At G-Town Forum: Enrollment discussed
By Maureen O'Hare

The ever-present problem of supplying students with adequate on-campus housing was the subject of consideration during a forum discussing housing alternatives on Monday night, January 22. The meeting featured Newt Pyle, O.P., director of residence; Michael Backes, director of admissions, and Eileen Connor, resident board president. The discussion was designed primarily to consider the feasibility of the "Georgetown Residence Plan" at Providence College, but also welcomed comments and suggestions regarding this issue from the approximately 75 students present.

Fr. Heath addresses the crowd at the Georgetown forum.

Father Heath explained that the administration has settled on a figure between 3500 and 3500 as a reasonable permanent full enrollment. In order to maintain this fall enrollment, 1000 new students must be added each year: 900 freshmen and 100 transfer students. According to Backes, "To get the 1980 new students to commit to PC, I must be assured of the 750 beds annually on March first. If we hold fast to our present policy of assigning space, then the maximum number of incoming resident students in September 1979 that we can accommodate will be only 375-400. If we do have to cut back in enrollment, then the obvious bottom line will be an escalation in tuition."

Basically, the proposed Georgetown plan would generate more beds by welcoming all in-town freshmen and upperclassmen who are forcing more upperclassmen to take off-campus housing. According to the original idea, all sophomores, juniors and seniors living within a 25-mile radius of the College would have the right to on-campus housing. If the administration opted to follow a plan such as this, a provision would probably be included to allow students to obtain a reduction in tuition from a radius of 25 to one of 10 miles. Remaining students who were not favored by the lottery would have to seek off-campus housing. The chief advantages of this plan as indicated by Father Heath are "an annual stable student population, and the avoidance of additional student expenditures arising from decreasing enrollment." The disadvantages concern mainly "the forcing of some upperclassmen resident students into off-campus housing, and/or back to their homes. If someone were to ask me how I'd vote on this issue, I'd be apt to place a geographic limit excluding all sophomores, juniors and seniors who are within a 10-mile radius of Providence last year on campus. Additionally, any upperclassmen living on campus would be expected to stay at least one year."

"Displacing students via the use of a lottery system is definitely a lamentable situation," Backes commented. "Unfortunately, I personally don't know of any other alternative." Renovation of the East Building on Lower Campus to a dormitory facility was suggested; however, this would provide only 55 additional beds. See MEETING, Page 7

A PC-URI law school? Committee to discuss feasibility
By Peggy Doherty

PC president Rev. Thomas R. Peterson, O.P., along with Frank Newman, the president of the University of Rhode Island, is in the process of forming a nine-member committee to study the feasibility of a jointly operated law school. The decision to investigate the establishment of such a law school was announced earlier this month by Newman and Father Peterson.

According to Father Peterson, he and Newman first met over a year ago to discuss the cooperative effort, which would be "traditional as well as nontraditional, and would utilize the resources of both schools." The announcement by the two presidents came a week after Gov. J. Joseph Garrahy supported in his inaugural address the concept of a joint venture to start a law school in Rhode Island.

Father Peterson and Newman will each appoint three faculty or administrators and one lawyer to the study panel. The nine-member, another legal person, will be the choice of both lawyers in order to insure objectivity. Father Peterson stated that he plans to name his appointees this week.

The committee has many areas to investigate, said Father Peterson, including locating finances and accreditation. The committee must also determine the degree to which the law school should be independent. Both PC and URI have previously studied the possibility of starting a law school on campus. However, the last thing I want to do is infringe on the geographical area of the College."

PC and URI have previously discussed many possibilities as to what the plan would look like, according to Peterson. Originally, this action was requested by the Committee on Administration and the College Corporation. This is a great advantage but results have been slow in coming. We have pushed harder and dealt with the various roadblocks that come up," said Father Peterson. "Our job is to represent the students, so it's important to know what they feel is important. I'd like to see more student involvement and awareness in what's going on." Father Peterson plans to continue work on the food and variety store, and is also concerned with alleviating the "hassle and runaround" that surrounds the registration period. "I'd like to encourage more people to get involved in the upcoming class elections," Father Peterson commented. "We have a lot of openings for class positions, and it's always good to get some new blood in the Congress."

Peggy Doherty, Kerry Rafanelli, and Sue Berg celebrate election victories.

Rafanelli captures presidency
By Maureen O'Hare

Kerry Rafanelli defeated Brian Moran to gain the position of Student Congress president in January 18th's election. The contest was a close one with Rafanelli receiving 562 of the vote cast. Student voter turnout amounted to approximately one percent.

Susan Berg, a junior marketing major, won the title of vice president over Kopple but sophomore Peggy Doherty defeated Colins. In her secretary, Michael Welch regained the title of treasurer for the second consecutive year.

Rafanelli is optimistic regarding the future of Congress in the coming year. "We have the hardest working executive board, I know Sue, Peggy and Mike will do a great job." PC is unique in that we have a lot of student representation on the various committees such as the Committee on Administration and the College Corporation. This is a great advantage but results have been slow in coming. We have pushed harder and dealt with the various roadblocks that come up," said Father Peterson. "Our job is to represent the students, so it's important to know what they feel is important. I'd like to see more student involvement and awareness in what's going on."

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Rafanelli also expressed her wishes to "get on the go and the variety store." "I worked on it last year, and we were faced with a lot of problems. We have begun to make some headway on it, though, and I'm optimistic about this year."

To reduce confusion during registration, Berg would like to implement a plan to have all department heads publish a list of requirements for each major. "This would hopefully eliminate the late rush by the students," Berg commented. "In conclusion," said Berg, "I'd just like to maintain the high caliber of service that was maintained by this past year's Congress."

Visitation hours extended - begin at 10 a.m.

Rev. Thomas R. Peterson, O.P., in conjunction with the College Housing Office, announced that visitation hours have been extended from 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. Monday through Friday. Originally, this action was scheduled to be initiated before vacation; however, it officially went into effect Thursday, January 18.

Father Peterson explained that this step was requested by student representatives: "We discussed many possibilities regarding revision of the visitation hours and wanted to make sure that these new hours are reasonable. It's important to work a delicate balance between the rights of the individual and the right to privacy."

Dorm flooding

This weekend's rash of snow and rainstorms plagued Rhode Island, and Father Kevin Collier, was no exception. Aquinas Hall was beset by water entering through the windows. "We're trying to track down the source of the problem," assistant director of residence Donna McCaffrey stated. "It only occurs during heavy, driving rainstorms. The water seeps into the crevices and then overflows into the room. All you can do is mop up the water and stand ready with the towels and buckets."

The basements of Aquinas and Joseph Halls also reported leakage with a minimum of water damage.

A PC maintenance crew inspected Aquinas Sunday. Most of the water seepage was limited to Room 414 in the dorm. Both occupants went into effect through the windows.

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"It's here because it's true, not true because it's here."
The Residence Office has announced that it is seeking applications for a minimum of 19 residence assistant positions. Associate director of residence office, Col. Delcorso stated that many of these positions have been vacated, thus at least eight women and 11 men will be hired. Applications will be available from February 1-15, 1979, may be picked up in the Residence Office, room 301, Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Completed applications must be returned to the office no later than February 19.

Delcorso stated that the Residence Office is seeking "individuals who are emotionally, psychologically and socioeconomically well-balanced." Additionally, applicants will have an overall GPA of 2.5, and are expected to maintain that average throughout their employment.

Applications may be obtained from the author’s departmental chairman, noticed that they would like to hire either sophomores or first-year graduates, who, they stated, would be "well-suited for the job.

The position of residence assistant is both a time-consuming and responsible job.

PC to host sociology research conference

By Kathleen O'Neill

The Fourth New England Undergraduate Research Conference in Sociology will be held at Providence College on Saturday, January 28, in Hall 34 and Room 200 of Slavin Center. The conference will be the setting for this impressive program, which will feature full-length papers on a variety of topics in sociology, from ethnographic work of undergraduate students, to panel discussions of faculty members from PC and neighboring colleges. Students will leave with a clearer understanding of the field, as well as a certificate of participation, signed by the president of the College and Ruggerio.

The students who present the two most outstanding papers among the 1979 entries will each be presented with a $50.00 cash award. An average of 20 to 26 papers will be presented at the April 22 conference. In the past, as many as four presentations have been the work of PC students.

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Annual hunt for R.A.'s commences

By Kathleen O'Neill

The first PC-sponsored N.E. Undergraduate Research Conference in Sociology was held in 1976. Rhode Island, Massachusetts, and Connecticut were the principal participants during the first two years. Last spring's conference attracted all six New England states and Maryland.

Society majors and non-majors are invited to submit papers concerning empirical, theoretical, or methodological aspects of interdisciplinary analyses of social problems. Undergraduate work is eligible. Papers should not exceed 20 pages in length and must be received by February 12, 1979. There is no entry fee.

Two copies of each paper must be forwarded, along with a complete application form, a brief abstract of the paper, and a brief biographical sketch to: Dr. Josephine A. Ruggerio, Conference Coordinator, Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work, Providence College, Providence, R.I. Application forms may be obtained from the author's departmental chairman.

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Wooden Naval projectors stolen

By Tricia Bruno

An estimated $4000 worth of audio-visual equipment was stolen from the Wooden Naval during Christmas vacation -- another in a series of major thefts which has plagued the PC campus since September.

Ray Kurkjy, Board of Govern­ors' film chairman, noticed that one of the two film projectors was missing from the Naval almost one week after classes resumed in January. BOG president Vin­cent Campion was immediately informed and upon returning to the Naval with security officials discovered that the projector was a film projector, the large screen TV had also been taken.

The only visible sign of forced entry was one screen on the back door which had been blown in and ripped from its window; no locks on the door had been tampered with.

Two of the Naval's 26 windows, however, had been broken, locks were placed and were accessible to prowlers.

Campion and Joseph T. Mc­Abee, director of public inform­ation, had filed a report that was semi-hidden in a corner of the Naval's back office on Thursday, December 21, after discussing the possibility of stealing the six-year-old screen and its projector.

The expense for sorely-needed repairs and constant rebalancing of the highly delicate equipment, they felt, outweighed the benefits of continuing its operation.

"It had to be someone who had a van or a truck," Campion started, "and it could have been just one man, but they had to have it, but you couldn't put it in a station-wagon or a four-door car. The screen and the projector wouldn't fit.

Serial numbers have been turn­ed in the police and director of public inform­ation. The film projector is being worked on such sets. Campion explained, "The people who have it can't do much with it. They're going to have to throw it back. They're going to have to have it.

The screen and the projector are the most important.

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Lower Campus lookout:

PC's music and arts center

By Carol Persi

Many of us know there is a Music Building and a theatre arts program, but when asked to specifically give directions we simply reply, "Oh, it is on Lower Campus near Howley Hall. I think." Actually, it is next to Howley, facing Upper Campus, adjacent to Dore Hall.

The building doesn't appear to be too large, but there are indeed many classrooms, studios, and offices. There are two floors and a basement. All of the first floor and half of the second floor are dedicated to the music program. The other half of the second floor and the basement house the theatre arts program.

The music program currently has five full-time faculty members who each have their own studio for private teaching and counseling. There are seven part-time faculty professors who give private vocal and instrumental lessons. Rev. R. B. Haller, O.P., is the music program director. There are three classrooms: one is used primarily for history and appreciation classes, one is for theory classes, and the third is used for piano sessions. A rehearsal room doubles as a recital hall, along with six practice rooms, for voice, piano, and instruments.

An extensive record collection and library is available for class use, and a stereo system is also utilized.

John Garrity is the director of the theatre arts program. Like the music program, there are classrooms for courses, offices, and practice rooms. The basement is used for theatre arts workshops. (Final productions are usually held in Harkins Auditorium.)

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The time has come for Providence College to take a hard look at the current school policy of course adjustment. The Registrar's Office reports that for the second semester, roughly 3000 students have to make some changes with respect to their classes. Of those, 1800 students have to make minor changes in their schedule, while 1800 students would have to make major changes to their course load. When you get numbers this size from this many students it would seem to indicate that something is seriously wrong with the present system.

Ideally, adjustment is meant as an opportunity for students to make minor changes in their course selection. But when the adjustment is flooded, classes are naturally overcrowded until everybody who wants to be enrolled in the class gets in and everybody who wants to get out of the class does so. This means books are bought to buy, and both students and teachers have to be punished. It's as simple as that. Frequent offenders should be punished. A student should be punished if he/she registers for any course of studies that isn't the best possible. The punishment would have to be at least a $2.00 surcharge or something of that nature.

Students weren't the only problem with the semester's adjustment. Departments are required to send professors for the first three days of adjustment. However, there are indications that some departments were somewhat neglectful of their duties. Obviously, the absence of a department representative only increases the confusion. In sum, adjustment has grown from a good idea to an unwieldy project. As a result, problems with overenrollment in certain disciplines will arise. Yet, the crucial good that adjustment provides cannot be overlooked. No student should be locked into a schedule that isn't the best possible for him. A student should be allowed to register and re-register for any course of studies that will benefit him the most. But this right should not be abused.

**Georgetown plan needs more discussion**

At the very least, PC's proposed Georgetown plan needs more consideration. A program that would change the scope of residence life at Providence would be the topic of considerable interest to upperclassmen. The Student Congress and the Resident Directors Association have both given preliminary support to the Georgetown plan. An on-campus poll should be taken before any major policy decision is made. A survey of neighboring colleges would also be helpful. The Cowl realizes that these measures will take time to implement and assess. We also realize that this is a small enough price to pay for obtaining an accurate opinion gauge with regard to the College's enrollment policies.

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Thoughts while shaving

'79 forecast

By Bradford C. Brown, Thomas J. Bowen and Jacques F. Callahan

Once again it is time for great soothsayers to make their fearless predictions for the spring semester. Here is a list of the forecast:

1. The students will demand that Jim Plunkett return to PC in the spring.
2. Someone will tell the ROTC barber, who exists in the basement of Alumni Hall, that they are going to Vietnam and with it so did "bowl cuts".
3. The Filene's Dough Boy will take over the baking duties from the current cafeteria staff.
4. A McDonald's will open on Eaton Street and you'll never again have to hear a Greek voice on the phone say, "Okay, your pizza will be ready in 30 minutes."
5. A "not guilty" sentence will come from the Disciplinary Board, causing great shock waves across the campus. No letter to parents will be required.
6. The Cretele banquet will once again be the social event of the spring, adding to its great mystique.
7. A group of student will erect a shrine to Louie for many years.
8. Someone will finally mix at a mixer.
9. A "boneless chicken" will get up off the plate and talk.
10. Ex-Boston Red Sox pitcher Bill Lee, the Spaceman, will join the cast of "Battleground Galac­
11. The famous bumper sticker "UCLA is the PC of the West" will experience a sharp decline in sales.
12. A new meal will be added to the Raymond Cafeteria menu: "Reggie Burgers."

First day of school. Mayanne Pelti stands ready to embark on an academic career that has culminated at PC. Just look at those dimples, folks.

Please write

Hi everyone,

Just a short note from "do you remember who" in Fribourg. Yes, we are roaming about Europe absorbing the cultures as well as the chocolates, fondue, beers, etc. Also, we are faithfully writing home each week. But hey, as you read this, do you feel a pang of guilt? If so, drop us a note at:

c/o Paul Gallagher
A.C.P.
Grande Rue 12
1700 Fribourg, Switzerland

Thanks,
Julie MacDonald '80
Terry Cook '80
Sue Sherlock '80

The Bermuda Strollers in action. Correction: In last week's edi­
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BOG hosts Strollers

The Board of Governors played host to the Bermuda Strollers on Friday, January 19, in '64 Hall of Slavin Center.

The Strollers, perhaps Ber­muda's number one group, en­tertained the crowd with lively music, ranging from calypso to rock to disco. Along with the fun provided by the Strollers came visions of spring vacation, "College Week," to be spent in Bermuda, under the sun and palms.

This was the Bermuda Strollers' third appearance at PC. Once again, a good time was enjoyed by all.

Photography hints

"The easiest and the toughest" by Daniel J. Lund

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So this doesn't happen to you:

1. Concentrate on framing the picture. When you look through the viewfinder, be sure the subject is centered.
2. Flash bulbs and bars are only effective to 10 feet; any further and the picture will be too dark. If you are closer than two feet the print will be washed out.
3. Now you are ready to take the picture. Press down on the shutter release slowly and hold your finger on it until the shutter has closed and reset itself. Most blurry photos are caused by a heavy trigger finger - be gentle with your camera.
4. Always be wary of special film deals. More often than not the film is outdated or has been exposed to poor environmental conditions. Say fresh Kodak film.
5. Just remember to concentrate on your pictures. A few seconds now will bring you years of good memories.

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Last week's mystery photo was of the painting hanging above the stairs leading to Harkins Audit­torium. There were 22 correct answers. Gary Rastorfer '80 was chosen in a random drawing as last week's winner. Congratulations, Gary.

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Where is it? If you can guess you will be eligible for 2 tickets to the PC Harvard hockey match, Jan. 31. Be sure to enter by 3:00 p.m. this Friday.

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By Joyce Simard

100 years of memories

Therese Pion, Ellen Walsh and Eleanor Cavanough reminisce.

By David Amaral

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“I couldn’t get by without a Professor,” said Owen Scum, an English major. “I have one of the new digital clock types. He wakes me up at seven o’clock every morning by discussing the importance of time in King Lear. Then, when I go to bed at night, he tells me to sleep by reading from the seven volumes of Marcel Proust’s A la recherche du temps perdu.”

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Scum explained another problem which, he says, was his own fault. “I went to school one day late and left literature Professor running in the kitchen. By the time I got home the floor was covered with banquets, the cat had died of boredom, and the Professor’s jaw had become permanently locked.”

“What did you do with him then?” I asked.

“Oh, I put him in the attic with the Milton and the Renaissance poetry Professors, then went out and bought some shampoo. They’re generally less talkative and come completely housebroken.”

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**Lady pucksters**

**Revenge is sweet**

Revenge is sweet. Just ask the Providence College hockey Lady Friers. Earlier in the season, PC was defeated, 4-3, by Northeastern University. However, last Wednesday night the Lady Friers bounced back to edge NU by a 5-1 count.

At first it didn’t look like there would be any game at all. At game time, Northeasterners was still stuck in 1-06 fighting traffic instead of skating. It looked like the Blizzard of ’79 (three whole inches and a lot of panic) had claimed another victim. But to the satisfaction of 125 waiting fans, NU showed up and the rematch was on.

The game itself was a gem. Providence was on the scoreboard with play mostly dominated by the Black and White. The first two periods were scoreless thanks to the superb net-ending of Northeastern goalie Kim Perkins. Perkins withstood tremendous pressure and continuously thwarted all Providence scoring attempts. Particularly impressive was a leg save she made on Kathy Lenas from point blank range.

Midway through the third stanza PC dented the scoreboard as Connie Fricke scored off a mad scramble out in front of the box. Minutes later Mary Ellen Roeder made it 2-0 when she slipped a 10-foot wrister past NU goalie Opal Blackwell. Northeasterners didn’t quit and with 10 seconds to go they ended PC goalie Cindy Mellon’s hope for a shutout as Stephanie Willis scored on a semi-breakaway. The game ended with Northeasterns on the attack but out of time.

Over the weekend the Lady Friers travelled to New Hampshire to play in the prestigious UNH Invitational. Although they were totally outplayed by New Hampshire in the finals, 8-1, they still finished a very respectable second in the tournament. In the finals PC took a 1-0 lead on penalty shot, but Northeasterners scored on 50 per cent of their power plays. It was the first goal for Kathy since she sprained her ankle last month. Although Lenas is unable to skate at 100 per cent, her comeback is a welcome sight to Coach Tom Palamara. Unfortunately, Lenas’s goal was the only one Providence could muster, and UNH bombarded Mellon for eight tallies.

In the tournament opener, the Black and White beat a good Boston College club by a score of 5-1. It was PC’s fifth straight game without a loss. Once again it was strong defense that told the tale.

Thanks to goals by Richer and Alexis Spobbo, Providence jumped out to a 2-0 lead. After BC cut the lead to one, Sue Duffy iced the victory with an insurance goal. The Lady Friers’ next game is tonight at 7 p.m. at Schneider Arena against Colby College.

**Yoga bearable**

By Jeff Espinola

Bored with these long winter evenings? Look no further than the Yoga Society. The society meets every Wednesday afternoon from 4-6 p.m. in Room 104 of Slavin Center, and is taught by Jay Laney, charter member of the Rhode Island Yoga Society.

Yoga creates images of painful positions and strenuous exercise. I thought it best to find out from an authority, Rev. Adrian DeBash, D.P., who alludes to the yoga he practices. Father DeBash describes yoga as “the dissipation into the transcendental and tranquility through peace.” He told me that it sounded better than a hot bath.

The kind of yoga taught at the free weekly class is a physical yoga—exercise through gentle stretching and Asanas. Asanas is not the Indian word for pushups; if you want to find out what they really are, you have to show up.

“IT’s very good for you,” assured Father DeBash. “It’s noncompetitive, and deeply relaxing.”

**Rip-Off**

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but not stealing, the tickets. An individual who is suspected of having stolen the tickets was re­leased from the custody of the police due to lack of proof, but is no longer present on the PC campus.

Although it has not been diffi­cult for BOG to increase security precautions on concert tickets, they remain 100 per cent as the result of the loss of sales. Cam­pion offered a few solutions to reduce chances of theft on cam­pus. “We just have to be more careful with what we do with our stuff—bikes, bays, volutis, and reduce the number of keys handed around. We can’t spend $32,000 to secure the Naval’s windows with wire mesh. A burglar alarm system for all these windows would be very expensive. Bas­ically what we’re going to do is keep everything out of there until we need it, and take it out when we’re done with it.”

Campion aptly concluded, “It’s hurting us drastically.”

**Georgetown**

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this year. The Georgetown plan would not only recognize such a harmful situation but actually sanction it.

These are just two of the dis­advantages of the speedy imple­mentation of the Georgetown plan. There are many advan­tages to such a program. But first, all avenues must be pur­sued. Forums should be set up so that the entire student body can be made aware of the total impli­cations of this program. Mon­day’s discussion of the plan was hopefully the first of many be­tween residents and the administra­tion. Check this space for further details.


**STATE PLATFORM TENNIS TOURNAMENT**

Saturday & Sunday, January 27 & 28

Men – Sat. morning 9 a.m.

Mixed – Sun. Morning 9 a.m.

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Our mixed doubles team: Tim and Lisa Gilberte

Our men’s team: Tom Migliaccio and Paul Murphy

Participants will come from all over New England.

**SENIORS**

The names of the members of the Class of 1979 are posted on the bulletin board near the music berries. For those who missed the opportunity should be reported to the Dean’s Office.

**On-campus student needs to borrow a car every Monday night to drive to music lessons in Scarsdale. Car is needed for approximately 3 hours. Experienced driver. Will pay double the gas cost. Call Richard at 3330.”**

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THE PROVIDENCE COLLEGE RUGBY CLUB

is going to have an open meeting for all those interested in joining for the spring season, on Monday, January 29 at 7 p.m.

in Slavin Room 110.
Sports

PC Friars: The young and the restless

By John Mallaney

With any young team, a certain amount of inconsistency is natural. For the PC basketball squad, it was the name of the game this week. The Friars combined their worst performance of the year with their best effort in back to back games.

The last outstanding game by the Friars (and for that matter, the last win by PC game after Dave Casey, the Friars had suffered two thoroughbreds in the Sugar Bowl Classic. That game was against Villanova in Philadelphia. A contest the Friars were not supposed to win, but they did.

On Saturday, PC was a five and a half point underdog against the University of Connecticut, but the Huskies surprised the Friars with a 64-63 decision. Connecticut had Friars surprised the Huskies with a half point underdog against the Rams. But then things changed.

The Friars went cold, Rhody got hot, and the next thing anyone knew, it was a 33-32 deficit. After that, it was no longer a question of who would win, but rather by how much the Rams would run up the score. Much to the delight of the UHI fans, Jack Kraft left his starters in the lineup most of the way, and handed the PC its worst loss in 22 years.

Saturday was a different story, and a much more pleasant one for Friar Fans.

PC put together one of their finest defensive performances of the season as they shut out 64 percent of freshners' three-pointers, forcing a turnover rate down to a total of 19.

It wasn't an easy win, though.

The herky built up a 10-point lead late in the final half and maintained a five-point margin for most of the second stanza before the Friars managed to cut into their lead. With 6:47 to go, Rich Hanners' two free throws gave PC the lead. They built it up to a five-point margin. But just as fast as they did that, the huskies cut it back down again and took the lead with two and one-half minutes remaining.

A little over a minute later, though, Bill Fields put PC ahead, but the Friars were unable to hold on. Despite the fact that Gavitt set up a special defense to handle Cornellian Thompson, the freshman star led all scorers with 23 points. On the other side of the field, Bill fields and Jerry Scott both went nine for 14 from the floor to share honors for the Friars with 18 points apiece.

On the schedule for the Friars in the next three days will be a road trip to upstate New York for weekend matches with Canisius and Niagara. They'll be pivotal matches for the Friars as PC fights their way back toward the .500 level.

Lady Friars upset WRams

By Mike David

Moving into the testing phase of regional play, the Lady Friar hoopers sandwiched two victories around an upset defeat to strengthen their hold on a post-season playoff position.

On an evening when Providence College was totally outclassed by the WRams of URI, their counterparts the Lady Friars, dumped the WRams to gain a measure of revenge. The Rams and Black started off slowly, falling behind 16-14 midway through the first quarter. Williams were getting the breaks when they needed them, according to the rebounding battle, a factor that would tell before the game was over.

Behind the floor generosity of Lynn Sheedy and the consistently hot hand of Linda Wage, Providence College took over. Sheedy tabbed eight straight points to give the Lady Friars a lead (38-36) that would never be relinquished.

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