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Theatre, on Mishawaka
Avenue. A benefit show of
St. Mary's Senior Class.

Seven Cities of Gold
Tonight and tomorrow
Night at the River Park...

The Late Mr. Applehead

From his exclusive suite in Sorin Sub (which is next door to the Church, mind you), he surveys the local scene with some misgivings. Obviously he operates on a close margin -- maybe too close for comfort; certainly too close to be classified as a good Catholic. But then, he consoles himself with the assurance that he'll make it before the Offertory. And that's exactly what makes him an applehead. With a little persistence, he might even become President of the Notre Dame Club of Purgatory some day. He doesn't "welch" on the Lord -- he just "chisels" on his obligation.

The Sunday obligation calls for a full Mass -- one that finds you in your pew before the priest enters the sanctuary -- and finds you remaining there until the priest returns to the sacristy. Sometimes, Off-Campus men have unforeseen difficulties with traffic and other delaying factors. But for campus residents there is no excuse at all for coming late to Mass. That's why God will judge them severely on this score. Certainly, He will not be generous with those who are so niggardly with Him, when the time comes for answering prayers, and handing out favors. Furthermore, a late-comer gives bad example, and disturbs others intent upon the Mass. He's an applehead.

Tonight at 6:45: Join the hundreds hustling to the Sorrowful Mother Novena. Maybe you can use Her help in the coming exams -- certainly in a hundred other matters!

SAYRES - Deceased: father of Tom Carter, '50; father of Joe Burgee, '53; father of Dr. Scatello of Alumni; aunt of Don Carbone (Alumnus Office); Harold P. Fisher, '06; Thomas Finks; Louis Cencelischer, Ill: grandfather of Jerry Reedy; sister of John Engels of Howard, 5 Special Introductions.