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"Aunt Het."

"When magazines want to print something rotten to make talk, they call it instructive; but what's the good of being instructed on how a skunk smells?" (Robert Quillen).

Michigan In The Lead.

No reference to a track meet, but to orders for the student pamphlet on Decency-In-Print.

Father T. J. Collins of Detroit asks: "Will you give me the dope on the pamphlets for High Schools on the "Quagmire and Squint" matter?"

Father F. S. Bowen of Sturgis, Michigan is brief: "Please send 100 Decent Literature pamphlets or leaflets for High School students."

Sister Patronilla in Saginaw says: "Kindly send me 200 pamphlets of facts as soon as you can."

St. Joseph Academy in South Bend wants 250 copies of Monday's Bulletin "Scum Of The Earth."

Father Thomas J. Hosty of St. Rose of Lima Parish, Chicago, inquires for "a copy of the student-written pamphlet against dirty magazines."

In Washington D. C., the pastor of Nativity Church, Father Stephen J. Hogan encloses "two dollars to help you and the 'men' who are planning the anti-smut pamphlet. Perhaps you could let me have a sample copy of the pamphlet before we order."

From Topeka, Kansas, the Catholic High School Sodality writes: "We are delighted with the idea of your getting out a pamphlet on Decency in the Press. Please send us information as to price, etc."

The Managing-Editor of the Indianapolis Star, speaking of the opening Bulletin in the anti-smut series, says "the vigor with which it speaks in behalf of decent literature and the depth of sentiment expressed on the death of Pope Pius were both refreshing."

In St. Louis Father Joseph Keating is enthusiastic: "When the pamphlet of facts comes out, may I be in on the ground floor?"

Calvert Hall College, Baltimore, Maryland says: "We would have need of 500 such pamphlets. Please inform us as to the cost."

Status Quo.

At present the Committee is contacting every drugstore, newsstand, and hotel lobby in South Bend, asking their cooperation in the drive for decency.

Individual students have written to the editors of a number of magazines, registering their objections.

The material for the pamphlet is being whipped into form. Meanwhile the prayers and goodwill of all the students are earnestly asked.

Address inquiries to the Bulletin. As soon as the leaflet takes definite form, all letters will be answered.

PLAYERS: (deceased) aunt of Fr. Regis C. Neils, S.F., Ill; Sr. Anunciata, O.F.M.; Mrs. Joe E. Brown (Kanabha); Fr. Wren (Boston); 3 friends of Jim McKahan (How.); Sam Dolan (Car.)