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THE FONT

CATHOLIC
DISCUSSION
LEADERS

Plans Progress For Affair Of Parents' Clubs

Committees For Annual
Homecoming Supper, Card
Parties, And Raffle Com-
plete Details.

Edw. J. Coff And Mrs. Henry
Kersting Are Co-Chairmen.

According to Edward J. Coff, president of the Fathers' Club, "If the Second Annual Homecoming, to be held Saturday, Nov. 13, exceeds last year's, we will have to enlarge the gymnasium. From every indication so far, especially the sale of tickets, and the enthusiasm of the various committees, this forthcoming affair is bound to be a grand success."

Mr. Coff and Mrs. Henry Kersting, president of the Mothers' Club, will act as co-chairmen of the affair, given under the auspices of the Fathers' and Mothers' Clubs. Consisting of a card party Saturday afternoon, with table prizes for each winner, the homecoming will be followed by a supper in the cafeteria; the total price of both will be \$1.00. Other card games and raffles will follow the supper.

Chairmen for the various committees include: Mrs. John E. Riley, supper; Mrs. John L. Foerster, card party; Mr. H. W. Twiehaus, raffles; and Mr. Stephen Tammany, publicity.

REQUIEM MASSES.

Masses have been offered during the past week by the Sodality, Alumnae, Phi Beta Chi, Press Club, and the C. S. M. C., here at Fontbonne, for the repose of the souls of Sister M. Leonilla and Sister M. Estella, pioneer faculty members, both of whom died recently. Today, the Sophomore Class offered the First Friday Mass.

Reporter Interviews New Dramatic Art Head. Discusses Proposed Play

Miss Belle Marie Mullins Will
Direct Student Nativity Play.

"I am quite favorably impressed by the initiative of the Fontbonne students, and I feel their co-operation has been an inspiration in my department," Miss Belle Marie Mullins, new head of the dramatic art department and adviser of the Footlights Club, expressed her appreciation of the interest shown by the students to a Font reporter in a recent interview.

At present Miss Mullins has many plans for the year, among them being a large play product for early spring.

The Christmas play is already in full swing. Presentation of the play, "Bethlehem," by Laurence Houan, is scheduled for early in December. Performances of this play, says Miss Mullins, are always interesting if carried out in a fashion typical of Nativity plays. The glee club and orchestra will finish the music.

"All efforts for the Christmas play have been given for the entire student group," stated Miss

BUSINESS MANAGER



Kathleen Sloan.

Glee, Orchestra Will Be Heard On St. Cecilia's Day

Joint Program Of Both Clubs Will
Take Place At Assembly.

The Feast of St. Cecilia, patroness of music, will be observed by the Fontbonne Orchestra and Glee Club, who will present a joint program at the assembly, Monday, Nov. 22. Kathleen Sloan is business manager of the concert. Sister Marie de Lourdes is adviser of both organizations. In the absence of Alfred Hicks, conductor of the orchestra, Miss Antoinette Bafunno, A.B. '35, assistant conductor, will direct both groups.

The singing will consist of two Italian folk songs, a capella. Selections to be played by the orchestra include the following numbers: "Valse Bluette," Drigo; "Slavonic Dances, No. 3 and 7," Dvorak; Ballet Music from "Faust," Gounod; "Melodie," Gluck-Syambatti.

Scholars' Council Appoints English Professor, Member

Sister Sylvia Marie, head of the department of English, has been appointed to membership on the advisory council of Scholars' Facsimiles and Reprints. Among the publications recently issued by the association are reprints of Edmund Campion's "History of Ireland," published originally in 1517, and Alexander Whitaker's "Good News from Virginia" (1613).

Katherine Bregy Will Lecture At Assembly, Nov. 15

Catholic Essayist, Poet, And Critic
Will Speak On Catholic
Poetry.

One of the outstanding lectures of the year will be delivered at the weekly assembly, Nov. 15, when Miss Katherine Bregy speaks on Catholic poetry. The time of the assembly has been changed from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m.

A noted essayist whose latest work is "Ladders and Bridges," Miss Bregy has also published "From Dante to Jeanne d'Arc," "Poet's Chantry," and "Poets and Pilgrims," collections of essays on a wide range of subjects.

Miss Bregy is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and a leading contributor to many Catholic magazines, including the "Catholic World" and "Rosary."

Friends of the faculty and students are invited to hear Miss Bregy.

Student Bank Opens Again

Credit Union Committees Function
Under Professor Clemens.

The Credit Union, or Student Bank, organized last year, has officially opened for business again under the direction of Professor Alphonse H. Clemens, head of the department of economics and sociology. This club functions as a bank and accordingly accepts deposits and extends loans to its members. The faculty, alumnae, and students are eligible to join and become stockholders. The purpose of the Credit Union is to enable its members to secure financial aid when needed, to teach them thrift and economy, and to accustom them to the intelligent handling of personal funds.

The governing committees are three in number: the supervisory committee, the board of directors, and the credit committee. The supervisory committee is composed of Alphonse H. Clemens, Dorothy Wagner, and Myrtle Krueger. The duty of this committee is to audit the books and keep things running smoothly. The board of directors consists of Mrs. Catherine Harrington, Elise Dubuque, Virginia Kratzmeyer, Juanita Kordsmeier, Miss Theresa Carmody, Miss Belle Marie Mullins, and Mrs. Alphonse H. Clemens make up the credit committee. This committee functions in the granting of loans to the stockholders. All depositors are automatically made shareholders, and are thereby entitled to borrow.

Sister Ellen Joseph, C.S.J., formerly of Rosati-Kahn High, is principal; Sister M. Dominic, C.S.J., recently associated with the Academy of Our Lady, Peoria, Ill.; Rev. John Manion, and Rev. Joseph Dwyer, are members of the faculty. Both Rosati-Kahn and the Academy of Our Lady are conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet. (Continued on page 3, col. 4.)

Upperclassmen Follow Lead Given By Catechetical Congress

ON THE AIR



Catherine Knaapen.

Rev. Leo Steck, Religion Pro-
fessor, Organizes Catholic
Discussion Club Leaders.

Group Will Study Life Of
Christ, Beginning Today.

Fontbonne seniors and juniors are being trained as Catholic Discussion Club Leaders, in compliance with the decisions arrived at by the delegates to the National Catechetical Congress, recently held in St. Louis. Rev. Leo Steck, religion professor at the college and vice-chairman of the Congress, is the first to instruct future leaders among college students. Since Archbishop John J. Glennon, S.T.D., has written a mandatory letter to all parishes, requesting that religion discussion groups be formed, training of college students for leadership is timely.

After talking it over with his students, Father Steck decided to take the Life of Christ as subject-matter. Two pamphlets covering the Life of Christ in detail and one based on the Acts of the Apostles will be studied. The class, meeting every Wednesday and Friday from 12:30 to 1:20 p.m., in the auditorium, will be informal; there will be open discussion. At the end of the second semester in June, students in this class will be qualified to head discussion groups of young people of high school age.

From six to 12 members are recommended for a club of this type, the meetings of which may be held in the home, thus making the Catholic home what it should be, the center of the religious life of the family. In like manner, parish groups are limited to members of a particular parish in order to keep the parish the center of religious life of the community.

Father Steck will speak more in detail concerning this leadership club at 12:30 p.m., today, in the auditorium.

Home Economists Give Party

Scheduled For Tomorrow With
Marcella Carlton, Chairman.

The Home Economics Club is sponsoring what promises to be one of the most entertaining and profitable affairs of the season, a card party, scheduled to take place in the tea room of Scruggs, Vandervoort and Barney tomorrow, Saturday, Nov. 6, at 2:30 p. m. The affair will have numerous attendance prizes. Refreshments will be served.

Virginia Miller, president of the club, has appointed Marcella Carlton as general chairman. She will be assisted by Lillian Carrey in charge of tickets, Charlotte Bussmann, prizes, and Jane Ellen O'Connor, general arrangements.

Tickets, which are 50 cents, may be secured from any member of the club.

The Home Economics Club was organized last year to meet the interest and enthusiasm of the many students of that department. Elizabeth Alexander, first president of the club, is now in interne in dietetics at the Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D. C.

Music Students Will Broadcast On Steinway Hour

Catherine Knaapen And Grace
Christman Will Be Heard Over
KMOX During November.

Listeners-in on KMOX, the Voice of St. Louis, presenting the Steinway Hour, will hear Catherine Knaapen, '39, and Grace Margaret Christman, '40. Scheduled for two Sunday mornings at 10:15 o'clock during November, the broadcasts have not as yet been given definite dates. Notice, however, of the dates will appear on the bulletin boards. This is the fourth year that the Fontbonne music department will be heard under the auspices of the Steinway Piano Co.

Catherine's program, which will be broadcast first, will consist of the following numbers: "Pastorale," Scarlatti; "Chanson Danse," Leon Moreau; "Nocturne," MacFadyen; "Capriccio," Sanderson; "Danse Russe," from "Petrouchka Suite," Stravinsky.

Grace Margaret's program will be announced later.

Hockey Players Meet Maryville

Game Scheduled For Nov. 5; B. La
Barge Chosen Squad Captain.

The Fontbonne hockey team will meet Maryville College in a game Sunday morning, Nov. 7. With the additional hours of practice they have had, the team hopes to make a better showing than they did in the game with the University City team.

The hockey sticks and shin guards, long needed but only recently acquired by the physical education department, were officially initiated Sunday, Oct. 29, in the game with the University City team. Final results of the game were 2 to 5, with University City on the victorious side.

Preceding the game, Betty Anne La Barge, '41, was elected captain of the squad. Betty Anne was president of the V. A. A. at Visitation Academy, and was presented with a silver loving cup for the distinction of being the best athlete in the academy.

Braille Report Lists Students Passing Exams

Ten Alumnae And Students Are Certified Writers; Have Transcribed Various Works.

Three years ago today, a news story in the Font ran something like this: "Clare Harder, Melba Durbin, Betty Hoffman, and Virginia Seifert enrolled this week in the newly organized class in Braille Transcribing. Instructions will be given by Miss Adaline A. Ruenzi, director of the Missouri Commission for the Blind and president of the Cultural and Service Club for the Blind. Sister M. Eleanor, history professor, has been placed in charge of the Fontbonne unit."

"At the first meeting the students were acquainted with the course and were shown the typewriters. The keyboard has six keys and a space bar. Six dots, arranged and numbered in domino fashion, form the Braille cell. From this is formulated the Braille alphabet, numeral, capital and apostrophe signs. Impressions peculiar to each letter are made on a special kind of paper."

Red Cross Give Exams.

Today, ten alumnae and students have successfully passed the various examinations, given annually by the American Red Cross, and are now certified writers in Braille. The report of the Missouri Commission for the Blind lists the following Fontbonne names: Sister Eleanor, C.S.J.; Clare Harder (A.B., '36); Mrs. Joseph Schneider (Melba Durbin, A.B., '36); Dorothy Coleman (A.B., '36); Charlotte Berkel (33); Eileen Burden (37); Dorothy James (38); Marie Sack (39); Mary Margaret Shaleford (39); Sister Mary Bernard, C.S.J. (Teresa Shea, '36).

Newly enrolled students are Jeanette Young, Rose Brady and Mary Jane Sheehan.

Transcribed Works.

During these three years, many books have been transcribed by the Fontbonne classes from print into Braille, the regular Braille volume consisting of 90 or more pages. Books on this list include Cather's "My Mortal Enemy," Newman's "Second Spring," Kane's "For Greater Things," McNabb's "St. John Fisher," Hilton's "Goodbye, Mr. Chips," LeBuffe's "My Changeless Friend," Father Lord's pamphlets, "Pure of Heart," "Assumption," "Mother of God," "Seven Last Words," Donovan's "Black Soil."

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Sodality, Mission Clubs Unite For Charity Campaign

Virginia Shamleffer And Bernadette Gibbons Appointed Co-Chairmen. Drive Begins Nov. 15.

At a joint meeting of the Sodality and C.S.M.C., it was decided that a Thanksgiving Food and Clothing Drive will start Monday, Nov. 15, and end Wednesday, Nov. 23. Virginia Shamleffer, representing the Sodality, and Bernadette Gibbons, C.S.M.C., are co-chairmen.

Union "Basket Ball."

Marcella Carlton has been chosen Fontbonne's representative on the executive council arranging the "Basket Ball," given by the College Union of the St. Louis Sodality Union, Dec. 10, in St. Louis University Gym. The dance is so called "Basket Ball," because the admission is the price of a basket of food and canned goods. Proceeds from the dance will be given to the poor.

Missa Recitata.

"Missa Recitata" was read this morning by the Sodality in St. Joseph's Chapel. The Proper of the Mass for the Feast of the Sacred Heart was used and will continue to be read for every First Friday Mass celebrated at the college and participated in by the Sodality. The Community Mass is being introduced to Fontbonne this year under the auspices of the Sodality. All the responses are spoken in unison; this act makes it possible for the sodalists to participate in the celebration of the Mass with the priest.

Faithfulness Pledge.

Twenty-five students, members of the Sodality of Our Lady, took the Handmaid Pledge of Faithfulness and Servitude to the Blessed Sacrament last Wednesday in St. Joseph's Chapel, and the old members renewed their pledge. The pledge is as follows:

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Mildred Lottes, president of the Resident Student Council, will act as hostess for the dance tonight. The theme will be carried out with mums used as decorations. She is a member of the senior class and vice-president of the Student Association.

Traveler Speaks At French Club Meeting

Miss Caroline Morell, Spanish professor at Beaumont High School, spoke informally on her travels through France at the second meeting of Le Cercle de la Conversation Francaise, last Tuesday. Miss Morell has traveled extensively all over the world and has visited France several times. Although she speaks French fluently, the guest speaker spoke in English so that visitors and friends of the members could attend. Many questions about Paris were asked which Miss Morell very graciously answered in a most interesting way.

Members of the French classes in turn entertained the lecturer with the rendition of the French song, "Papillon, Tu Es Volage!" Marguerite Roduit, president of the club, presided at the meeting and the minutes of the previous meeting were read in French by the secretary, Hope Davis.

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Mildred Lottes Appoints Heads For "Mums Dance"

Resident Students' Council Gives First Campus Dance This Evening.

With chrysanthemums used for floral decorations, the "Mums Dance" of the Resident Students' Council will take place this evening, from 9 to 12 o'clock, in the foyer and north living room of Fine Arts Hall. Mildred Lottes, president of the council and general chairman of the dance, has appointed Bernice Becker in charge of decorations. Virginia Mackey has been made chairman of the orchestra committee; Joy Locke, programs; Mary Margaret McKean, refreshments.

Professor and Mrs. Alphonse H. Clemens, Miss Mae Murphy, and Dr. L. F. Weyerich will be chaperones.

Library Announces New Regulations

Hours: 8 to 5, 7:45 to 9.

Reserves: Books may be withdrawn between 4 and 5, and must be returned the following morning before 8:30.

Rental Collection: Among the "best sellers" recently added are the following titles: Roberts, Northwest Passage"; Heiser, "American Doctor's Odyssey"; Carroll, "Neighbor to the Sky"; Millay, "Conversation at Midnight"; Coffin, "Kennebec"; Brooks, "Flowering of New England"; Carnegie, "How to Win Friends and Influence People." (Two cents a day is charged. Minimum, five cents.)

Discovery: The wide-awake students have discovered the Library Cozy Corner.

Fines: Circulation Books, 2 cents per day; Reserve Books, 5 cents between 8:30-9:00; 10 cents between 9:00-9:30; 25 cents per hour after 9:30.

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Relations Club Receives Books For Collection

Recent Volumes Added To International Relations Group By Carnegie Foundation.

Five new books on international affairs have been presented to the International Relations Club collection by the Carnegie Foundation for International Peace, of which the club is a member. These books are: "The Third Reich," by Henri Lichtenberger; "Raw Materials in Peace and War," by E. Staley; "The Empire in the World," by Sir Arthur Wilbert, K.B.E.; B. K. Long and H. V. Hodson; "An Atlas of Empire," by J. F. Horrabin; and "Peaceful Change," by Frederick Sherwood Dunn.

The newly elected officers of the International Relations Club are: Angie Boschert, president; Virginia Comer, vice-president; Dorothy Dugan, secretary; Virginia Dumphy, treasurer.

"Do More Than Get By" Says Mrs. Roosevelt

(By Associated Collegiate Press.)
Ithaca, N. Y.—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, speaking before women students at Cornell University, told them, if they would be successful in life, to "do more than get by." "College graduates," she said, "have during the past years gotten jobs easier than girls with grade school educations, but, at that, there were many college graduates who had accepted jobs as sales girls in department stores."

"Success requires more of a girl than just enough ambition to earn her weekly pay check, she implied.

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Alma Tackal

The new physical education instructor for St. Joseph's is Miss Alma Tackal, a Fontbonne alumna. Graduate of the University of Illinois, she has a major and minor in physical education and physical education respectively. Miss Tackal is prominent as an athlete. She was a member of the Fontbonne basketball team, not only excelled but she was active. For two years she was on the basketball team of the Athletics. She also directs the basketball team.

Miss Tackal is a member of the St. Louis Athletic Club, 1017 Northland.

**Members H
Choir Pla
Class A**

Original arrangements of the choir will be played by the Fontbonne String Orchestra. The choir will meet at 8 p.m., in the Charlotte Allen room, "Prelude"; "Epilogue," by G. Taylor, Levitt; Fontbonne String Orchestra, composed of Victor Canapa, and Charles; Elsie Drum. Piano solos by Catherine Knaus, Rosario Cento, in keeping with the program for the study different of fantasy and capriccio for discussion.

Ten new members of the choir will be added next week. They are: Ursula St. Louis, Elise Byrd, Audrey, Morgan, Mary El, Shaker, and Ann. Other new students being enrolled in the department were: Lee Magner, Grace Canapa, and Elaine Boland, who comprise this group.

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Plans were also discussed for the club's attendance at the convention of the Missouri Academy of Science, to be held some time in the spring, in Rolla, Mo. The 1937 assembly met in St. Louis, and Phyllis Beta Chi, charter member of the association, entertained delegates at tea on the last day of the conference.

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AREN'T YOU COMING TO THE HOMECOMING?

November!
Month of football, Thanksgiving...
and Homecoming!
Have we football? No!...
Have we Thanksgiving? Well!...
Have we Homecoming? That we
have! Saturday, Nov. 13—we'll be at
home: gymnasium—card party, table
prizes, supper, raffles, friendship, frolics,
fun!
What Price Reunion? \$1.00 for
bridge and supper...
Who does the work? Fathers and
Mothers' Clubs.
Committees? Competent!
Date? Declared! (Saturday after-
noon and evening, Nov. 13).
Place? Prepared! (At home, Font-
bonne, of course.)
What is it? HOMECOMING!

POOR SOULS ASK FOR OUR PRAYERS AND SACRIFICES

With her deep sighs and prayer's devoutest strain
She drew me from the region where men await,
And set me free from circles that detain.

—Dante, *Purg.* XXIII.

This is the month of Poor Souls. This is the month in which we plunge deep into the treasury of our hearts and give unceasingly, without counting the cost, sacrifice after sacrifice for their ransom. When Dante wrote the above quotation he must have been divinely inspired, else he could not have known the anxiety with which those Poor Souls await their release. We cannot know how keenly they feel the loss of separation from God, nor can we feel their abject helplessness concerning their speedy release. But we do know, from the teaching of Holy Church, that they are aided by our prayers and sacrifices, and that it is not only our privilege, but it is our duty to aid them to attain their reward as quickly as possible.

If nothing but a feeling of pity and tenderness for their condition prompts us to aid them, then it is aid well worth offering. It is not possible that we lack relatives or friends who have passed from this world and are being detained in Purgatory. It is for these, then, that we pray most and most often. However, in our generosity and unselfishness let us not forget those who have not benefactors to aid them, the most abandoned soul in that region, the forgotten priest and nun, those nearest to, and those farthest from, their goal. All these deserve our bounty and charity. And for our consolation here amidst the trials of life we can repeat over again and again, "God is not outdone in generosity."

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Nineteen years after the eleventh hour, of the eleventh day, of the eleventh month of 1918! Another anniversary of that never-to-be-forgotten year slowly passes across this year, to slip forever into the historic past. How can they rest, those hearts that bled so eagerly for peace? How can they lie and hear the distant roar of cannon, and see that blood that slowly soaks the earth and reaches their quiet resting place? It is well that we think of the debt of gratitude we owe those who laid down their lives to make this world safe for democracy, and on the nineteenth anniversary of their great sacrifice renew our promise to them to keep that heritage of peace gloriously free and shining. To what avail is it that they have squandered recklessly the coin of youth if we remain penniless of peace? These troublous times bring back the haunting sadness of Vachel Lindsay's poem, "Abraham Lincoln Walks at Midnight":

He cannot sleep upon his hillside now,
he is among us, as in times before,
And we who toss and lie awake for
long breathe deep, and start, to
see him pass the door.

His head is bowed, he thinks on men
and kings, yea, when the sick
world cries, how can he sleep?

Too many peasants fight, they know
not why, too many homesteads in
black terror weep.

The sins of all the war-lords burn his
heart, he sees the dreadnaughts
scouring every main.

He carries on his shawl-wrapped
shoulders now, the bitterness, the
folly, and the pain.

He cannot rest until a spirit-dawn
shall come, the shining hope of
Europe free.

The league of sober folk, the Work-
ers' Earth, bringing long peace to
Cornland, Alp and Sea.

It breaks his heart that kings must
murder still, that all his hours of
travail here for men

Seem yet in vain. And who will bring
white peace that he may sleep
upon his hill again?

WEDDINGS, ENGAGEMENTS OCCUPY SOCIAL SPOTLIGHT

Wedding and engagement announcements of Fontbonne graduates have been flooding the newspapers for the past month.

Vera Gauvin, A.B., '36, has announced her engagement to Mark Dotzler. The marriage will take place Saturday, Nov. 20, at St. Barbara's Church.

Betty Muckerman, '37, was married to Phil Broderick, Oct. 28, at St. Joseph's Church in Clayton. Rev. Victor Stepha performed the ceremony.

LaVernie Bardgett, who would be a member of this year's graduating class, announced her engagement to George Johannes, III, Sept. 12. The wedding will be Nov. 16, at Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Betty Richards, '38, will be the maid of honor. Mr. and Mrs. Johannes will take a Caribbean cruise on their honeymoon.

Elizabeth Schenk, B.S., '37, president of last year's senior class, announced her engagement to Kenneth Grant, of Cape Girardeau. The wedding will take place Thanksgiving morning. Eloise Matlock, B.S., '37, Kathryn Breyans, A.B., '37, and Mrs. Jack Thro, the former Lee Guay, of Fontbonne, will be bridesmaids.

The marriage of Wilma Gooch and William Hopgood took place in Yazoo City, Miss., Oct. 5. "Bill" was a resident student at Fontbonne for the past two years. Her maid of honor was Jo Tlapke, who was also a sophomore resident student last year.

The former Ruth Mary Higgins, A.B., '34, was married in August to Paul Davis.

Glimpses...

ARMISTICE DAY,
NOVEMBER 11, 1937

These laid the world away; poured
out the red
Sweet wine of youth, gave up the
years to be
Of work and joy, and that unhelped
serene
That men call age; and those who
would have been
Their sons, they gave, their immor-
tality.

A Pound Of Flesh

Here's how I really come by the
name "Lyons," Sam Lyons, the the-
atrical agent, admits: "Years ago my
father sued someone named Lyons.
He got a judgment, and the man
said: 'I've got nothing except my
name,' so my father took that!"

In Emergency, Break Glass!

No, not the sign of a fire alarm, but
the sign on a new charm for the charm
bracelet. Break the glass and there's
a brand new one dollar bill, your
"mad money." How the world pro-
gresses!

We Can't Give Mark Twain Up Yet!

This is the latest one on Mark
Twain we can find. When Mark
Twain signed the register at a famous
hotel he saw this signature: "Baron
—, and valet." So Mark signed:
"Mark Twain, and valet."

Critic Umpires

This appeared in a Detroit news-
paper: "An amateur string quartet
played Brahms here last evening.
Brahms lost."

These Changing Times

For many moons men consoled
themselves for the loss of women's
"crowning glory," with the popular
theory that the size of the intelligence
was in inverse ratio to the amount of
space between the end of the forehead
and the back of the neck. When little
pieces of skull bashfully peeped
through the foliage, men clutched
frantically to their bosom the thought
that their hair was saying "Vale" be-
cause their brain was saying "Ave."
But alas, and alack, that theory is now
gone with the Hair. Dr. J. Harvey
Black, of Dallas, Tex., now claims that
only children with top-flight I. Q.'s
are victims of allergic troubles, and
most allergic adults come from the
professional classes. That's something
to blow about!

Use This Some Time

Edith was a little country bounded
on the north, south, east, and west,
by Edith.—(Reader's Digest, Nov.).

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rifle.

Boston Bull Pups: Beauties, cheap,
trade for coal.

Goats: Trade for outboard motor,
machinery.

Broadcasting Legitimately

Catherine Knaapen, pianist, and
Victoria Kerner, violinist, prominent
members of Sigma Beta Mu, broad-
casted over KFUP every Sunday dur-
ing October from 9:45 to 10:15 p.m.
With Miss Ann Keyes, former first
cellist with the Chicago Women's
Symphony, they formed a trio, playing
various selections from classic and
modern composers.

Orchestra Makes Appearance

The Fontbonne Orchestra will be
heard at the performance of "Peg O'
My Heart," given by St. Joseph's
Academy Alumnae Association, Wed-
nesday, Nov. 17, at 8:15 p.m., in the
Fontbonne Little Theatre.

Sincerely Yours

Dear Auntie Beulah:

It must be something in the air, for
the Fontbonnites seem to be ovel-
active this month, with every moment
an exciting one. Let me tell you what
they're doing!

The joke-of-the-month seems to be
on our Southern boarder, Virginia
Smith. When Jinx' father opened a
charge account package from Famous-
Barr, he didn't expect to receive two
small boxes of Kleenex which Virginia
bought and told the clerk to "send
out." And while Jinx was fussing
wondering why her Kleenex hadn't
been delivered, poor Famous-Barr was
shipping it parcel-post to Atlanta, Ga.

Can you imagine Betty Sturrock's
surprise when she walked into the
wrong class and found everyone ban-
daged in gauze? At first she was sure
there had been an accident, but she
was soon convinced it was just the
"health ed" students practicing first
aid on each other.

Just everyone is asking Kay Hig-
gins, Rosie Walsh and Lu Donnelly
about the new coiffures and latest
beauty hints. They gave a most
charming and entertaining exhibition
the other day and requests have been
pouring in for a repeat performance.

Of course, commercial advertising is
not permitted in the halls of F. C., but
someone told me Mary Lou was seen
walking around school with a sign on
her back—"Come to Sackbauer with
your uniform problems!" Have you
had any results, Mary?

Nelle Hurley has received a threat
that from henceforth and forever her
mail will be censored. She generally
reads said letters (maybe, said LET-
TER) just before the 10:30 class.
That is, she starts to read, but does not
finish reading until after the bell has
rung.

Who is the lucky one our good
friend "Murph" is going to visit in
Purdue next week-end? Do you sup-
pose it is a secret?

I've heard that Timmy Simpson has
a somewhat large appetite but I never
thought she'd try to swallow her knit-
ting needle. Sword-swallowers could
probably do a nice job of it, but Tim-
my claims it's rather difficult—it sort
of gets stuck in your throat. Have you
ever had that trouble?

Students about the school have been
complaining about a certain freshman
who is bothering not only sophomores
and juniors, but sophisticated seniors!
Her practical jokes often leave one in
precarious and embarrassing positions,
and I hear her victims are organizing
an "Anti-Mackin Club."

Those checker and bridge games in
the den often become very exciting.
They say she's very patient, but when
her partner trumped her ace, Virginia
Ottsen declared it was just too much!

It looked as though all the girls put
aside their knitting for the Junior
dance Friday night, but from what I
saw they didn't mind. It was a great
dance and everyone thinks the juniors
are ALL RIGHT!

I am sure you did not hear about
Bernice Becker, Kay Flynt, and their
dates on that night. In the K.C. build-
ing the ballroom is on the first floor,
the meeting hall on the second. Imag-
ine the surprise of some of the Knights
of Columbus when this foursome tried
to break into their meeting!

By the way, our old friend, Mr.
School Spirit, has returned to Font-
bonne this year with a trunkful of new
ideas. He's really much more hand-
some and peppy than he has been in
years, and all of us, even the fresh-
men, are just karazy about him.

Sincerely yours,
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