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It Moves Up Slowly.

Ninety-one questionnaires came in Tuesday. Morrissey Hall led with 19; Brownson, Carroll and Freshman Halls furnished 13 each; 10 came from off campus; Badin contributed 7; Walsh and Howard, 4 each; Sophomore and Corby, 3 each, Sorin and Lyons, 1 each. The new standing of the Halls is as follows:

Brownson..................70
Freshman...................49
Carroll.....................47
Off-campus................33
Sophomore..................27
Morrissey..................23
Badin.......................18
Sorin.......................13
Corby.......................13
Lyons.......................12
Walsh.......................10
Howard...................... 7

If you can't find a questionnaire around your Hall come to room 141 Sorin and get a supply. Enough extra blanks were printed to take care of the outgo to your parents and the girls.

Questions From the Questionnaire.

An attempt will be made to answer succinctly questions submitted through the Survey questionnaire, provided they are proper matter for the Bulletin. Most of the questions asked thus far on the Sixth Commandment are answered on the reverse side of the Eucharistic Calendar, extra copies of which will be found at the pamphlet rack. Further discussion of particular points belongs to the confessional or to private interviews with a spiritual director. Those who ask how to fight temptations should read pages 123-140 of the recently-published Sixth Religious Survey.

1. What points of character should one look for in a prospective wife?
   Read the Religious Bulletin for March 9-18, 1926 (the file is in the library) and Fr. Scott's You and Yours (pamphlet rack).

2. Is it possible to doubt stories of the Bible, such as the story of Jonas?
   The Church is the official custodian and interpreter of the Bible. If you do not understand the meaning of a passage, look up a commentary such as you will find in the reference room in the library. The particular question you refer to, the story of Jonas and the whale, we certainly could not doubt since Our Lord referred to it as a literal fact, a type of His resurrection from the dead.

3. Are Catholics forbidden to read any parts of the Bible?
   No. There is an indulgence granted for reading the Bible. Catholic versions must be approved, and must have explanatory notes for difficult passages.

4. Why isn't the Catholic layman more acquainted with the Bible?
   See the Sixth Religious Survey, page 87.

5. Why does the Religious Bulletin criticize secular affairs?
   Because secular thought is diametrically opposed to Christian thought, and there is a constant creeping in of secular thought to rob Catholics of their Catholic mind. Our Lord waged incessant war on the spirit of the world. "No man can serve two masters........... you cannot serve God and Mammon."