky" has been offered a better coaching position in this vicinity.

Champaign-Urbana, Ill. — Emerson Dexter, '34, captain of the Irish football squad in 1934 and at present president of the Urbana-Champaign Viator Club has been appointed to the athletic coaching staff of the Champaign Junior high school.

"BRAIN—TEASERS"

By

Bro. C. Peckham, C. S. V.

Such has been the interest aroused by this little experimentation of presenting a few Brain Teasers each issue that the editor of this sheet has finally given yours truly a column and a by-line. To each and every one of the readers of this column I wish to extend to you my thanks for your letters which have been responsible for this new feature becoming a permanent department of the VIATORIAN.

Just this last week we received a letter from Sister Mary Evelyn of Irwin, Illinois, thanking us for her year's subscription to the VIATORIAN. Sister Evelyn also enclosed correct answers to last issue's Brain Teasers and to her we extend our congratulations.

Miss Marjorie Knight of Chicago also sent in correct answers to all of last issue's Brain Teasers and to her we gladly present a year's subscription to the VIATORIAN. Congratulations, Miss Knight.

Honorable mention awards were earned by Brother Harold Devereaux, Bourbonnais, Ill., Brother Jos. Donahue, St. Louis, Mo., and Rev. Jas. O'Connor, S. J., West Baden College, West Baden, Ind.

New Brain Teasers

The Brain Teasers presented this issue are supplied by the Rev. J. Rheims, C. S. V., master of novices at Fomier Institute, the Viatorian Novitiate located at Lemont, Illinois. Father Rheims' example is a worthy one of which many of you might do well to imitate. The Brain Teasers submitted by Father Rheims are:

(1) A man has 21 casks. Seven are full of wine; seven, half full and seven are empty. How can he divide them, without transferring any portion of the wine from cask to cask, among his three sons—

Sam, John and James—so that each shall have an equal quantity of wine and an equal number of casks?

(2) Three market women, having severally 10, 30, and 50 oranges, sold them at the same rate, and received the same amount of money. What were the rates and the amount of money each received?

(3) A banker going home to dinner saw a \$10.00 bill on the curbstone. He picked it up, noted the serial number, and went home to dinner. While at home his wife said that the butcher had sent a bill amounting to \$10.00. The only money he (the banker) had was the bill he had found, which he gave to her, and she paid it to the butcher. The butcher paid it to a farmer for a calf; the farmer paid it to a merchant; the merchant paid it to a washer-woman, who in turn, owing the bank a note of \$10.00 went to the bank and paid the note. The banker recognized the bill as the one he had found and which by that time had paid \$50.00 worth of debt. On careful examination he discovered that the bill was a counterfeit. Now what was the loss in the transaction and by whom?

(4) A man who has only two rows of corn hires A and B to hoe them. A hoes 3 hills on B's row and then begins on his own row. B finishes his row and hoes 6 hills on A's row, when they find the work is finished. Which man hoes the more and how much, the rows containing the same number of hills?

(5) If 1-4 of 20 is 5, what will 1-3 of 10 be?

Answers to Teasers

The answers to the Brain Teasers submitted this issue will appear in the next issue of the VIATORIAN.

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Attend The
V-Club Frolic

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In Chicago
This Saturday

McNamara Quits Football

Viator Defeats C. Y. O. Champs By 26-25 Count

Displaying a brand of almost perfect basketball the Green Wave warriors closed their season triumphantly on March 29 before 10,201 fans in the Chicago Stadium as they eked out a well-earned 26 to 25 victory over St. Elizabeth's Catholic Youth Organization champion, conquerors of Hollywood Universals, last year's Olympic champions.

The largest crowd ever to witness basketball in Chicago saw two hair-raising battles. Loyola whipped DePaul in the main game 46 to 43 after playing two overtimes. The score was tied 40 to 40 at the end of the regular playing time and 42 to 42 at the conclusion of the first overtime.

Blazeovich Stars

Dan Blazeovich, fiery DeKalb athlete, paced the Irish attack upon the C. Y. O. champions by registering four baskets from the field for 8 points. Don Betourne dogged his heels for honors with a brace of baskets from the field and the same number from the charity line.

First Half

St. Elizabeth
McKinnis—1
Williams—2

St. Viator
Monahan—1

Betourne—3
Rogers—5
Rogers—6
Betourne—8

McKinnis—4
Brown—6

Brooks—7
McKinnis—9

Second Half

Williams—11

Blazeovich—11
Blazeovich—13

Betourne—14

Brown—13

Blazeovich—16

Brown—14

Monahan—13
McElligott—19

McKinnis—15

Blazeovich—21

Buford—17

McElligott—23
Rogers—25

Brown—18

Logan—20

Logan—22

McElligott—26

Box Score

St. Viator (26)	FG	FT	PF
McElligott, f.	1	2	2
Betourne, f.	2	2	2
Monahan, c.	1	1	3
Rogers, g. (C)	2	1	2
Blazeovich, g.	4	0	3
Straub, g.	0	0	2
Totals	10	6	14
St. Elizabeth (25)	FG	FT	PF
Bray, f.	0	0	4
Buford, f.	0	0	2
McKinnis, f.	4	3	0
Brooks, c.	0	1	2
Brwn, g.	2	2	2
Williams, g. (C)	1	1	1
Logan, g.	2	0	2
Totals	9	7	13

The Green Wave of 1936-1937



Reading left to right: Front row: Blazeovich*, guard; Betourne*, forward; McElligott*, forward; Coach John J. McNamara; Monahan*, center; Claeys*, forward; and Straub*, forward. Back row: Wm. J. Schumacher*, manager; Burke*, center; Gibbons, forward; Lenahan*, forward; Hart, forward; Rogers*, guard; and Walsh*, guard.

*Monogram winners for the past season.

Green Wave Swamps All - Stars, 38 - 22

March 24 saw the Green Wave basketballers racking up their second post-season win of the current season as they downed a here-to-fore unbeaten All-Star team at Lockport high school by a 38 to 22 count. At no point of the fray were the green-clad warriors seriously pressed and at the intermission they left the floor with a 20 to 7 advantage.

Bud Monahan, veteran center for the Irish, led the Green Wave at the net with 6 field goals and a charity toss. McElligott, flashy forward, topped second scoring honors of the tilt with 3 buckets and "Babe" Claeys gained third scoring honors with a brace of baskets and a trio of free throws.

Summary

St. Viator (38)	FG	FT	PF
McElligott, f.	3	0	4
Claeys, f.	2	3	1
Betourne, f.	0	0	0
Monahan, c.	6	1	3
Rogers, g. (C)	2	0	0
Straub, g.	1	0	2
Blazeovich, g.	2	0	2
Walsh, g.	1	0	0
Totals	17	4	12
All-Stars (22)	FG	FT	PF
Abrahams, f.	1	1	0
Long, f.	2	0	0
Roos, f.	2	2	1
Carp, c.	2	1	2
Adamson, g. (C)	2	0	3
Swanson, g.	0	0	1
Balantino, g.	0	0	2
Totals	9	4	9
Referee—Senesac, (St. Viator).			
Umpire—Munson, (Joliet).			

Green Wave Grid Sked for 1937

With spring football practice a week old Coach Lou Zarza released the 1937 schedule for publication. Next fall will find the Irish grid-iron warriors of the College attempting to handle one of the toughest football schedules ever drawn up for a Green Wave team. In all nine tough foes have actually been signed and a tenth game with Illinois State Normal has been tentatively arranged.

The 1937 football schedule will once again bring together St. Viator grid warriors and rivals which were once consistently on the Irish schedules—St. Ambrose College of Davenport, Iowa and Columbia College of Dubuque, Iowa.

The schedule which Coach Zarza will endeavor to turn into a victory column next season is:

Sept. 25—Jordan College at Menominee, Mich.
Oct. 3—St. Ambrose at Davenport, Ia.
Oct. 9—Carbondale at Kankakee.*
Oct. 16—Ill. Wesleyan U. at Bloomington.*
Oct. 23—Western State Teachers' at Kalamazoo, Mich.
Oct. 30—McKendree at Kankakee* (Homecoming).
Nov. 6—St. Norbert (Wisc.) at Kankakee.
Nov. 11—Valparaiso at Valparaiso, Ind.
Nov. 20—Columbia (Dubuque, Ia.) at Chicago.
Nov. 25—Normal at Normal (Tentative)*.

*Conference games.

Nineteen To Get Athletic Awards

The St. Viator Board of Athletic Control at a recent meeting voted 19 monograms to Viator men, according to an announcement made last week by the Rev. F. J. Harbauer, C. S. V., director of athletics. Ten of the monograms went to basketball players, five to managers, three to boxers and one to a cheerleader.

Basketball men to receive monogram sweaters were: Don Betourne of Kankakee; George Rogers and "Red" McElligott of Chicago; Frank Straub of Bloomington; Dan Blazeovich of DeKalb; Bud Monahan of Chatsworth; Frank Claeys of St. Charles; Bob Lenahan of Vincennes, Ind.; John Burke of Springfield, and Bill Walsh of Petersburg, Virginia.

Managerial awards were also made to five Viator men who have served as managers of the various athletic teams during the past year. The senior award of a monogram sweater was made to the senior manager, Bill Schumacher of Chicago while monograms were awarded to four junior managers: Don Dionne of Kankakee; Bob Burmeister of Springfield; Leroy Lee of Bonfield and Vince Murphy of Canton. A cheerleaders monogram was given to Ed Brandand of Chicago.

Boxing letters were awarded by the Athletic Board to Herbie Fields of Kankakee; Captain Don Morgan and Emmett Bach of Chicago.

According to Father Harbauer, director of athletics, the monogram sweaters for the basketball men and the minor letters which were awarded by the Board of Athletic Control will be presented to the winners at the basketball banquet. As yet no definite date for the banquet has been selected.

Zarza Is Named To Succeed Re- signing Coach

Lou Zarza, brilliant end at Michigan State and a member of last year's All-American football squad, will guide the gridiron destinies of the Green Wave next year, it was revealed by the Rev. F. J. Harbauer, C. S. V., athletic director, just before the Easter vacation.

John J. McNamara, head coach of football and basketball for the past two years, has resigned his position as head football coach in order to devote his entire coaching time to basketball next year. McNamara will resume his duties as an active member of the college faculty, teaching education and mathematics.

Zarza, who came to Viator last fall in the role of assistant football coach and physical education director, faces a hunculean task in



LOU ZARZA

retaining an Illinois Intercollegiate conference championship for the Irish as the 1937 schedule is one of the toughest ever to be encountered by a Green Wave team.

Wants to Teach

Concerning the reasons for his sudden and unexpected decision to relinquish the reigns as head football coach, McNamara explained that he felt the combined duties of coaching football and basketball as well as planning schedules for both sports would be entirely too much for one man who also wished to teach.

"I believe that I should not neglect my teaching responsibilities", declared McNamara, as he finished a brief explanation of his decision. "I have prepared myself mainly for a teaching career and while I intend to continue coaching I do not think that I should entirely abandon the classroom. I have therefore requested the college authorities to relieve me of the football coaching duties and allow me to resume teaching.

Regrets Quitting

"I feel that since I have a master's degree with a major in education and a minor in mathematics, I should not devote myself to sports entirely but should also teach. Fortunately the administration has seen my viewpoint and is willing to permit me to have my way.

"I regret having to give up my position as head football coach but

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SIDELINE SLANTS—

This past week saw the opening of spring football practice, with the newly appointed head coach, Lou Zarza in complete charge. Coach Zarza is being assisted by Joe Saia, veteran of the past four seasons, and Tommie Gibbons, captain of last season's Little 19 Champions. According to Lou spring practice will last for approximately six weeks and will be wound up with a practice game at the Kankakee High School field.

Along with the opening of football practice, a spring sport was also inaugurated. King Softball is once more on the throne. Two teams from the "Dugout" cavorted for the benefit of the students on the opening day. The men of Steven's Sluggers showed only one thing, that they are suckers for a slow ball. The dark horse of the league this year comes from the third floor of Roy Hall and is known as Sandquist's "Foamblowers". Frankie Straub's Hilltoppers (The Hillbuttons last season), defending champions, are expected to have another good team this year although weak in the pitching department.

DID YOU KNOW:—That eleven men will call signals next year for the Irish grid warriors; instead of the right half calling the "hike"

signals as has been customary, the whole team will call the numbers in unison. . . That Danny Blazevech, the Gallopin' Croat in of Viator football and basketball fame, is a softball hurdler of renown back in the "Pea-patch" (DeKalb) . . . That Harold Sandquist is looking for his third intra-mural championship of this year; he has been a member of both the winning football and basketball championship outfits to date and is now captain of one of the softball teams. . . That Tortorello and Ed O'Connor traveled to the Little 19 track meet at Naperville last week intent on competing in certain events but that the officials, fearing they were Varoff and Cunningham in disguise, would not let them compete. . . That there is a striking resemblance between Willie Dixon and Ken Westray, football star of four years ago. . . That Georgie Perona was South Park ping pong champ of Chicago in 1935. . . That Ray O'Connor is the heaviest man out for the football squad weighing a mere 235. . . That Joe Yacullo who weighs but 132 is the light-weight of the squad. . . That George Blough is attempting to get enough arc-lights for Bergin Field so that next season our home football games may be kept on the campus.

—J. F. M.

Zarza Is—

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feel that in justice to myself I must do so. My last season as head coach of football was satisfactory and I feel sure that in selecting Lou Zarza the administration has chosen wisely. Lou will give the college another championship next year, I am confident."

Capable of Job

Zarza is exceedingly capable of handling the task handed to him by the resigning coach. Lou learned his football at Michigan State under Charlie Bachman and is a great student of the game. His personality has made him well-liked by the students and his appointment was greeted with enthusiasm by the entire student body after it had recovered from the stun accompanying the news of McNamara's resignation.

No other changes in the athletic department are contemplated at this time with the exception that Tommie Gibbons, captain of last year's champions, and Joe Saia, all-conference guard of last season, will assist Coach Zarza during spring practice. Gibbons will handle the backs and Saia will have charge of the guards.

Sorority To Nominate Next Year's Officers At April 20 Meeting

Sigma Upsilon Sigma, St. Viator Sorority, will meet on April 20, at the home of Miss Genevieve Adams. Miss Caroline Voight, '40, will serve as co-hostess with Miss Adams.

According to Miss Claire Legris, '37, president of the Sorority, nominations for Sorority officers will be made at this time. The election of officers will then take place at the next regular meeting and the installation of the next scholastic year's leaders will be officially taken care of at the June meeting.

The Rev. F. Munsch, moderator of the Sorority, will serve the girls in the capacity as election judge and official tabulator of votes.

Brain Teasers—

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Answers to last issue Brain Teasers:

- (1) SEND 9567
MORE 1085
- MONEY 10652
- (2) Approx. 29,027.5 square feet.
- (3) None. Misprint—interest rate was left out of problem.
- (4) 23 rungs in the ladder.

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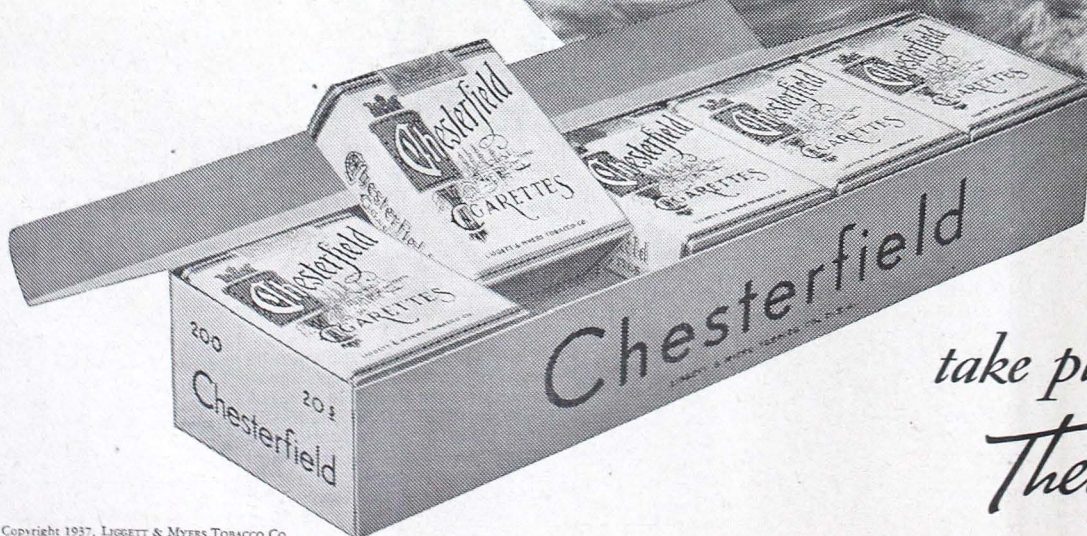
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