Last weekend Father George McNamara dropped dead of heart attack in New Orleans. He was buried yesterday afternoon in the Community Cemetery at Notre Dame. R. I. P.

Notre Dame alumni of a dozen years ago will remember him well. Another group, out twenty-five years, will recall him. For Father Mac was assigned twice to Notre Dame. Between times he served in the South in Sacred Heart Parish, New Orleans and at St. Edward's University in Austin.

He was second rector of Walsh. That made Walsh a popular hall. He was, perhaps, a "little too easy." But he thought so much of his men (and they of him) that together they ran their amusements on campus. Father Lavin added his touch. The boys didn't need to be running downtown. Walsh was their home and they liked to stay home.

One day an English professor told his students to write a theme on some campus character. Ninety percent of the papers eulogized Father Mac. *** As chaplain downtown in St. Joseph's Hospital he was noted. He could set the most frightened and nervous patient at ease with his gestures and jokes and smiles. Always he thought of Others.

To his half-brother and sister, Father Byrne, S.J. of Detroit U. and Sister Mary of the Incarnation (Covington, Ky.) the University expresses sympathy and promises many prayers.

What Think You Of Christ?

Whose Son is He? what did He say and do? What does He mean this night to you? You will find an answer to these questions in the first of Father Lee's Lenten sermons which begin tonight. Two Benedictions in Sacred Heart Parish at 7:00 and 7:30.

"It Can't Happen Here."

So think-- or, better, thought-- smug, take-it-so-easy Americans about the possible advent of Communism. If you think the Reds are something people east of Chicago worry too much about; if you believe the Church doesn't need your help in the Christian Revolution; if you take the liberty your forefathers purchased with blood as your gratuitous inheritance, you should read one of Sheed & Ward's latest publications: THE SCIENCE OF WORLD REVOLUTION by Arnold Dunn. ($3.00).

Professor Dunn anatomizes five revolutions, three French, one Russian, one Spanish. "There is a recurring pattern," he writes, "...a pattern which is unaffected by the accidents of time or space.... The rhythm of insurrection is much the same. Democracy is invoked to justify and dictatorship to preserve the revolution." Mr. Dunn finds three stages of the prologue to revolution in England and America: the drift of the universities to the left; the tendency of society to toy with subversive ideas; and the complacent conviction "it can't happen here."

What can you do? Mr. Dunn suggests you can preserve man's inviolable dignity and the American kind of democracy founded on it by meeting the intellectual case for Socialism on the intellectual plane, by countering their political efforts on the political plane, but above all by doing your best to advance Social Justice. Where logic fails, the corporal works of mercy may succeed. This book makes you want to be a thoroughgoing Catholic Actionist. (T.R.I.)

Mob Psychology.

A man who knows how to handle the crowd and can stand his ground against hecklers is Francis J. Sheed, Catholic publisher. He is Master of the Westminster Catholic Evidence Guild, has spoken three thousand times on street corners for fifteen years. He is ready to tell you something of "Crowd Psychology" -- tonight at 8:00 (Wash. Hall).

PRAYERS: (accident) grandfather of Henry Dowd (St. Ed's); sp. int. Bob Barber (Hor).