"Don't strain yourself now, but tell me: Just what else did they teach you at Notre Dame besides how to eat apple pie without cheese?"

Yes, you're going home soon. You'll be moving about with the family, we presume -- even tripping off to Mass, to the club, and to the relatives. And the neighbors, too, will notice you, wave at you -- maybe nudge one another and remark: "He's home from Notre Dame!"

They'll visit with you, talk with you, notice everything you do. And it will be your chance to inform, and to edify.

And so, don't just talk. Show them what you learned at Notre Dame, too!

Why?

Because actions speak louder than words. Your conduct, you know, is the best criterion of Notre Dame values. It's your example that makes you a good salesman, or a poor one -- for both the school, and for Notre Dame men everywhere.

Do a good job by action and by word. Be a credit to your family, to your religion, to your school! By their admiration, you will add stature to Our Lady, and to yourself. The good name of 25,000 of Her sons is in your keeping. God bless you!

The St. Vincent de Paul Clothes Drive is on. Keep this in mind when looking over your packing. Off-campus men may leave bundles at the Dillon hall pamphlet rack.

One Last Reminder -- Hit the box before you hit the road. Leave the campus in the state of grace -- the real Life Insurance that counts most!