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A twelve or thirteen year old lad one thousand miles east of the Grotto, the Dome and the Stadium writes: "I heard the game with Iowa and was heart-broken. I hope Notre Dame wins next Saturday so let us pray that she will. I myself pray to the Blessed Mother for Notre Dame."

The girls in the eighth grade of an eastern academy were so elated over last week's comeback over Northwestern that they gave up ice cream, candy and movies this week and put the money away for a Mass for the Poor Souls. Their teacher, a nun, writes (and many others write the same way): "Father, please tell the boys we are with them where remembrances count most."

Seminarians all over the country could write a note like this one which came from one of last year's graduates who is now studying for the priesthood: "What pleased me no end was to find out that with tens of other games being aired there was no question which game the one radio at our disposal would get. Every week, always—The Irish!"

BE AT THE PEP MEETING TONIGHT. BE AT THE RAIL TOMORROW AND AT THE WHOLE MASS. IF NEED BE, GET TO CONFESSION TONIGHT. DILLON, HOWARD AND CAVANAUGH WILL BE OPEN TILL TEN O'CLOCK... IT'S THE LAST GAME. REMEMBER LAST YEAR!

You All Did A Swell Job — Thanks!

Last week Father Paul Shea appealed for help for his Nymensingh Mission. You and the weekend visitors gave him approximately $525. A few donations are still being slipped under the doors at 117 Dillon, 106 Howard and 107 Cavanaugh.

On one of these slips was written: "...I was deeply moved by his earnest plea and shall try my utmost to answer it in any way I can. May his health soon return that his flock may not be left unattended too long and that his great zeal may be once more poured out upon the people of Bengal." A five dollar bill was enclosed in the note.

Father Shea himself writes:

Dear Father Gartland: On Sunday last the students certainly went to town for Bengal. Thank them a thousand times for me. It is surely encouraging to know that they are behind us in our work on the foreign mission field. The collection Sunday will go a long way in establishing the Kingdom of Christ in Bengal. It will mean a lot in the support of catechists, in buying rice for the poor; and it will also help us buy some gas for the Tin Lizzie.

God will surely bless them for the generous way in which they responded to the appeal I made to them in the name of our Aboriginal Garees. They have held up to themselves treasure where neither the moth nor rust consumes nor where thieves break through and steal.

Yours in Christ, (signed) Paul Shea, C.S.C.

P.S. Many thanks also to Father Grimm and Lynch for the cooperation.

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But you have done more. You've bought foot upon foot of land for that poor Nega Mission down in Alabama. To Father Henry Vetter, Passionist, your check for $72.11 has been sent. Our smugness must end. God surely wills it. For did not Christ die for all? Why SHOULDN'T we keep praying and sacrificing for our poorer brethren whether Garees or American Nogroes or dictator-tormented Poles? —— Congratulations. And keep it up... IN CHRIST'S NAME. ... Many other requests are piled high on this desk... When they are proposed to you, one by one, "conveniently spaced," remember what they are for. When you reply, and why: "As long as you did it to the least of My brethren YOU DID IT TO ME..."