High Mass Optional.

Beginning Sunday, December 17, the High Mass will start at 8:30 instead of 8:15 and will be preceded by a Low Mass at 7:30. This arrangement will be made permanent if it proves satisfactory, that is to say, if there is an even distribution of the congregations at the two Masses, and if the students discontinue their practice of attending the parish Masses at 8:00 and 10:15.

Such is Fame!

Today is the second anniversary of the death of George Gipp. This was announced at Mass last Sunday and on the Bulletin boards yesterday. This morning there were twenty-one more Communions than yesterday.

Pilferage Insurance.

About 2500 small articles of table-ware have disappeared from the cafeteria during the fall. In foreign trade such losses are covered by pilferage insurance. At Notre Dame this physical abstraction is caused only by mental abstraction. The professor has a right to be absent-minded, but the fresh young minds of students should not grow weary so soon.

Before You Take the Train.

Five years ago Tom Spaulding of Sorin Hall, and his cousin from St. Mary's were killed in a railroad accident while on their way home for the holidays. The return of the holiday season suggests a prayer for the repose of their souls and reminds students to receive the Sacraments before taking the train for home. The peril of accidents is always increased by trains not on the regular schedule.

A New Kind of Christmas.

The pamphlet "Intimate experiences with Frequent Communion," makes a very satisfactory Christmas greeting for your Catholic friends. Quantities of these pamphlets will be placed on in the halls and additional copies may be secured in Room 207, Walsh Hall. Help yourself.

Obituary.

Francis J. Smith, of Freeman Hall, who was called home by the serious illness of his mother, has telegraphed the news of her death.