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An important development has taken place that is of vital concern to the seminary community and for that matter to anyone interested in what is right and good. Route 15, one of the longest lines in the city, has been cut in two. This route, as you may recall, made streetcar history last year by being re-built and relocated for a half-mile section where the new Deleware Expressway is being constructed. What is even more amazing, service was not interrupted while this feat was being performed, in fact, a temporary track which allowed the cars to by-pass the construction site was used until the new right-of-wey was ready for service. However, route 15 again faces construction, but this time no temporary track is being provided; in fact, service over part of the line has been discontinued. Due to the rebuilding of the Girard Avenue bridge, all car service is being forced to loop (in clear violation of everything that is good) at 26 street and Girard Avenue. The service over the rest of the line is now being provided by BUSES. How long this scandal will be allowed to continue is unknown. It has been stated that the bridge will be rebuilt with tracks, but this was, as you may recall, also the story concerning a certain route 47 back in July 1967 when they took down the wires on 8 Street due to subway construction. There too only part of the line was taken off; there too the shuttle service was performed by buses; there too there were nice words for all about the rebuilding of the line and the restoration of service . But we want to see true action, not words about new track. Since that time route 47 has been RUTHLESSLY ABANDONED in its entirety, and people living in the vicinity of north 5 Street are being forced to live without the streetcar. It has also been reported that the Godfrey Street loop has been desecrated by the offering of a sacrafice of macadam on the tracks of the streetcar; if this is true it will have to be known as the Abomination of Abandonation.

Nevertheless, the case of route 15 is far graver than anything north 5 Street has ever known. For, unknown to many, Girard Avanue bridge is the only link between the eastern and western parts of the Philadelphia streetcar system. It has been over these rails that cars passed to and from the Wyoming Avenue shops; it has been over these tracks that cars were shuttled from car house to car house; it has been over these ribbons of steel that old cars passed to their final destiny in the form of dead storage in that dumping-ground of the system, Luzerne Carhouse. But today all this has changed. No longer is the fundamental right to a unified system being honored, no longer is it possible to travel from Chestnut Hill to Eastwick and back via streetcar, and no longer can cars hope to travel about the city under their own power. Of course it is possible for them to be trucked over the gap, but it is expected that very few cars will sink this low as to wallow on the back of a truck. And what is probably the most unkind cut of all, route 15 now must take a back seat at Luzerne Car House to such lines as 50, 56, and 60, while its sister route 10 pines and wastes away in the now almost empty Callowhill Car House.

How long this disgrace will be allowed to continue is unknown. But we know what has happened in the past to other cities' systems. Unless the Philadelphia system returns to the plan of the past, laid out by the fathers, it is doomed to an inglorous end. It must decide today for or against a complete system, for or against one whole system as opposed to many systems. Once the tendency towards rupture gets underway it will not be stopped. It could only mean the end of the line for the Philadelphia cars.

## SITZ IM LEBEN

The Sitz im Leben for this wock is WET. Rumors have it that if the rain continues, a crash course will be offered next week on "Ark Construction", to be taught by Dr. Foster McCurley. However, Dr. McCurley informs us that if he spends the weekend determining what a cubit (j; j, j, j) is, a place on the ark must be reserved for Shuppiluliuma. One good thing about the rain, however, is that it has brought most of the leaves down from the trees. It would seem that within the near future, classes and late sleepers will be free of the music of Mr. Garver and his blowing machine.

It would seem that the community spirit is picking up. The angelic tones of a choir rivaling Dr. Bornemann's for the honor of being the official seminary choir, have been heard over the past few days, singing many of the old favorites(or not so favorites), often to new and improved music. (Perhaps the only suggestion is the addition of Ringo Spencer to the group). A few people are also helping community action with ardent squirt gun, insecticide, and shaving creme battles. Keep up the good work!! This is one of the best ways to begin building a community spirit---good, clean, hacking around. As finals get closer, there is certain to be more. Perhaps the goblins will again emerge to haunt Jim and others.

Sympathy is expressed to the juniors who today experience their last vocab quiz; to the middlers who have no final from Shuppiluliuma's master; and to the seniors who have NO finals. However, to the juniors and middlers who do--GDOD LUCK!!!!!

St. Alphonsus Liguori

### MISSING.....

Four Filmstrips, each with an accompanying record, are missing from our library collection:

What is Communisation?

The Communicators.

The Religious Communication.

Tools for Communication.

If you borrowed these, forgetting to check them out at the desk, please notify us. If you know anything about these filmstrips and/or record, please tell us.

Henry Scherer, Librarian.

P.S.

We are sorry that holding the Bonnemere concert in the library on Wednesday makes it necessary for us to postpone the book sale until the week beginning December 1st. Be saving your pennies for the big days!

### A SMALL ITEM APPEARING ON PAGE 45 OF, THE NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

(From the New York Daily News, March 18, 1969: "An unidentified man in his 50's fell to his death yesterday from a 20th-floor window of New York Hospital, E. 68th St. near York Ave. The man, a patient or a member of the hospital staff, wore a gray business suit, a pink shirt, a red-and-black striped tie and a gold wedding band inscribed 'From Gert to Morton'.")

They didn't know why he had jumped The little man with the steel-rimmed spectacles.

No one knew his name; it was so odd that no one knew his name.

Even his life was not the staff's after 5 o'clock His terminal existence went home to supper.

I suppose he had a child or two Poor guy and his wife funerals are so expensive.

See the pathetic wedding ring inscribed token of love. Looks like he broke his neck.

But why did it have to happen here? I'm sorry and all but it's so messy. CADDD NEWS

The story of <u>Good News for Modern Man</u> is the theme of the library display this month. The New Testament in the Today's English Version has sold nearly 18 million copies since it was first published three years ago by the American Bible Society. From translation, through publication, to distribution, it's a best-seller story of the bestseller paperback.

Additional copies of most of the display items can be found at the American Bible Society office in Philadelphia at 701 Walnut Street. You are invited to visit the Bookstore and offices there.

A special distribution program for Philadelphia's inner-city is now underway. And always, the American Bible Society stands ready to serve the churches in their Scripture needs for every program and mission concern.

> Miss Ruth Culley Distribution Secretary American Bible Society

ALL THOSE WHO WOULD LIKE TO SEND GET WELL CARDS TO DR. REED SHOULD ADDRESS THEM TO HIM AT CHESTNUT HILL HOSPITAL.

YOUR CARDS WOULD CERTAINLY BE A BOOST TO HIS MORALE!!

GARY KULL

## MIGLIT'S ILLOVE - Eliud Rodriguez

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Write down the syllable marked "START". Cross (X) that square: use squares only once. By making successive knight's moves spell out a famous quotation from the 64 syllables or words.

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SOLUTION TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE:

### WATSON, WILLIAM

("The Woman With the Serpent's Tongue")

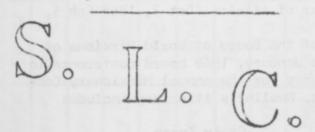
She is not old, shi is not young, The woman with the serpent's tongue, The haggard cheek, the hungering eye, The poisoned words that wildly fly, The famished face, the fevered hand-Who slights the worthiest in the land, Sneers at the just, condemns the brave, And blackens goodness in its grave.

# AROUND

Ask Steve J. how to control 2nd graders ... Dr. A's pressure cooker is giving seniors a work out !!... Interns were present this week - News flashes from interns: Dave & Barb G. proud parents of a Baby Boy - Congrats !!, Dave S. is getting lost in the Pa. Mountains!, Has Dave A. found the love of his copal Theological School. Cambridge, Mass. life - who knows?

- our last game. Let's support the team !! ... Finals are upon us - don't press the panic button - yet - Be Cool!

The Peace March is this week-end - let's still waiting ... Quick recovery to Dr. Reed who was hospitalized after a fall.



The Student Life Committee met on Nov. 10 with Mr. Kaufmann, Dr. Reumann, and Mr. Streich, Director of Christian Education to discuss student concerns.

Among topics of discussion were: sensitivity training (details to be worked out for the second quarter); liturgical reforms; and curriculum revision.

The faculty is extremely receptive and open to student suggestions, Student Life Committee members said. It was urged that student suggestions be channeled through the Student Life Committee, which sonsists of Marty Roth (senior), Bill Munz (middler), and John Havrilla and Barry Lace. (juniors).

It was also suggested that concerns regarding student-faculty relationships be channeled through this committee.

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### EXPERIMENT IN COMMUNITY LIVING Washington, D.C. Dec. 5-7

A group is being formed to participate in a weekend program designed to examine the causes of racism and its affects on the individual and the community. There will be opportunity for intensive dialogue with representatives of the black community. Interested students and faculty should contact Bob Holum or Walt Messick for further details.

### MATINS

The Very Rev. Edward Harris, Dean of the Philadelphia Divinity School, will preach at the office of Matins on Wednesday, November 19. Dean Harris attended the Boston Latin School, and completed his undergraduate work at Harvard University. The Episawarded him his Bachelor of Divinity degree, The Mt. Airy Saints go vs. PDS this weak and Union Seminary a Masters of Sacred Theology. He has also received a Doctor of Divinity degree from the University of Pennsylvania.

Long connected with education, Dr. pray for a truly peaceful march ... Daryl W. is Harris has been Dean of the Divinity School since 1961. Prior to that appointment he was student chaplain (in charge of all chaplains) at the University of Pennsylvania. He has also been a tutor at the Episcopal Theological School and has taught sacred studies at St. Mark's School, Southborough, Mass.

> Dean Harris has also served his church on the parish level. He has been rector of St. Mark's Church, Southborough, Mass., and was for eleven years rector of St. James' (Summer) Chapel in Burkehaven, N.H.

This is the Dean's first visit to Mt. Airy and he is the first non-Lutheran preacher we have had this year.

(Ed. note: See page 4 for Knight's Move - Begin with the word "our" in the top left-hand corner.)

THIS WILL BE THE LAST ISSUE OF THE SEM-INARIAN FOR THE FIRST QUARTER!!

Final Schedule: Wednesday 19th - last day of classes Thursday 20th -FINALS Friday 21st -Saturday 22nd -Rest with study & praying Sunday 23rd you do better on the next final!!!!!!! Monday 24th -FINALS Tuesday 25th -Wednesday 26th - LAST DAY OF FINALS

## COVOCATION-DEC. 33D

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The Reverend George A. Mueller will speak at the Convocation on Wednesday, December 3rd. This lecture will be on the missionary nature of the Christian Church and faith from a Roman Catholic point of view.

As a Maryknoll Missionary, Father Mueller was for six years (1954-1960), the first resident pastor of the church in Dyubari, Hokkaido, Japan. In 1960, he went to Rome where he assisted Bishop Alonso Escalante \* the schema on Missionary Activity of the Second Vatican Council.

Following the Council, Father Mueller pursued graduate theological work in the field of missions. This lead to a Licenteate in Theology from the University of Dr. Thomas Aquinas (Angelicum, 1961), and a Doctorate in Missiology from the Gregorian University (1966). Since that time, he has been Professor of Fundamental Theology and Missiology at the Maryknoll Seminary, Maryknoll, New York.

Besides his teaching, Dr. Mueller has been the official Vatican representative for the annual Consultation of the World Interfaith Relations Committee of the World Convention of Churches of Christ. He also assisted in the formulation of documents on "Nature and Purpose ... " for Maryknoll Father's Fifth General Chapter (Aug 1 - October 16, 1966), and Maryknoll Sister's Special Chapter of Affairs (Oct 7, 1968-Feb 5, 1969).

Dr. Mueller comes to us through the sponsorship of the Board of World Missions of the LCA. He has acted as a special consultant at the January, 1968 board conference to study general objectives, and was the principle lecturer for the annual Missionary Conference held at Kenosha, Wisconsin in July, 1968. Dr. Mueller's itinerary includes all eight LCA seminaries.

\*Please see Craig Tozzo for above blank

Craig Tozzo

"PLAY IT AGAIN, (SAM) ... EDDIE"

An evening with Bonnemere and Company ... An evening well spent. After an overwhelming amount of applause to great Bonnemere and troup, the trio started with "Give Me the Simple Life"-it was like watching a man sleeping and dreaming of his music ... closed eyes and all. His repertoire was grouped into six sets, all (five in a set, with two exceptions) varying from Broadway plays ("My Fair Lady Medley, ""Meet Me in St. Louis,") to movie themes ("Over the Rainbow," "I Feel Pretty), medleys ("South American Medley", "Autumnal Exposure"--"September Song," "Autumn Leaves") and music of the big band era ("Five D'clock Whistle", "Paper Moon")... His accompanyists were both "gourmets" ... mixing the beats with what should make a good sound--being careful not to add too much or too little...Tympani-to-brushes-to-sticks... "Sticks" Evans -- now we know how he got his name ... the man sat there poised with his drumstick ... It was like putting the cherry on top of a well proportioned sundae. And Joe Scott, watching Bonnemere's every move to add to the score.

The audience (a most appreciative one) with nodding heads and tapping feet, keeping in time with the beat, moods and flow of the music, was awe-struck by Bonnemere's renditions of "Misty," "I Wish I Knew How It Would Feel to Be Free," and "Help Me, Jesus." Bonnemere, with his "dancing digits", would sometimes run off on his own little way, but would somehow get back to the main theme...and the clock struck 10 ...

A few of those in the audience were being dated when they recognized a Glenn Miller sound or smiled to "I'd Hate to See the Evening Sun Go Down". His music reached everyone, even the children of the "hard rock" age.

The standing ovations showed it was indeed--an evening well spent!

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#### FOOTBALL POLL STANDINGS

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Something new has been added to the Seminarian Football Poll. Each participant has been given the opportunity to choose two games each week and predict their point spreads ( the difference between the winning and losing scores.) If a prediction is within + or - two points of the actual point spread, a wrong prediction will be subtracted from his record. In theory, someone could be 12 and 0 this week, but I wouldn't bet the ranch on such a possibility!

The Mt. Airy Saints have one football game remaining. It is tentatively scheduled for Friday Nov. 14. The Saints will take on a Philadelphia Divinity School team that beat the Saints in a 26-24 thriller last year. Once again all you die-hard football fans are welcome!

> BASKETBALL WILL BE STARTING SOON! ALL YOU SHARPSHOOTERS START WORKING ON THE OL' JUMPER!

ED. NOTE: CORRECTION\*\*--Dr. Reed is NOT in Chestnut Hill Hospital--he is recuperating at home.

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For your special enjoyment: In this issue--the pages are in correct sequence(for a change.) THE SEMINARIAN is a student publication of the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Philadelphia. The office is located in "F" Hall, 3rd floor, Editor's room, SEMINARIAN mail box, facinf the recreation area or Mecca. We welcome any unsolicited articles, newsworthy items, criticisms, and/or cartoons. The staff is varying, but a little more stable than the american dollar. Editor: Ray Ursin Co-assistants: John Koons and Steve

Jensen

Sports Editor: Lee Berry Articles: John Schweitzer, Gary Kull, Craig (can't write) Tozzo, St. Alphonsus Liguori, Dr. Henry Scherer, Miss Ruth Culley, Eliud Rodriguez, Bob Hollum, Dr. Lee, John Morrill, and a host of thousands... Typists: John Koons, Steve Jensen, Steve Bomgren and John Schweitzer. Definition of a cultic harlot: an altar piece.