Bookstore Remodels

by Jeff Boccadelli

For all you regular patrons of the bookstore there is good news. Recently arrangements have been made to make available a new, larger supply of books for the students of Providence College.

Mr. Dennis Hughes, manager of the bookstore, explained the new situation in this manner. "As everyone knows, the bookstore's selection of books in the past has been anything but interesting or stimulating. However under the new system, students will be able to find books for background reading and their own personal enjoyment more easily than in the past."

"Arrangements have been made with a book distributor to keep the bookstore supplied with 3,000 new titles. As these books are sold new books will replace them to keep a constant supply of books at hand."

Mr. Hughes stated that the problem of limited space prohibits the bookstore from expanding further at this time. The main reason for this new system is that in recent years the student at P.C. has had to look to Brown and Rhode Island College bookstores for an adequate supply of books. The new system gives the serious minded student the opportunity to buy quality paperbacks in the field of his choice without having to search the shelves of far away bookstores. It is hoped that this will be the answer to the requests of faculty and students alike, in their search for quality reading material.

Mr. Hughes stated that, "It would take approximately two years for the staff of the bookstore to decide what proportion of the allotted space would be given to each of the 100 subject departments of the college. In order to assure the committee of this universal system, a referendum was held on December 7, 1970. The results of this referendum showed not only 1 commitment for a class gift, but also that a scholarship was desired by a majority of members of the Class of 1971. Thus, the aim of the Class of '71 and Project Progress is to provide a tuition scholarship based on need for future students. The goal is to raise $40,000 which will make this scholarship possible."

Division Leaders for the drive are: Biology - Pat Catalanotto, Business - Tom Leahy, Economics - John Uva, Math - Dave Symer, General Studies and Education - Bill Muldowney, Humanities and Philosophy - Bill Whitling, English - Jeff Harris, Sociology and Political Science - Steve Cullinan, and History - John Minahan.

Working under the Division Leaders are interested seniors who will get pledge cards for 9 or 10 people in the class. They will talk to all class members between March 1 and March 28.

Another dramatic accomplishment was "Live Wire" with Kirk Howard's Sophomore Association. On the Monday night of March 1 and March 28, Kirk Howard's Sophomore Association voted to heavy rock music. Some 9:30 AM and signing off at 12:30 A.M. seven days a week. Because of the increased interest in the station from the surrounding area, the station managers are trying to convince the administration to allow the station to go on during the summer.

The P.C. radio audience has increased at least six times from last year and seventeen FCC licensed personnel are doing shifts in the summer for no pay. According to Gary Allano, FM Program Director "the station's biggest problem is money, due to the fact that the station's budget was cut by the administration." Allano went on to say that because of the cut, a new transmitter which would allow the station to increase its volume to 250 watts of power is needed. Even though the FCC has approved the volume increase at the helm of the Friar Broadcasting station is Mike Durkay who is very concerned with improving the station and its image. Gary Allano, reflecting on his Program Director assignment said, "it is a very tedious, mind numbing job, but a very rewarding and useful one."

The station itself is licensed as an educational station, but many hours of programming are devoted to heavy rock music. Some of the programming achievements are "Live Wire" with Jim Grier, Bob Foley and Paul Colardo. On the Monday night talk show Jim has such controversial figures as Jerry Ramos, president of the student congress, Fr. William Paul Haas, president of Providence College and in March the Attorney General of Rhode Island, Mr. John Minahan will be on hand. Kirk Howard's Sunday night's "oldie show" is the station's dip into nostalgia and the newly instituted "Sports Rapp" with Paul Khokhan, Steve Philpott and Henry Callahan, shows signs of being a first rate show. Another accomplishment of the station was Bob Terry's fine job with the reporting of the Apollo 14 moon shot. The report on the tax issue with Terry Stacak was also superb. Research Director Jim Grier says that what he is trying to do is make the educational programs on the station more enjoyable with such stimulating programs as "Live Wire," and various film reviews. According to Grier, "boring education hurts a station's image and it is no place for the community."

Money, though is still the big factor in the station's progress or downfall. To combat this problem Steve Brown, the station's business department has been out canvassing the local area for advertisers and is making considerable success. Dave Quinn, the Personnel Director for the station reports that the station has 20 people with 20 on stand-by. He hopes next year to expand the staff to 100 people.

Summing up WDOM's plight Gary Allano says the "past has been regarded as an organization, but this is a misconception. If the administration would make a reasonable investment such as a new transmitter, a new control board and a one year budget, WDOM could be a self-supporting entity on campus."

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Melville Green
To Lecture

Professor Melville S. Green of the Department of Physics at Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will serve as a visiting lecturer at Providence College in Providence, Rhode Island, Monday and Tuesday, March 8 and 9.

He will visit under the auspices of the American Association of Physics Teachers and the American Institute of Physics as part of a broad, nationwide program to stimulate interest in physics. The program is now in its fourteenth year and is supported by the National Science Foundation.

The American Association of Physics Teachers is one of the seven member societies of the American Institute of Physics. Other members are: The American Physical Society, Optical Society of America, Acostructural Society of America, the Society of Rheology, American Crystallographic Association, and the American Astronomical Society.

Professor Green is expected to give lectures to talk with students, and to assist faculty members with curriculum and research problems in physics. Arrangements for this visit will be

Note to reader. Every other review I've seen raves about J. Professor Green is a native New Yorker; he received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Columbia University in 1944 and earned both his Master of Arts degree and Doctor of Philosophy degree from Princeton University in 1947 and 1952, respectively.

He began his teaching career in 1944 at Princeton, and in 1947 became assistant professor of Natural Sciences in the College of the University of Chicago. In 1951 he went to the University of Maryland as a research associate in the Institute for Fluid Dynamics and Applied Mathematics. In 1954 he joined the National Bureau of Standards as a physicist in the thermodynamics section, supervising computations on the properties of very high temperature air.

Dr. Green was on leave from the National Bureau of Standards from 1957 to 1959 as a senior Fulbright-grantee and Guggenheim Fellow at the Institute for Theoretical Physics of the University of Utrecht, Netherlands. He also served as lecturer in statistical physics at the graduate school of the Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovoth, Israel and for a time in 1959 Dr. Green was a consultant to the Hughes Aircraft Company.

Dr. Green is primarily a theoretical physicist. He has made important contributions to the fundamental theory of irreversible processes and critical phenomena. Dr. Green has been chief of the statistical physics section of the National Bureau of Standards, Washington, D.C., since 1960. Under his leadership this group has acquired an international reputation as a center of research in this field.

In 1962-63 he served as special assistant to the United States assistant Secretary of Commerce for science and technology. In June, 1964 the Organization of American States sponsored Dr. Green in series of lectures on statistical mechanics at the Instituto Politecnico Nacional de Mexico in Mexico City.

Dr. Green received the United States Department of Commerce Gold Medal Award for Distinguished Achievement in Federal Service in 1964. He has written numerous articles for scientific journals and is a former member of the board of editors of the Physical Review, the Journal of Mathematical Physics, and Physics of Fluids.

Congress Elections

Elections for the Student Congress and also for Class Officers for the spring semester will be held during the month of March. These elections will be divided into two segments: those of the Executive Board of the Student Congress (Pres., V.P., Secretary, Treasurer) and also the election for class officers and Student Congress representatives.

The schedule for these elections is as follows:

Executive Board:
Nominations Open - Monday, March 8
Nominations Close - Friday, March 12
Campaign Period - Tuesday, Mar. 16 - Monday, Mar. 22.

Class of 1974:
Election - Tuesday, March 23.

Class of 1973:
Election - Tuesday, March 16.

Class of 1972:
Election - Tuesday, March 9.

Class of 1971:
Election - Tuesday, March 2.

Nominations Open - Monday, March 17.
Nominations Close - Friday, March 20.
Campaign Period - Tuesday, Mar. 23 - Monday, Mar. 29.

Speeches:
Class of 1972 - Monday, March 29.
Class of 1973 - Tuesday, March 30.
Class of 1974 - Wednesday, March 31.

Elections:
Class of 1972 - Tuesday, March 29.
Class of 1973 - Wednesday, March 30.
Class of 1974 - Thursday, April 1.

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Small Friar Band Looks to Future

by Tom Boyce

"Good music comes in small packages", the old saying goes. The New Providence College Friar Band applies this adage, as it is fortunate, however, that our good thing must be so small. In a mediating role here, there are at least two hundred or two hundred and fifty capable musicians yet only about fifteen students are members. The remainder of the band is composed of outsiders particularly the able female musicians from St. Xavier's High School.

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The Student's Vehicle

Student Congress elections are approaching, and those students who truly desire to participate in the direction and progress of the college will be running for office.

Many students on campus believe that the Congress is not worth the time or the trouble. Students generally believe that it is ineffectual and a fruitless attempt at changing attitudes which will never change. The work of the Congress is very frustrating and slow. Changes in attitude only come after long plodding work. The input into the system is great, the output into the community is slow, but many attitudes have been changing so that future participation in the college will come more easily and with greater respect.

The function of the congress in the community is basically to represent the student body in faculty, administration, alumni and community relations. The Congress articulates student desires and becomes the vehicle through which students have an input into the system. But there must be a desire on the part of the student body to use the Congress as a functional tool. The Congress can do nothing unless students bring complaints, problems and fresh ideas to that body. We as students must bear the brunt of the blame for the ineffectiveness of the Congress.

"EQUAL JUSTICE"

Perhaps the most impressive thing that a resident student acquires during his stay at Providence College is a very deep disdain for any type of authority. In many ways, of course, this is understandable. Yet, in just as many ways, it is also entirely warranted. In the dormitories, the ethic of governance is ludicrous. The administration, contrary to the hopeful expectations of many of the resident students, has created and become the concept of "equal justice" into a travesty. The Resident Assistants are constantly apprehended all violators of the parietal regulations. Perhaps this will even include those students who feel that it is their "Christian" duty to report, by way of late night phone calls, that any errant student shall have in his possession, at any time, any degree of maturity." It is the dishonest or the "snooky," if I may put it that way, who appears to have the support of the Administration. Apparently, by arbitrarily selecting some student for occasional prosecution before the disciplinary board, all administrators involved feel that they can maintain the illusion that they're truly doing their jobs.

However, there is cause for hope! The Administration now appears determined to apprehend all violators of the parietal regulations. Perhaps even this will include those "prestigious few" who are rumored to be immune to such action. All R.A.'s have recently been informed that they are required to be present in their respective dormitories two out of every three weekends, and that they must patrol the halls every half-hour from 10:00 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Perhaps the Director of Residence should be applaudued. However, perhaps the title "Resident Assistant" should now be changed to "Resident Nursemaid."
Would You Believe McCarthy : War Escalation

Bob Neyfesh

What is it really like to be a groupie? In the early seventies, Peter Nevard's recent documentary "Groupies" one such young woman found herself without a means to make a living. Working in a theater for ten years she had bettered all her colleagues. Yet she makes a living by making a living. If a client cannot find her, these groupies have changed the situation long ago. The college enjoys their talent, because it is their insurance. Why? Because if these wandering souls find bodies, the college must change. This college is set in its ways and it abhors change.

Why, you ask? Would you believe me if I told you that these young people are the new heroes of our generation along with Abbie Hoffman and Che Guevara, and John F. Kennedy and his brother? Would you believe me if I told you that the war goes on so as to keep all the girls just falling at our feet? Would you believe me if I told you that you had taken up the guitar and sing like Alvin Lee from Ten Years After (who talks like he was ten years old) and that you were the new heroes of our generation along with Abbie Hoffman and Che Guevara, and John F. Kennedy and his brother? Would you believe me if I told you that the war goes on so as to keep all the girls just falling at our feet? Would you believe me if I told you that you had taken up the guitar and sing like Alvin Lee from Ten Years After (who talks like he was ten years old) and that you were the new heroes of our generation along with Abbie Hoffman and Che Guevara, and John F. Kennedy and his brother?

Would you believe me if I told you the last souls are in the process of finding themselves? Or would you believe that once this process is completed, the college will have no use for them because it doesn't want to do Change!!

Bernard McKay

Last week at Brown, former Senator Eugene McCarthy began, as he had at Harvard the night before, an intense and imposing retreat, and he spoke out once more on the war in Vietnam, the reason for his own decision, and the reasons for the war's continuation. Under Nixon, McCarthy said that he was once again talking about a war without end, a war that seems to widen a little every day.

McCarthy spoke a great deal about Richard Nixon's "Vietnamization" policy, and what it all meant to the American public. He noted, for example, that LBJ often spoke of his Vietnam policy as being inherited from the two previous administrations; this would make Johnson one-third responsible for the war. Nixon now speaks of the policy of the three previous administrations, and why he must conduct it as he does; this has the effect of making Nixon only one-fourth responsible. What is it, then, that one of those three previous administrations was the only one to create? Maybe then Nixon is really making himself his own predecessor. This is especially significant when you consider that in 1954 Nixon advocated the use of American ground troops in Vietnam. To base a "disengagement" policy on your own previous policy of intervention is perhaps, not surprising, but it does account for Cambodia and Laos.

McCarthy also spoke of the reasons for the war's continuation. Under LBJ, McCarthy said, the war was to end American deaths, as well as the capture of Americans, were the consequences of our efforts. Under Nixon, however, we are told that the war goes on so as to save American lives, and that we won't leave until we get back those POW's. Hence, now we see a complete reversal of the facts, and the consequences of the war become the cause of its continuation. Nixon's efforts to explain himself even get more far-fetched, McCarthy tells us, when we are told that we will withdraw our men from the war on the basis of how fast the South Vietnamese develop their potential for going it alone. Nixon is, therefore, now talking about the momentum of a potential, and this begins to escape all semblance of reality.

In a country where several students afterwards, the former Senator was asked about 1972, and who would be his best candidates. He said that George McGovern was outstanding, although he had not yet seemed to catch on with the people. He also mentioned Sen. Harold Hughes as a possibility. Hubert Humphrey was mentioned as a candidate, but he was not running "before the bell is even rung." He said John V. Lindsay will make a very good candidate if the Democratic convention would nominate him. But will Lindsay make the jump from the GOP? "Well, I really only know what I read in the papers." He noted that Sen. Muskie might be OK, but, on Vietnam for example, he would tend to be "shuple-up" some.

Gene McCarthy is an enigma (if that really needs to be said any more.) Whether one supported him in 1968 or not, it has to be acknowledged that he is something of an American phenomenon. His style, his wit, his sarcasm, are reminiscent of the descriptions that Mark Twain's lecture tours back at the turn of the century. He seems more comfortable as a philosopher and a thinker than as a politician; he is a rather warm and friendly person to have in the room. He is a man of way. In 1968 he showed that once his mind is set on something he tends to be that way. If he is, he seems, above all, at ease now that he is in semi-retirement, although he may yet lead another charge.
Dear Editor:

In the Cowl issue, February 26, Dr. Haas mentioned the possibility that a letter I wrote concerning the appearance in the Student Congress by Rennie Davis of the "Chicago 8" was published under the heading "Patient Loser." The letter concerned the appearance of Rennie Davis of the "Chicago 8" on the Providence College campus on March 9, 1971.

Subsequently, I have discussed the letter and the speakers appearance in the Student Congress Special Lecture Series with Fr. Haas and Dr. Thomas, the Vice President Academic Affairs.

It seems that a 'communication gap' caused a misunderstanding between the president's office and myself. Fr. Haas, as president of the college, wanted to be assured that there is no clear and present danger of an incident occurring on campus during or after the lecture. It was resolved that there is the possibility and many times the probability that a speaker with left or right political sentiments might precipitate problems.

Fr. Haas and I agreed that those who were taking the responsibility of being a speaker on campus must be fully aware of a possible serious situation. Fr. Haas as president of the college is ultimately responsible for anything which does or does not happen within the community.

What seemed, on February 26, to be an attempt to stall an answer to the lecture committee, was a desire on the part of Fr. Haas to see out where and how a possible danger might occur.

I was more than happy to allow Rennie Davis to speak on campus in Alumni Hall. This was in no way accompanied by my part, nor was my letter to him a threat. My letter in the Cowl was an assertion of basic rights which I still hold to be true and valid. I shall not falter from my position in which I have always felt that the rights of students are being violated.

Thus the matter was resolved without any emotional peaks or troughs which does more harm than good.

Your appeal for honesty, openness and a sense of Christian hope moves me to write this letter in response to your editorial in the COWL as I am the infamous Rector of Guzman Hall.

I think the cause of honesty and openness is served if in your editorial you had mentioned that when the Dormitory Council of Guzman Hall approached the Director of Residence, they did not want for the removal of the Rector but rather asked that a period of experimentation be permitted during which the Rector would not function as "cop" and would leave the regulation of all dormitory affairs to the Dormitory Council at the end of the period the students would say they would be willing to return to the Rector system if the experiment was judged to have failed. Your editorial does NOT indicate these items. However, you might well be the best source in your editorial statement of what seems to be the real objective of the Dormitory Council re Rector.

I think the cause of honesty and openness would have been better served if your editorial you had mentioned some of the reasons for the distress caused some of the students. The cause of the principal reasons I think I shall to the truth and not falter from my position in which I have always felt that the rights of students are being violated.

I think the reason of distress of some of the students is the fact that I am asking for a minimum amount of compliance with college regulations by certain of the students. Another cause of distress is my opinion, expressed on a few occasions, that the Resident Assistants are plastic freaks, that some people are being violated.

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"Atina Life & Casualty:" We have met our obligation to you.

Our concern is people.
by Chris Schultz

"That was a tremendous job your half in, brother did this afternoon!" responded Coach Bob Arvidson. No one, analysing Jimmy Ursone, younger brother of track captain Rich Ursone. It took me somewhat refreshing to see a coach with such much disciplined emotion, while Jimmy Ursone openly rejoiced over his star pupil's performance.

The result was his approval was far short of Mrs. Ursone's - probably the most humble and well-liked person in the world - yes, until Rich cranks off a 1:53 half-mile that is ... and leads the Friar two-mile relay team to victory.

It all brought back memories of my sitting job for the Providence College Polo Grounds in 1963, watching the Mets. Little known Hobie Landrift of the Mets stepped up and belted a long one over the right field fence to win the game.

I can vaguely remember the crowd going wild, but the greatest thrill was certainly watching his son played a great game. He enthusiastically controlled the boards with Jimmy Larranaga for a layup. The Friars got the ball back, and Donny Lewis drove for a layup, and the Friars were off and running.

The Greyhounds 22-7 on the year, rely on teamwork. Good passing, team rebounding, and a running game were their forte, and Coach Joe O'Brien's team was on its way to an NCAA small-college tournament.

The Greyhounds' aggressiveness on defense and teamwork became evident when the Friars picked up six early fouls. Everyone wondered if a nightmare would happen with the bigger Friars falling to the smaller Greyhounds.

Displaying good shooting and effective defensive and offensive rebounding, theFriars jumped out to a 16 point lead, and it looked like the PC quintet would run the Greyhounds out of Alumni Hall. Big Ray Johnson and Dennis Swart, and a Friar hockey player. He is also Richie's startling kicking ability, got nipped at the tape. Tom ran easily through the first 340 yards in an out-of-shape fashion. An awful lot of hope is resting on Jimmy, because with steady improvement and running intuition, he will be the one to beat when outdoor track rolls around.

The seceded section of the Two-Mile Relay hardly felt the presence of UConn's Rich Spurling, who handily won the race in 8:58. Providence's Bill Speck, not known for his late race kicking ability, got stopped at the wire and was forced back to fourth place.

To any Friar sportster, the will to win, and winning are two different things. To some athletes, winning is the end of the whole perspective, and achieves success for New England supremacy two weeks in a row. In order for members of the team to get up for the games, it takes physical and mental discipline.

It is difficult for me as a Friar hockey fan said after the Holy Cross game that it was the Friars' last great game and started New England Championships will remember Mrs. Ursone, and almost a perfect running performance. After all, they are both an exciting part of the sport which is the Friar's 50 mile in 1:59, a long 120 yards in an "out-of-scope" fashion. An awful lot of hope is resting on Jimmy, because with steady improvement and running intuition, he will be the one to beat when outdoor track rolls around.

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Not one team in the four years had gone into Villanova's "snake pit" and come out a winner, and the Friars were 8-12 point underdogs. The Friars shot a gutsy 61% for the game and amazing 72% in the second half in dropping a one point loss to the 7th ranked Wildcat club.

Coach Dave Gavitt said after the game; "Last Saturday (after a six-point victory over Holy Cross) I said we played as well as we could play. But tonight, our kids went out and played better."

The exceptional and physical drive of playing three big games in one week is enormous. Besides the physical and mental drain of every game, there is the traveling, school work, and personal considerations that require.

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Ursone Sparks Indoor Track Team In New England Meet

by Joe Delaney

"Everything is going great. Things are starting to come in stride. Finding confidence in ourselves, that's been the biggest thing for us this year."

These were the words of Rich Pumple, the "Machine from Lachine", following his selection as Cow Athlete for the Month of February.

Pumple, a native of Quebec and a Social Studies major, edged out a basketball player Jimmy Larranaga on the basis of one of the hottest scoring months ever by a Friar hockey player. He is the Friar third in the East in scoring.

Before the season started, people were pessimistic because Pumple was not on the hockey team last season against New Hampshire during the month of November. But he played Providence during February feels the least bit of pressure. Pumple scored almost 30 points during the month, including 20 points in only five games.

Probably his most satisfying goal during the month had to be the goal scored against the Boston College. The Friars not only beat the Eagles, but they beat Boston at McHugh Forum for the first time since 1964: "I would have to say that curiosity was present because Providence had not been placed in the post-seeded heat. The odds of even scoring were extreme, but this tactical group seemed to benefit him and he had some natural pressure in that heat."

The first leg was run very poorly by yearling Dennis Swart, and the Friar's were far out of the heat, and the Friars found another frosh Rich Malachowski. Swart was unable to convince anyone that his slow 2:01 first leg, half-mile was due to an error on the part of the lap counter. Malachowski waited about 0 seconds and bolted out after a Friar hockey player. He is also Richie's startling kicking ability, got nipped at the tape. Tom ran easily through the first 340 yards in an out-of-shape fashion. An awful lot of hope is resting on Jimmy, because with steady improvement and running intuition, he will be the one to beat when outdoor track rolls around.

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The Providence College track team has had to play "the battle for New England supremacy" two weeks in a row. In order for members of the Friars to get up for the games, it takes physical and mental discipline.

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NIT Bid Possible For Friar Five
Assumption Handed First Loss; Redmen Seek Revenge Saturday

by Ed Paglia

The Friars snared a 12-point first half lead at the nine minute mark, but a 22-12 second half charge would not be on the verge of thoroughly throttling the opposition when things took a turn for the worse. Within the next three minutes, DePaul connected on six consecutive field goals, while limiting the Friar offensive forces to an anemic one bucket, enabling them to grab a short lived 26-24 lead.

At that point, however, Assumption started to click and outscored the Friars 14 to 4 in the next two minutes and 59 seconds to trail Providence by only one point, 40-39. The Greyhounds finally caught the Friars when, with 57 seconds left in the half, the third leading scorer on the team at 17.6, hit to deadlock the game at 50 all. Each team scored an additional field goal before the buzzer to leave the floor tied at 52 apiece.

Although the Friars found themselves in the unusual role of being the physically dominant team, they managed to collect only 23 rebounds to Assumption’s 28. They scored up 46 shots and converted on 47.8 per cent of them, while the Greyhounds converted 16 of 45 attempts for an excellent 35.3 per cent. The most judicious substitution by Dave Gavitt came with about two and a half minutes gone in the second half when he inserted Vic Collucci into the contest.

Collucci responded with perhaps his best game of the season. He was able to change the tempo of the game in the Friar’s favor. Once Providence started to play hard but not forced a fast break, they started to control the game.

As Collucci entered the game, things started to happen. His 20 foot jumper from the left at 17:18 tied the game at 58. Two foul shots by Don Lewis and a Collucci steal and assist to Lewis gave us a 62-60 lead that we were never to relinquish.

While Colluchi was sparking the Friars through, Serge Debarri was scoring Assumption’s initial eight second half points. The three pointer, at the 16:23 mark, however, Gavitt went to his bench again and inserted little used center Mike Stimac. After Frank Costello to try and contain Debarri.

The strategy proved successful since Debarri managed only eight points the rest of the game. With their biggest threat of the night shut off, and the inability of the opposing scoring and rebounder Mike Boylan to even approach his season figures of 19 points and 12 rebounds, he finished the evening with seven points and three rebounds, the Friars failed to pull away.

Jim Larranaga played perhaps his best game of the year hitting for 27 points on 10 of 15 from the floor, seven of eight from the foul line, passing off for six assists and hauling in eight rebounds.

With Assumption down 26 seconds left in the game and the Friars leading 101-90, the pent up excitement that had been building would come to a head as Providence College N.I.T. boosters finally let loose in a victory chant to acclaim that the Friars are headed for the National Invitational Tournament.

Following Larranaga in the scoring were Donny Lewis with 21, Frank Costello hitting for 17, Collucci’s 15 points, all coming in the first half, 14, and third place scorer, Johnson with ten points, and a tying game high total of 12 rebounds.

The Friar’s final home game of this season comes on March 3 against St. Bonaventure. A victory would, reiterating Dave Gavitt’s claim, clinch a post-season bid. In many people’s opinion, that bid has already been clinched.

Terriers Beat Friar Six;
 Tough Playoff Battle Ahead

By Peter Gobis

A five goal outburst by the Boston University Terriers in the second period broke a scoreless game and gave the PC hockey team its 6th loss in Division I against 11 wins.

The Friars played on even terms with the Terriers in the first and third periods. Their hustling style, the use of a 3-2 offense, and some good checking kept the Terriers from scoring.

A look at the ECAC playoffs shows BU, Clarkson, and Cornell as the teams that have clinched their ECAC playoff berths. If the Friars can get into the fourth spot and have home-ice advantage, they would probably face Harvard.

The Friars were not the same team that dropped earlier 4-1 and 7-1 decisions to the Terriers. They dominated most of the action in the first period, since the Terriers looked tired and played the Terriers on even terms in the final period.

The Terriers outscored the Friars in the second period and cost them the game. John Danby, who started the 100th career point, and is only a junior, contributed two goals. Bob Gryp scored when the Terriers got the game first and played the Terriers on the defensive zone.

The Terriers dynamic defensive duo, Rick Jordan and Bob Brown, also added goals in the second period. John Danby collected eight of the majority of 4,000 fans in attendance.

Assumption tallied one goal in the period when defenseman John Marchetti took a pass from Rick Butler and let go with a slap shot that beat goalie Dan Brady at 3:17.

Both teams exchanged goals early in the third period. Jerry Leschyshyn took a pass from line-mate Eric Dixon skating along the boards, and then got a pass from the puck home to bring the Friars to within three goals.

With the contest already decided, Tommy Sheehan drilled home a 15 footer with six seconds left on the clock. Gary Williams and Rich Pumplin, collecting his 104th career point and season’s 5th, assisted on the play.

The Friar icenemen won their sixth game in a row, 16th overall, and 11th in ECAC Division I play over a physically abusive Colgate club 6-2.

Lou Lamoriloe’s sextet jumped out to a 3-0 lead after one period, increased it to 4-1 after two periods, and then exploded as they have so many times recently for four goals in the final period. Rich Pumplin connected on his 20th goal of the season on a power-play, and with 3 assists increased his career scoring total over the century mark to 102 points. Barry Williams tipped on a Tommy Sheehan centering pass, and Chris Cicero scored in the 3 goal first period.

The Friars superior conditioning and good all-around play became evident since they out-classed and outplayed the Red Raiders, who came into the game with a 7-15 record.

Jim Murphy equaled a Colgate goal in the second period, by combining with linemates Bobby Budyk and Cicero. Ron Carrigan took a hesitation shot that slowly found its way into the net for a Colgate score.

Tommy Sheehan, the scrappy winger from Warwick, bang­ ed home two goals in the third period, one on a fine maneuver, by stealing the puck from a Colgate defender, and shooting the puck home. At "Tez" Evans blasted home a 25 footer, and Tony Bos­ to scored to bring the Friar goal total to eight.

As the Friars look forward to an ECAC playoff berth, they have two straight wins in the last eight games, with Brown and Northeastern. The Brown game is a big game, for the Bruins have been outstanding late as of late, and defeated Pens 3-2. They took the Friars into a 3-3 tie after two periods before PC exploded for six goals in the third period for a 9-3 win.

With the physical game the Friars played with Colgate, and their skating stride for stride with the swift skating Terriers, the Friars lost a lot of energy. With their good conditioning, they should be able to win both games with a bit of rest.

The Providence College freshmen hockey team has improved their season’s record to 6-4-4 by virtue of a 3-2 win over Cardinal Cushing Academy of Boston, and a 2-2 tie with the BU Puppets.

The yearlings and Cardinal Cushing physically clobbered each other all over the ice. Mike Che­ rico got the game-clincher, his second of the night, at 3:58 of the third period.

Lenny Alsfield, the talented center from Cranston, tallied the other goal in the second period. Als­ field and Mike King were both ejected from the game for fighting in the third period and had to sit out the whole game.

John McGee, the fine left-wing­ er from Timmins, Ont., was hurt during the BU game when he took a spill after a check and will be out indefinitely.

The Cowl would also like to congratulate Mike and Mrs. Gaffney, the always dependable for­ ward from North Providence, on the arrival of a baby boy. Was he born with skates on skates?

The attendance for the Friar hockey games has been very good this season. The Auditorium has an average of 2,000 to 2,500 people at each Friar home game, and many have traveled to the away games.