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House Speaker O'Neill will be Commencement orator

Thomas P. "Tip" O'Neill, Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives, will be the Commencement speaker at Providence College's 61st annual graduation exercises. The announcement was made Friday, March 16, by President Thomas R. Peterson, O.P. "We're very pleased," Father Peterson remarked. "He's obviously a nationally prominent person with a message to convey. The problem initially was with his schedule, but I'm confident that has been worked out."

A Commencement Committee Chaired by Natalie Seigle of the business department was formed by Father Peterson in early September. The 10-member committee included representation from faculty, administration, students and alumni. Action was initiated as early as September to secure a Commencement speaker.

Originally 40 potential speakers were considered in October. That list was pared down to 12 in January. From that group a first choice list of three possible speakers was arrived at, followed by an alternate group of three. O'Neill's name was first on the alternate list.

"Speaking for the committee, I'm absolutely delighted," enthused Seigle. "It's been a very rewarding experience working with so many fine people. The job required a lot of patience but on the whole it was a very pleasant experience. Everyone's been marvelous. I think it was Mr. Brum (Joseph Brum, director of alumni affairs) who proposed House Speaker O'Neill."

The Commencement committee, after a nominating and voting process, makes a decision on who the Commencement speaker should be. They then



Outgoing president Vinnie Campion with president-elect Tom Corcoran and V.P.-elect Joe Doherty.

Cowl photo by Dan Lund

pass the decision to Father Peterson, who can either approve or reject the proposed speaker. From there, Father Peterson negotiates to find out if the proposed speaker is interested in speaking at graduation. Apparently the swinging influence in O'Neill's decision to accept an honorary degree at PC was the influence of Rhode Island Congressman Fernand St. Germain '48, chairman of the House Banking Committee. St. Germain first contacted O'Neill on PC's behalf.

Corcoran is new BOG president

By Joyce Simard

Three members of the Class of 1980 were elected last Thursday as officers of the Board of Governors. Tom Corcoran, an economics major from Branford, Conn., is president, while the vice presidency went to Joe Doherty, a native of Holbrook, Mass. Kevin Ross from Wilbraham, Mass., was elected treasurer.

Corcoran cited getting the new Naval established as his main objective. "We hope to clear up this situation and provide good

entertainment four or five nights a week in the new Naval."

Corcoran further stated that "the Board made great progress this year under Vinnie Campion. We have a good Board and many people will be returning. I look forward to meeting the challenge of making this a great year."

Doherty has "great hopes for the future." He went on to say that the new officers will work hard to continue the previous success of the BOG.

Ross was unavailable for comment.

Four juniors, two sophomores seek Corporation posts

By Lori Evangelos

Elections for the junior and senior student representatives to the Providence College Corporation will be held Friday, March 23. Nominations for the Corporation, the governing board of the College, were held over the past week.

Currently in the running for the position of senior member are Mitch Bernet, Nancy Clynes, Brian Moran and incumbent John Piro. All are business management majors except Bernet, who is a marketing major. Two candidates are contending for the post of junior representative: Tom Brennan, an economics major, and Steve Sylvia, an accounting major.

The Corporation is like a "board of trustees," says Sue Martins, the present senior member. It is comprised of

Dominicans, alumni, two students (a senior and junior member), two faculty members, and various influential people of the community. The Corporation chairman is Dominican provincial Rev. Charles T. Quinn.

This past year the major issues were the field house and the joint law school as well as the annual evaluation of the budget. Also, this year the Corporation approved of the proposal and recommendation for the formation of a planning committee on the recreational facility.

Congress update:

Colonel's Corner available again

Eileen Connor, chairperson of the Student Congress lifestyles committee, announced at last Sunday's meeting that reservations are once again being taken for use of the Colonel's Corner in the basement of Raymond Hall. Certain guidelines have been set regarding the use of this facility. Colonel's Corner will now be operated by the resident assistants, who will in turn be employed and paid by the Residence Office. Events will be booked on weekends only, with the room being open from 9 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Private parties would be limited to a maximum of 50 people, using two kegs. Campus groups listed in the Student Handbook may hold an event with no more than 160 people and six kegs. Finally, events conducted for fund-raising purposes will be prohibited.

The academic research committee, chaired by Jim O'Connor, is researching the possibility of establishing a hotel

24-hour visitation?

By Maureen O'Hare

A referendum formulated by the Student Congress concerning 24-hour visitation on weekends will be available for student vote tomorrow, March 22, in Slavin Center and Raymond Cafeteria. The referendum is designed to gauge student opinion regarding changing weekend visitation from the present hours, Friday and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 a.m., and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 12 midnight, to 10 a.m. Friday until 12 midnight on Sunday.

"We're not taking a stand, pro or con, on this right now," commented Congress president Kerry Rafanelli. "We just want

to determine how the students feel. The main determinant of future action on this will be student voter turnout. If we get a high percentage of positive responses, then we'll work from this."

Rev. Walter J. Heath, O.P., director of residence, stressed the importance of being aware of both the positive and negative aspects of 24-hour visitation. He views the situation in terms of its costs vs. benefits. "The students would gain from a situation such as this, but at a cost," stated Father Heath. "The gain is sociability; however, the cost is the loss of personal privacy."

Father Heath cites several areas of concern which should be

considered if a situation such as this were implemented. "A dormitory with all-night visitation would be an unsupervised dormitory. The RA's duty hours cannot be extended," stated Father Heath, "so noise, wanderers, parties, etc., will go on with no immediate resolution from a resident assistant." This could result in general disturbance or interruption of sleep.

All dorms would be equally affected by such a plan, according to Father Heath. Security desks would be a requirement in male dorms in addition to female dorms. "Students and administrators agree that Friday to Sunday

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Cowl Photo by Jim Curas
Shannon DiFrancisco's eyes were smiling at Irish Night. Story and more photos on Page 6.

Students will have appreciation days

The PC Advisory Board unanimously voted Tuesday, March 13, to allow the Board of Governors to schedule a possible concert on Thursday, April 26. The Thursday date, as part of the Spring Weekend festivities, which had been scheduled as a Slavin Center event, was voted down 4-3 at a previous Advisory Board meeting. The Board stipulated that any concert cannot be promoted by BOG personnel.

Consequently the BOG is now trying to get a concert booked for April 26 in Alumni Hall. The chairman of the concert committee, L.J. Manning, is working with two booking agents, Don Law and the Banzini Brothers, for a concert date. "We've been given an alter-

native," stated Manning. "If anything is going to run that Thursday, it's going to be a concert. Right now, we're looking for a band. Hopefully we should know within two weeks whether or not we'll have one here."

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Senate approves Bill of Rights revision

By Celia Kettle

The academic affairs and faculty status committees of the Faculty Senate proposed several items of legislation for approval before the Senate at its last meeting.

The academic affairs committee had three bills on the floor to be voted on. The first item concerned a proposed change in a section of the Student Bill of Rights concerning the Academic Appeals Committee. The item in question is the last sentence of Replacement of Section II, B, which now reads, "The committee's recommendation will be forwarded with appropriate information to the vice president for academic affairs for action." The bill proposes the change to read "to the president of the College" in place of "to the vice president for academic affairs."

Dr. Arlene Jacquette, chairperson of the academic affairs committee, stated the change was necessary because the vice president for academic affairs is also a member of the Academic Appeals Committee; thus, it was not felt that it is appropriate to have a member also act on the recommendation. This bill was passed by the Senate.

The second item on the agenda dealt with the social science general degree requirement. The academic affairs committee believed the existing policy ap-

pears vague and is in need of clarification. The proposed policy would now read:

"Students will normally fulfill the six-credit requirements by electing two (2) introductory level survey courses, one each from the following areas: anthropology, economics, political science, psychology and sociology.

"Students may satisfy the requirement by electing two introductory survey courses (in a sequence) from one discipline noted above with the permission of his/her major department.

"In extraordinary cases, students may fulfill the requirement by electing one introductory survey course and one upper division course in the same field: the student must gain permission from both the dean and the concerned department or division."

After some discussion the bill was voted on and passed.

The next item introduced by the academic affairs committee was a request to the Senate that they disapprove changes in the curriculum of the business management program because these changes restrict the students' access to free electives. The management program originally had four free general elec-

tives. With the change there would only be a choice of two free general electives and one business elective.

Dr. Ronald Cerwonka, chairman of the business department, stated in defense of the change that it is necessary in order to give Providence College students the type of business background needed in order to compete in the job market after graduation.

After further discussion and deliberation the motion to reject the proposed change was defeated.

The last two items on the agenda were introduced by the faculty status committee. Dr. Richard Murphy, chairman of the committee, moved acceptance of two bills regarding faculty promotion and tenure. The first bill proposed that the academic vice president shall send for publication in the campus newspaper a list of faculty members who received promotion in the previous academic year and those who are eligible for promotion in the present academic year.

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Around the Campus

Stress

The Counseling Center and the Student Health Service are presenting a seminar dealing with stress on March 26 at 7:30 p.m. in '64 Hall. Relaxation techniques and biofeedback equipment will be demonstrated. All are welcome, and refreshments will be served.

Money

The finance committee of Student Congress has additional funds available for recognized campus clubs and organizations. For additional information see Mike Welch in the Student Congress Office.

Jim Plunkett

Why drive to Gulliver's for this Monday's Jim Plunkett

show? Take the bus that will leave Slavin at 8 p.m. The cost will be \$1.00 and that will include transportation both ways and refreshments on the way over. Sign up in lower Slavin this week. Sponsored by the Class of '81.

Bands Battle

The Class of '82 presents another revolutionary idea: Battle of the Bands! It's a Red Sox vs. Yankees night! Saturday night, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m. The nine innings start at 11 p.m.

Commencement

Attention Seniors: Commencement Bids will be on sale beginning Tuesday, March 27, from 10-3 in Slavin Pit.

Cerwonka speaks on business dept.'s future

A task force formed by members of Phyllis Roark's Business Communications class, sponsored a seminar on Monday to discuss the future of the business department here at PC. Dr. Ronald Cerwonka, chairman of the department, was the principle speaker. He cited rapid growth and communications with students as major concerns.

"Presently, there are approximately 1100 business majors here, and our biggest problem is communicating with each and every one of these," stated Cerwonka in his opening remarks. He later outlined several new plans to help in this process. A mandatory advisory system for incoming freshmen will begin in September along with a volun-

tary one for upperclassmen. The business department is also planning a newspaper to further facilitate communication with the students.

The full semester will bring changes to the management and marketing curricula. These changes will be announced in the next two or three weeks, in time for registration. Regarding upperclassmen and possible difficulty in scheduling, Cerwonka explained, "Changes in the curriculum can be worked out, and we would like you to follow it if possible. Something will be able to be worked out."

The business department will be moving its headquarters to Lower Campus next semester. "We are ready to move as soon as

maintenance is finished. Possibly by the end of May," the chairman remarked, "there will be offices and eight classrooms in the building known as Kouffler."

Cerwonka was somewhat hesitant on questions proposed by students, especially on the possibility of students serving on the rank and tenure committee.

The seminar was organizing as a class project. Steve Pagliarini, manager of the task force, recalled, "I proposed this to the class, they became excited; so because of the large interest we went ahead with it."

A day trip to Boston's fabulous Quincy Market is planned for Saturday, March 31, by Mrs. Seigle's retail management class. Round trip bus fare is \$4. The bus will leave Harkins Hall at 9 a.m. and return at 5 p.m. There are still a few places left on the bus. To reserve a place, contact Mrs. Seigle at 2232 or sign up in the business department office.

Body shop:

Inflamed sinuses?

Nasal congestion and discharge are usually present but not necessarily. The person feels generally miserable quite apart from pain. Fever, if present at all, is usually mild.

The treatment is bed rest and the establishment of free drainage of the sinuses. This usually can be accomplished by nose drops or sprays. The use of penicillin usually speeds recovery and definitely diminishes the chance of complications. An antihistamine may

be also beneficial.

Sinusitis is an inflammation of the sinuses. It may be localized to one sinus or may involve several. The most prominent symptom of acute sinusitis is pain, the location of which is diagnostically important. In frontal sinusitis, the person complains of a front headache; in ethmoidal sinusitis, the pain is usually in or about the eyes; in maxillary sinusitis, pain is lateral to the nose and sometimes is accompanied by aching of the upper teeth.

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Living out the Good News:

Spiritual cleansing

By Rev. T.U. Mullaney, O.P.

(Note: This week's commentary deals with the Gospel for the third Sunday of Lent, John 2:13-25.)

The meaning of this Sunday's Gospel—an account of Christ's cleansing the Temple—emerges only in the light of the context in which the inspired text presents it.

The background, or context, is that—however unobtrusively—the focal point of all the hope of the People of God is realized: the Messiah has come. St. John's Gospel recounts first that the herald of the Messiah (John the Baptist) once he saw Jesus, immediately, by divine enlightenment, recognized and proclaimed him: "Look—there is the Lamb of God that takes away the sin of the world....I am witness that he is the Chosen One (or the Son) of God." (Jn. 1:29,34) At once two of John's disciples, with a few other devout men, join Christ. But secondly, a few days later, at his mother's request, Jesus works his first miracle. "He let his glory be seen, and his disciples believed in him." (Jn. 2:12) The Saviour is among God's people; his saving work has already begun; the fulfillment of God's age-old promise is at hand.

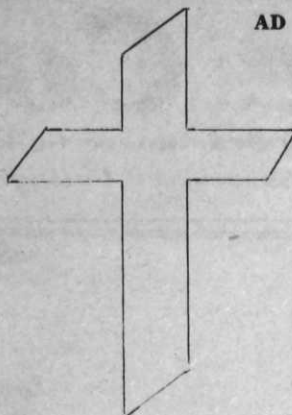
There, at once in John's Gospel, it is Passover time, the first Passover of the Lord's public life. With his followers Jesus goes to

Jerusalem to celebrate the feast: The Messiah is about to enter his Temple, God's dwelling place on earth.

Entering the Temple area he finds a noisy, cluttered uproar. The Temple courtyard is a marketplace alive with cattle, sheep, even birds, all for sale; and alive, too, with human bargaining and profiteering. Quickly, authoritatively, "The Chosen One of God" expels merchants and money changers, and drives out the slower moving animals.

Challenged by Temple authorities to show some "sign to justify what you have done" (Jn. 2:18), the Lord foretells his definitive sign: "Destroy this sanctuary and in three days I will raise it up....But he was speaking of the sanctuary that was his body." (Jn. 2:19, 21)

Christ's purifying his Father's Temple is addressed to the whole Church, and to each individual Christian. In the fullest conceivable sense Christ's body, that is his human nature, is God's dwelling, because in that human nature the eternal Son of God subsists. Christ is God-among-us; in his body is verified a divine Presence so intimately close to us that no prophet of old had foreseen or foretold it. Jesus is the Temple of the New Law: he is, hypostatically, God-with-us. So the Temple of the Old Law must be cleansed by the New: everything unfitting to God's true, real



Presence must be expelled. The Lord's action is both fact and symbol.

But we have been sacramentally united to Christ by his Spirit, made sharers of his life: "You are the body of Christ." (1 Cor. 12:2) We are parts of the Temple that is Christ, parts of him, the Holy of Holies, who is God's dwelling place.

It follows that in the measure that there is in me, in any of us, a noisy, cluttered uproar; in the measure that in me, in any of us, the wares of the world clamorously entice, and the Presence of God is unperceived in the din of our animality; it is we who are defiling the Temple of God, we who must submit to Christ's swift and strong cleansing of his Father's dwelling.

A sure way to determine my own role as part of God's living Temple is to ask myself with blunt honesty: Do I really know, and struggle to live, the truth that God dwells in me? In the quiet of my own prayer to God, do I wordlessly hear God speaking to me? Do I hear him—and answer him, in the silence and the hush of being alone with him?

To such questions only I can answer. On the answer depends my very self, in God.

Nader on asbestos

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the environment be cleaned up will become more insistent. It will not be easy. The dangers of asbestos were known since the early 1900s, but industry resisted attempts to set standards until the 1970s. And today, the standards are still inadequate.

Although costly, it is relatively easy to eliminate the asbestos hazard by covering exposed pipes and asbestos-sprayed plenum areas with sealant. Periodic checkups against deterioration assure that the problem won't recur. But most schools have not acted.

Faculty Senate

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year. Murphy's committee feels that this is important as a matter of information to the campus. Dr. Paul van K. Thomson indicated feelings that this would be an unfair measure to the individuals concerned. The motion was defeated.

The second bill, composed along the same vein as the first, proposed that the academic vice president should send for publication in the campus newspaper a list of those eligible for tenure in the current academic year and a list of those who received a letter of intent in the previous academic year. This bill was passed.

In other items of business, Dr. Mark Rerick of the Committee on Administration reported that with next year's tuition and room and board increases the College will have an expected surplus of \$225,000.

There are several things that you can do to determine whether there is an asbestos danger at your school.

1. Ask your school's maintenance staff if they are aware of an asbestos problem.

2. Make a preliminary inspection of school buildings for visible deterioration of pipes and acoustical tiles. Buildings most likely to have been sprayed with asbestos materials were built within the last 25-30 years.

3. Check your school's building and maintenance records to determine the type of fireproofing and insulation materials used. In the case of a public institution, the records can be obtained through a freedom of information request. Contact your regional office of EPA for help if you are unsure how to interpret the records.

4. If school administrators are uncooperative, take the issue to other students and the community at large.

5. If direct observation or documentation reveals the presence of asbestos, demand professional testing of content and ambient air quality as some schools have done. Make public the results so that corrective action can be taken.

For more information on asbestos-related hazards, you may order *Asbestos Contamination in the Schools* by Gaylord Bourne for \$2.00. Make checks payable to the Disability Rights Center, PO Box 19312, Washington, D.C. 20036. In addition, you can contact the New York PIRG Asbestos Alert Task Force at 5 Beekman St., New York, N.Y. 10038, 212-349-6460.

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Referendum Thursday:

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For a number of years Providence College's residence program and policies have been the object of intense student concern. This year as in previous years with ID policies and the Dore Hall decision, there is an attempt to focus student opinion on one particular aspect of PC's on-campus housing situation: visitation hours. Student Congress has a referendum underway to establish what student support a revision of the current visitation hours framework would have.

In short, the referendum will act as a barometer for student opinion concerning a possible extension of weekend visitation hours. The referendum will attempt to gauge student support for extending visitation hours from Friday at 10 a.m. through midnight Sunday. For all intents and purposes, the referendum deals with 24-hour visitation on the weekends.

Voting on this referendum takes place Thursday in Slavin Center and at dinnertime in Raymond Cafeteria. The Cowl feels that everybody the least bit concerned with the visitation policy at PC should vote in this referendum. It is vitally important for Student Congress to be aware of sentiment on visitation hours, either for or against. A good voter

turnout is necessary. If the indication is that the student populace at Providence would like to see the visitation policy amended, then Student Congress can take the necessary steps toward setting up a dialogue between the residence life committee and Congress. If a substantial amount of the student voters feel that the visitation set-up is fine as it is, then Student Congress can go on to other matters.

The only thing that could make the referendum absolutely ineffective would be a small percentage of students turning out to vote. If that occurs, the original problem of gauging student interest in visitation policy will still exist. The visitation question is one that effects the whole College, but will most profoundly change the on-campus situation. The implications of such a change could alter the privacy and study atmospheres of the dormitories.

In sum, students should think long and hard about the ramifications of a "yes" or a "no" vote in the upcoming referendum. Still, we urge the students to exercise this opportunity to make a statement to their Student Congress. Congress seems willing and prepared to take the necessary steps



Social security report

Social security student beneficiaries were warned today that their monthly checks will stop if they don't complete and return a required school enrollment report.

Thomas F. Fenton, social security district manager in Providence, said reporting forms are being mailed to the more than 850,000 students 18 to 22 whose

monthly social security checks currently total \$1.7 billion a year.

"This spring, for the first time, school officials are being asked to verify on the form that the student is enrolled on a full-time basis," Fenton said.

"If a student fails to return the form, or the form comes back without the necessary school certification, the student's monthly

checks will be stopped."

Fenton said students will have 60 days to complete and return the reporting form. If a student does not return the form, or fails to have the school verify enrollment as required, social security checks will be suspended and the student's eligibility for previous payments will be investigated.

guarded and represented to the administration. I perceive my job as staying informed on student feelings and insuring that their views are represented."

The Committee on Administration is concerned with making all short-term decisions of the College. "I hope to carry on the progress started by this committee two years ago by Fred Mason and continued by Jim O'Donnell." According to Goudie, Mason and O'Donnell set certain guidelines, and "I plan to carry the torch they have passed down by working closely with Congress in keeping the students informed."



Goudie

Goudie selected for Committee on Administration

Bob Goudie, member of the Class of 1980, has been selected as the student representative to the Committee on Administration. A political science major from Petersham, Mass., Goudie was chosen from a field of 10 other candidates. Kerry Rafanelli and Sue Berg, president and vice president respectively of Student Congress, along with Jim

O'Donnell, former COA student representative, conducted preliminary interviews for the post. Several names were then presented to Father Peterson, who made the final decision.

"I'd like to thank the selection committee for instilling in me their confidence," Goudie enthused. "I plan to make certain that student interests are safe-

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The deadly dust: Asbestos

By Ralph Nader



The dorm room where you spend nearly half the day, the library where you study and the dining hall where you eat may

contain a powerful cancer causing agent, asbestos. Active, exposed asbestos has been discovered in the ventilation and pipe systems on campuses from Yale to UCLA. At least 16 buildings at the University of Maryland and 45 buildings on CUNY and SUNY campuses in New York are affected. Across the country, the number could total in the thousands.

The danger is real. The National Cancer Institute estimates that 17 percent of all environmentally induced cancers are caused by asbestos. When even a few microscopic fibers of this virtually indestructible substance settle in the lungs, an incurable cancer named mesothelioma may result. An individual feels no immediate ill effects when first exposed to asbestos. Signs of exposure appear only after a 20-40 year latency period, and then it is too late to act.

Asbestos was sprayed in buildings as fireproofing from 1958 until 1973, when the Environmental Protection Agency banned its use for this purpose. In particular, asbestos was used in fireproofing in the plenum, the open space between the steel deck of a building's upper floor and the false ceiling of the floor immediately below. In order to save money, architects placed the building's ventilation system in the plenum. Herein lies the problem. When the asbestos-sprayed plenum is damaged through wear and tear and other means, dangerous asbestos fibers are circulated again and again through the ventilation system. More than one-half of all multi-story buildings built in 1970 employed this construction method. Buildings affected include such landmarks as New York City's Madison Square Garden and the Chase Manhattan Bank. The problem remains uncorrected.

Another hazard comes from exposed pipes insulated with asbestos. These soft pipes flake and deteriorate easily. Microscopic asbestos fibers break from their binding and float freely and invisibly into the air we breathe.

This month, the Environmental Protection Agency will send a lengthy two-part report to every

school district in the country detailing how to remove asbestos from all classrooms. The EPA has set the "safe" level of asbestos at 2 fibers per cubic centimeter of air over the course of an eight-hour day. This is four times higher than the "safe" level proposed by the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health. It is not known whether any level is "safe." Moreover, scientists are unable to measure, and therefore count, fibers which are shorter than 5 microns. Yet of all asbestos fibers, these minuscule ones are the most biologically active and find their way most easily into the lungs.

Unfortunately, asbestos is only one of the many environmental causes of cancer, which may be the most serious health problem facing your generation. It is estimated that 53 million Americans living today will eventually die of cancer. The great majority of these deaths will be environmentally induced and could be prevented. And this rate is likely to increase.

Because carcinogens have been found in the air we breathe, the food we eat, and other materials we come in contact with daily, some people think that there is nothing we can do. They are told that almost anything can probably cause cancer, if taken in large enough doses, and therefore regulating some substances is useless. Some corporations are subtly promoting this. Monsanto, for example, is spending \$7 million to tell us that, "Without chemicals, life itself would be impossible" and "Nature is chemical." But the campaign ignores the mounting evidence that certain chemicals pose dangers which were ignored or inadequately analyzed in the past.

According to experts at the National Cancer Institute, only a few chemicals are carcinogenic—probably less than 10 percent of the 30,000 most commonly used chemicals. In order to prevent unnecessary deaths, we must test chemical substances thoroughly in order to identify and develop substitutes for dangerous products. It is unfortunate that Monsanto doesn't serve the public interest by spending \$7 million on safety tests instead of pithy television messages.

Controlling the corporate causes of cancer will be a major issue in the 1980s. As the evidence increases, and as people realize the hazards to themselves and to their children, the demand that

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Letters

Theater proposal

Dear Editor,

I am writing to express my opinion about the proposed theater facility for the new recreational center. It is essential that all involved in and-or influenced by the decision of this issue be fully aware of its implications for the future development of college life at PC.

My concern first stems from the popular consensus that "recreational center" is synonymous with "field house". Who says that recreation consists only of sporting activities? Many students enjoy a greater variety of pursuits which up to the present time have lacked proper facilities. These include plays, movies, concerts (PC band and chorus as well as outside performers), poetry readings and lectures—to name just a few. However, it seems that when the recreational center committee was formed, it had already decided where its interests lie, as no one who sponsors these non-sporting activities was involved.

The theater arts program is just one of the groups which has settled for makeshift facilities for too long. Sets, props, costumes—everything—must be carted back and forth between the Lower Campus and Harkins Auditorium. During the show, performers often must walk around the building outside to get backstage. Often the hall is not large enough to accommodate weekend crowds, discouraging prospective theater-goers. And even when one can manage to procure one of those nifty folding chairs, the acoustics are impossible. After the show closes, these problems do not end as there is often pressure to move out and make room for the sale of books. In spite of all this, this group of highly motivated individuals has managed to put on four productions every year!

In comparison, the College already has a wide range of inter-collegiate and intramural sports facilities for both males and females, not to mention three bar-type facilities. It is high time that those in authority over such campus planning recognize the need to make alternatives avail-

able to those students who may prefer not to be jocks or weekend drunks. Such activities may be good when put in proper perspective, but until now have formed the mainstay of PC social life.

The proposed theater facility has the potential to broaden and improve activities which until now have received only cursory attention. Students would be motivated to cultivate new interests and share these with not only the College itself but the community as well. The result: The evolution of a more well-rounded college and more well-rounded adults.

I sincerely hope that Father Peterson and the recreational center board will break the vicious circle of narrowmindedness which often makes PC a country club instead of a true institution for wider growth and change.

Sincerely,
Patricia Manchester '79

WDOM thanks students

Dear Editor,

Last week, WDOM administered a music survey in both Raymond Cafeteria and Alumni Caf. The purpose of this venture was to obtain feedback on the music tastes of the student body here at Providence College.

Due to the tremendous cooperation we received from the students, our effort was very successful. We received close to 1,000 forms back and are presently compiling the results.

On behalf of the staff of WDOM, I would like to thank the PC student body for their assistance. The time and care they took in filling out our questionnaire indicates a great interest in the station and its programming and it will help us better serve the PC community.

Sincerely,
John Mullaney
General Manager
WDOM-FM

Forum for Ideas

By Kerry Rafanelli

Tomorrow, Thursday, March 22, the Student Congress will be running a referendum concerning student feeling on 24-hour visitation on weekends. This referendum will serve as a tool to the Congress in determining whether or not to pursue this issue. The key in this determination will not only be voter approval or rejection, but also voter turnout. It is absolutely necessary for all to get out and vote. A poor voter turnout will lead us only to believe that student interest does not exist and thus Congress will have little to work with.

A referendum can only be so long, and so on the referendum

we are unable to list all implications a change to 24-hour visitation on weekends might involve. When you vote to approve or reject, please remember that there will be certain changes if a change to 24-hour visitation on weekends was made.

My main plea at this point in time is that students get out and vote. Without your display of interest it is virtually impossible for us to act. There will be people for and against this proposal. This is what we want to know. As we stand right now, we don't know just what student opinion is on the issue. With your help—through voting on Thursday—we will be able to determine the future course of action this issue will see in Student Congress.

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(The regularly scheduled 10:30 confessions have been moved ahead one half-hour due to the added 10:30 p.m. Mass. during Lent.)

Features

Providence College Neurotic Institute

By David Amaral

Depression, paranoia, nausea, and nail biting are problems suddenly confronting PC students as a direct result of the \$200 tuition hike, the \$250 room and board increase, and the abrupt curtailment of Spring Weekend.

To deal with this situation, a special Providence College Institute for Neurotics and Loonies has formed under the direction of Dr. Edwardo Peull.

"Traditionally, students could deal with the psychological pressures of a price hike," Dr. Peull explained. "As sure as spring-time they knew that a \$200 increase would be there; it's come to be a respected yearly tradition at the College. Students accepted this grim fact because they still had one thing to look forward to, namely, getting blown out during Spring Week. Take that away and the student loses his grip on reality and eventually the whole basis to his existence."

At the Institute, Dr. Peull explained how he nurses students out of their neurotic conditions.

"I appeal to their common reason about the necessity of the price increase," the Doctor said. "I ask them to look at the high costs of maintaining a college community. There's the excellent

gourmet meals of the cafeteria, the high quality dormitory housing with exquisite decor and no overcrowding, the library being kept open to all hours for a single enlightened student to use, the sports teams: equipment and travel, the maintenance, security, janitors, administrators; the inflation is endless."

"But what about the pure cost of education itself?"

"Education, my boy, can not be tagged with a price. What is important, though, is the money that goes toward student organizations such as your newspaper or this BOG Spring Week, giving students a well-rounded educational atmosphere."

"But Spring Week was cancelled! I said."

"Oh no, no; I am afraid that was a mistaken rumor that circulated. In fact, the Advisory Board never cancelled Spring Week or Spring Weekend, but merely spring season."

"The spring season?"
"That's right; March through June wiped right off the calendar. You see, they found that warm spring weather has an adverse effect on the grey matter of the brain, causing it to shift, expand, and often malfunction, resulting in toxic odors that bring about poorer classroom performance. So you see, they had no other choice than to remove spring from its usual time slot and place it at a more suitable time of the year. They'll probably squeeze most of it in over the Christmas vacation and divide the rest of it amongst themselves."

Given this psychologically encouraging information, the troubled mind is able to get a grip on life with only the aid of a mild sedative, usually beer, but in serious cases, straight shots of whiskey. Although the neurotic may never again lead a normal life, it will at least be a happy one.

Irish Night: for the Irish in everyone

In honor of the little bit of Irish in everyone, the Board of Governors presented the Providence College studentry with Irish Night, on Friday, March 16, in the entire Slavin Center.

Jim Brady, an Irish group, began playing music early in the afternoon on Friday, in lower level Slavin, to create the mood for the night to follow, and later moved to '64 Hall when the festivities began in full swing. Alumni Caf houses the Shay O'Healy band, and Elaine Silverman, a vocalist, sang ballads in the Rathskellar. Irish coffee, corned beef sandwiches, and Harp and Guinness Stout beers were served.

The turnout was good and the night ran smoothly. Irish Night was thus another positive element in the programming of the Board of Governors.



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Bugliosi: Manson returns

by Kathy Hansen

Vincent Bugliosi, the chief prosecuting attorney in the Charles Manson trial and author of best-selling *Helter Skelter*, spoke before a packed '64 Hall, last Tuesday night, March 13. Despite Bugliosi's bout with laryngitis, the lecture was interesting, informative and well received — a high success. Sponsored by the Board of Governors, the lecture was made possible by the efforts of Bob Goudie '80, lecture committee chairperson.

Bugliosi began the lecture by citing the cause of interest still found in the murders — the fact that everything about the murders, the trial and what lead up to it, was bizarre. The composition of Manson's followers called the "family", the twisted interpretation of the Bible, and Manson's belief that the Beatles were



Cowl Photo by Jim Curas

speaking to him through their lyrics were indeed peculiar. Famous killers preceding Manson had been of low intellect and had committed the murders by themselves. Manson was different. He was fairly bright — a genius

at manipulation — and had others murder for him.

How did Manson, a man of such small stature (5'2"), a man who refused to step on a blade of grass, a man who adored ani-

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Manson

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mais, gain a control so complete over his followers that they would willingly murder for him? How could they think of him as Christ? "Manson had the raw material to work with," Bugliosi explained, and described that raw material as being the chaotic time period of the late '60's, the fact that people tend to seek their own kind, and Manson's own magnetic personality. "An evil and sophisticated con man, he had the inherent ability to dominate his fellow humans. Manson used conventional techniques...sexual perversion to break down pride and create a strong mosaic of guilt, drugs to aid in the removal of long standing convictions, and daily sermonizing. Manson controlled every activity of the family. For example, during the sex orgies, Manson was maestro. No one moved unless they were told to. This was a powerful aspect." Bugliosi pointed out that although the majority of young people exposed to Manson followed him, most left after a short period of time. There were no stipulations put on the "family". You could leave anytime.

"During the preaching, no one would talk unless Manson talked first. You push long enough, and they'll believe. He fed his followers a steady diet of perverse philosophy," stressed Bugliosi. The grisly paradox was undeniable. Manson preached love and practiced murder.

The trial of Charles Manson and his "family", tried and convicted of the Tate-LaBianca slayings, was the longest USA murder trial to that date, lasting 9½ months. Bugliosi cited some of the peculiar occurrences of the trial. Manson tried to attack the judge with a sharp pencil, thus the judge came to court armed for the duration of the trial. Ronald Hughes, Manson's defense attorney, disappeared while preparing his summation.

His body was later found in a decomposed state. Members of the "family" kept constant vigil outside the courthouse during the time of the trial, emulated what Manson did in court, and swore that the trial was the second crucifixion of Christ.

Bugliosi lent the lecture to a question and answer period, which lasted for over an hour. During this time Bugliosi discussed the possibility of parole in the future for Manson which was cited as being slim, the connection between the Beatles songs and the murders.

Bugliosi concluded with his expression of justice in America. "We show how much we value something by the steps we take to preserve it. If justice means anything in America, I don't think that those people (those persecuted in the Manson trial) should be able to walk out of jail, just by saying they're sorry, I'm not a rigid, inflexible supporter of the death penalty, but it has its place if it is enforced. Perhaps the life sentence without parole could be almost as effective."

Krasner science program

A National Science Foundation (NSF) program for high school students will be conducted at Providence College this summer for the fifth consecutive year. The six week Student Science Training program provides 28 gifted secondary school students with a unique learning opportunity in close association with teachers and professional environmentalists.

Applications for the NSF funded program which will run from June 18 to July 27, are

available at all public and private high schools in Rhode Island, Southeastern Mass., and nearby Connecticut.

In announcing the program in Environmental Biology and Biological Computer Simulation, Dr. Robert I. Krasner, the project's founder and director, noted that participants will increase their awareness of "the ecological theme that man and his environment are inextricably linked." He added that the Providence College program is one of 118 projects being sponsored by the NSF in 42 states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico.

Students will attend lecture-discussions and field trips, in addition to conducting laboratory work in the biology and computer laboratories. They will learn the BASIC programming language and use the computer as a tool for the simulation of biological systems. During the final phase, three days will be spent full-time at an "on the job" site, such as the Air Pollution Laboratory at the Rhode Island State Health Department and the Rhode Island State Department of Environmental Management, among other opportunities.

The total cost for a student will be approximately \$20. The main criteria for selection will be ability and motivation without regard to financial ability.

The Grotto

By Tony Decresenzo

It was initially a dream of Father Charles H. McKenna, a former chaplain of Providence College. His dream materialized into a shrine of flagstone and fieldstone - the largest shrine of its kind in the country at the time of construction, and possibly still is today. It was on Sunday, May 9, 1948 that PC's student body and faculty, along with 10,000 others, celebrated the dedication of what is known as the Grotto.

Father McKenna envisioned the Grotto for the purpose of

commemorating the 68 PC men who died in World War II. The shrine was originally referred to as the Providence College War Memorial Grotto. A bronze plaque is mounted on each side of the memorial stone, with the names of the war heroes encribed.

The memorial was dedicated as a shrine to Our Lady of the Rosary, exemplified by the two statues located in the niche in the top of the monument. The statues of St. Dominic, the patron saint of the Dominican order, and of the Blessed Virgin were carved out of Carrara marble in Italy, and exemplify the presentation of the rosary.

The entire construction of the Grotto was estimated at \$150,000. It was constructed and dedicated while Father Slavin was the president of the College. The project was financed independent from the College, through fund raising events.

This dream of a man at PC not only became a physical imprint on the campus grounds, but also provides an everlasting impression of sentimentality for those who have been part of the PC community. For this contribution to our memories of PC, thank you, Father McKenna.

Visitation referendum

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visitations would have to be structured around the deposit of an ID at the security desk," Father Heath said. "This feature of identifying the guest with the hostess was received unfavorably in the fall of 1977. Now close security of all 10 dorms will be necessary."

"Freshman and sophomores should voluntarily surround themselves with the highest index of privacy, quiet and regularity of study, eating and sleeping habits. Complicated problems exist now among roommates; this visitation plan would intensify these problems," commented Father Heath. "Which roommate wants to go to bed vs. which one wants to continue partying. The present problem eliminates that awkward problem."

These factors should be considered in voting on this issue. Rafanelli stressed the importance of students "getting out to vote. We're trying to do our job as representatives of the students."

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Sports



Tom Palamara, who suffered through some lean years with the Lady Hockey Friars, including an 0-8 first season, enjoyed a fruitful year this season, finishing with a 16-3-1 mark.

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Women's teams create mixed reviews

In the beginning, there was Tom Palamara. Or was it the Providence College women's hockey program? Either way, things didn't look too good for PC women's hockey. After their first season, all the Black and White had to show for their efforts was an unimpressive 0-8 record. Times sure have changed! Thanks to a season-ending 11 game winning streak, the Lady Friars just completed their most successful year to date with a 16-3-1 ledger.

"It was a total team effort," comments coach Palamara. "As the season went on, our confidence grew. Even in games we were way ahead in, we continued to work hard. It was a great team to be associated with."

At one point in the campaign, things looked a little bleak for Providence. After back-to-back losses to New Hampshire (8-1) and Colby College (3-1), the PC record stood at 5-3-1. Then the Lady Friars caught fire. With wins over Pennsylvania and Princeton on the team's first road trip ever, Palamara's forces were back on the right track.

After disposing of arch rival Boston College in the season finale, the Black and White got ready for the Cornell Women's Hockey Invitational. Riding the brilliant goaltending of senior Cindy Mellon, PC won the tourney by defeating Cornell 7-2 and Colby 5-2.

"We played terrific," remembers Palamara. "We proved how good we were. I think we surprised some people. Going into the tourney anyone had a chance. We showed that we deserve to be recognized as one of the top teams in the country."

Meanwhile, on the hardwood side of the coin, the Lady Friars experienced an up and down season. Although the Black and

White finished the campaign with a 21-9 ledger, it was a season that might be considered a disappointment.

The season had a number of high points but unfortunately a number of low points also.

High points. A convincing nine-point victory over the University of Rhode Island at the Civic Center. A mid-season surge which saw the Lady Friars record leap from 9-5 to 18-5, including big wins over the University of Massachusetts, 72-68, and the University of New Hampshire, 76-62. And finally, a post-season bid to the AIAW regional tournament for the third consecutive year.

Low points. A three-point loss in the Brown Invitational to those same WRams, which saw Providence miss 19 free throws down the stretch and saw freshman sensation Madeline McCoy suffer a broken nose. An embarrassing 25-point loss at the hands of Joan Van Ness and her Southern Connecticut Owls that not only broke a nine game winning streak but also the spirit of the Lady Friars. They were to go on to lose four of their final seven contests.

And then, at Courtland State, perhaps the loss that epitomizes PC's season. Trailing for most of the season half to a tough Fordham squad in the regionals, Lynn Shedy pumped in a 25-foot bomb that seemed to assure a one-point Providence win.

However, Fordham's Annette Kennedy countered with a bomb of her own that burst the Lady Friar's dream of a regional championship. Fordham went on to win the crown.

PC loses two of their most identifiable players to graduation. Mary Casey leaves as PC's second all-time rebounder while Mel Buchanan departs holding the school's all-time scoring record.

PC hockey

Season-ending surge ends in disappointing loss to Cornell

By Bob Walsh

A slapshot from the point whistles through a scramble of players in front of the goal. A red light flashes, signaling not only the end of the game, but for one end of a hard-fought season.

On Tuesday, March 6, Providence was eliminated from the ECAC playoffs by Cornell. The prospects for an ECAC championship were particularly bright for the Friars this season.

In the end, however, PC came up short. One goal short.

This is not meant to say that the Friars' season was without excitement. From Colgate to Cornell (with a few clinkers in between) the Black and White provided PC fans with perhaps some of the best sports section of the year.

The Black and White got off to a slow start and their ECAC record dropped to 4-6-0. Included in that stretch was a well played 3-2 loss to BU at Walter Brown Arena, as well as a 4-3 overtime victory over RPI at Schneider (Bruce Garber scored the winner after 18 seconds of overtime).

After this stretch was put behind them the Friars finished the season with a 9-3-2 record. The strong finish allowed the Friars to finish in sixth place and assured them a trip to their seventh post-season tournament in nine years.

The turnaround of the Friars had many contributing factors. Coach Lamoriello was quoted earlier in the season that he felt the second half Friars "we're concentrating more. We're playing more as a team."

Many individuals had a big hand in the team effort that carried the Friars down the stretch.

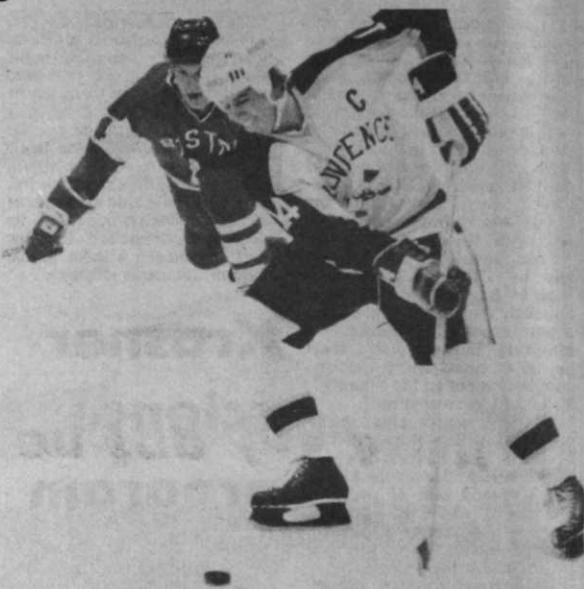
Netminder Bill Milner wrapped up a fine career with a good season, posting a 4.14 goals-against average. Coach Lamoriello readily acknowledges that Milner's heroics kept the Friars in many close games.

Milner holds practically every PC career goaltending record. These include: most games played, most minutes played, most saves, highest save percentage, and most career wins. Milner also started most consecutive games in goal, 48.

Tom Bauer was also instrumental in the Friar turnaround. In the last 15 games of the season Bauer scored 16 goals and 10 assists to finish the season 22-16-38. Ironman Bauer set a PC record by starting in 123 consecutive games over his four-year career.

Leading scorer Colin Ahern (20-32-52) also made a large contribution, particularly on the power play. Ahern and standout defenseman Jim Korn were elected to the ECAC's second all-star team this year.

Other seniors who have played their last game for the Friars are Bob Bonin and Randy Wilson. Wilson finished fourth in all-time Providence scoring with a 67-87-154 record.



Cowl Photo by Dan Lund

Senior captain Colin Ahern, shown here against Boston University, was a spark plug for the Friars all year. Ahern finished with over 50 points for the season.

Good health was an important factor in the Friars' second half success. Only Frank Johnson was out for an extended period, first for a foot injury and later on for a shoulder injury. Most other regulars missed only one or two games each.

Penalty killing was another strong point for the Friars this year. Although Bauer and Korn will graduate, Jeff Whisler and Dan Haskins will be back to take the duties next year.

A good candidate for "most promising freshman of the year"

is defenseman Jim Colucci. Colucci's cool at the point was indispensable on a sometimes shaky defensive staff.

What next year will bring for the Friars is a big question mark. They are losing firepower, big defensemen and a superb goaltender to graduation.

The Friars still have an adequate supply of talent. Coach Lamoriello is already hard at work preparing for next season. He may produce a few big surprises for Friar hockey fans.

5-on-5 open event

B-ball tourney on tap for April

Have you ever wanted to play a little hoop with a varsity basketball player? Did your intramural team drop out of the loser's bracket after one game? Can your best friend dunk with his eyes closed? If your answer to any of these questions is yes, then you're in luck. If you missed your glory in intramurals, maybe you've got a second chance in April. On April 25 the first annual outdoor basketball tournament will begin.

The tournament is modeled after the University of Notre Dame's highly successful "bookstore basketball" program. The PC tournament will be open to all PC students, and will be run from Wednesday, April 25 to Sunday, April 29. The rules are the same for men's and women's teams alike. Varsity basketball players are able to compete in this tournament.

1. All games are played to 21 with no substitutions.
2. The limit is one varsity player to a team (if you can get one).
3. Games are played rain or shine.
4. No game will exceed 45 minutes.
5. IDs are required for registration.

The winners of the four-day tournament will be flown free of

charge to the University of Notre Dame to participate in a game against Notre Dame's bookstore champion on May 4.

The tournament will be held on the courts next to Alumni Hall on four consecutive days beginning at four in the afternoon and running to 6:30 p.m. There will be a \$5.00 registration fee per team payable from April 2-6.

All schedules will be posted on the lower level of Slavin on April 10. The finals will be played on Sunday, April 29. All-star teams, an MVP of the tournament, and a dunking contest will be held during the tourney. This is jointly sponsored by The Cowl, the BOG, Student Congress and the Intramural Board. All are encouraged to either play or attend this tournament.

T-shirts will be sold every day of the tournament. Hopefully refreshments can be served over the course of the weekend. All students are asked to attend in order to make this a success for the students and the supporting college organizations. All are urged to help establish the tourney as a spring tradition here at PC.

So the time to recruit for your team is now. It's easy to sign up, easy to play, easy to win, so don't waste time. Team sign-ups are April 2-6 in the lower level of Slavin.



Coach Bill Doyle, shown here with son Alan, will lead his forces in this weekend's Connecticut Indoor Soccer Invitational tournament. See next week's Cowl for results.

