Lorraine Will Be Featured Vocalist At Only All College Formal Held On Campus This Year

Stan Moore and his ten-piece band, featuring Lorraine as vocalist, has been selected to play at the Friar Formal on Friday evening, December 10, in Harkins Hall.

After considering several bands, the committee decided in favor of Moore's aggregation because of its popularity with P. C. students. Stan played at the Friar Dance last year and at the Monogram Club and Commencement Dances of the previous school year.

The Friar Club, the campus hospitality group composed of students elected from the various classes, is the only organization that sponsors an all college formal dance on the campus. Bids available to the entire student body are three dollars per couple. In order to reduce the cost of the dance to the students, the

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P. C. Flyers Search For Missing Priest

Two members of the Providence College flying club, Dr. Vincent Oddo, and Charles S. Perry, in an Army liaison plane joined with special searching forces of the state last Thursday, November 18, in an attempt to locate the body of the Rev. John J. Casey, a curate at St. Charles Church, Woonsocket, who was washed overboard from a boat and drowned in heavy surf while on a fishing expedition off Point Judith last Wednesday.

Father Casey, who was born in Providence, attended Providence College before going to St. Anselm's College, Manchester, N. H. He studied for the priesthood at St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, Md., and was ordained in June, 1939.

Up to the time of this issue Father Casey's body has not been found.

Junior Class Selects Prom Co-chairmen

The Junior Class of 1952 seeks new officers, with the following slate announced after closing of Junior nominations, Tuesday, November 23, by the Rev. Edward H. Galligher, O.P., moderator of the Junior Class. They were selected by the Junior Class officers and an advisory board from the class consisting of Frank de Palo, Arthur Hoey and James Coughlin.

The meeting was called to order by President John J. Casey, and the following were elected: President, John Cassidy; Vice-President, Bob Connelly; Secretary, Bill Chasen; Treasurer, Joe Rineri.

The entertainment committee plans to show a comedy movie and a sports short. The party committee, under the direction of William D. Ealahan, has prepared "a mountain of sandwiches and a river of refreshments."
Our new Letter System of marking here at the college has immersed the campus in a tidal wave of controversy. It is not solely a question of the relative performance versus grading by letters. The misspelled confusion concerning the method and function of the new system appears to extend beyond the limits of the student body.

However, it may be that we are exaggerating the matter out of all due proportion to its influence upon our individual scholastic standing. We are not manufacturing a chimera out of a chipmunk, by presuming that the system will effect a radical change in our marks. According to those responsible for introducing the transition from numbers to letters, the advantage to the individual pursuing a particular course of study by evaluating scholastic aptitude and initiative rather than condemn a certain percentage of the student body to a guillotine of cold mathematical formulae.

Like all changes the program will take time to become fully operative. Certain adjustments and refinements must be made by the administration. But there is no reason to assume that the student's system will suffer during the transition. In a majority of colleges and universities throughout the country the letter system is the universal means of gauging qualifications for graduate work. Let's not assume that Providence College has fallen off the scholastic gold standard. We may ultimately discover that by adopting the universal coin of the academic realm the college has selected a better bargaining agent for her citizens in the academic world.

It is only fair that the student receive grades indicative of his comprehension and ability to handle a subject. But in our little intellectual conceits perhaps we are placing too much emphasis on marks and are merely using the change as a foil for a good general "gripes" on the traditional standards of grades in general. We do feel, however, that the student body should receive a comprehensive explanation of the philosophy and function of this new grading system. Individual faculty members have endeavored to enlighten some of us; if the Administration would give us a similar interpretation of the change in the grading policy, we would reassess many of our misgivings and clarify both the faculty and the student position. This we respectfully request.

News Briefs

Thanksgiving recess begins 12:30 tomorrow. Classes resume 8:30 a.m. Monday.

Tertiary deadline for Senior yearbook pictures is Tuesday, November 30.

Tickets for P. C. - Holy Cross game go on sale next Tuesday.
Under the Hoop

(Tins is the second in a series of introductory articles on the Providence College basketball season.)

Having established himself as one of the most outstanding basketball players to appear on the Providence College basketball court in a number of years, Walter Lozoski is starting his third year on the Friars squad. The Hartelian, Providence native, is one of the most popular men on the campus, and he is also one of the few players who can make sure that when he does select his first five, they are the best five possible players.

The club seems to have more depth than the last two Friar editions. They are on a whole a bit bigger. Both big men and small men.

At the moment the biggest danger threatening the players is that the Friars will be looking in the third game on the schedule, the Holy Cross game, as just another game to be played out of the way toward the Maine and the Aud.-

atorium. In looking forward to that joust with the Crusaders, they could look upon the match with the Holy Cross as a game to finally wipe the scar the Friars received in their opener. And the Crusaders are a team that can give the Friars all the trouble in the world.

It must be noted that most of Larry Druco's intricate offensive basketball maneuvers begin with the man that sets them in motion. His poise and ability on the basketball court are things of beauty.

Last season Lozoski scored 188 ; points to finish second in the individual scoring among the Friars players. One of his memorable plays for the Friars came in the second half of the second game against Assumption. During that period he kept the Friars in the game. The defense of Assumption was loosening up, and the Friars were a little bit down in the heart. But then Lozoski broke through the defense of Assumption, and that was his big shot of the game. He was a hero to the Friars, and helped his team to win the game.

Point guard Larry Druco has that look about him of a player who is going to be a star. His poise and ability on the court are things of beauty. His name is going to be heard all over the basketball world.

With the increased enrollment at Cross, Rhode Island State, Yale, St. Francis, Brown, Seton Hall, Boston College and Brooklyn College appeared on one and the same schedule as the Friars, this is a big year. He feels that he has a good ball club, a club that will go as far as he will permit them to go. That they will back up the feeling of other coaches. But that they cannot upset the best laid plans. A turned ankle here and a swollen finger there and it is all thrown out of line.

In the present season, the Friars have not looked like world beaters, but there is a reason for that. Hardly has the old Providence College basketball history. It has been many years since such names as Holy Cross, Rhode Island High, Yale, St. Francis, Brown, Seton Hall, Boston College and Brooklyn College appeared on one and the same schedule as the Friars.
Press Association...

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gave a talk on Ebb Tide since its in­
cupation in December of last year. At
present it combines the office of new­
paper and literary magazine but by
next year Solve Regina expects to
have a separate literary magazine
and to edit Ebb Tide as a newspaper.
Because none of the members of the
Association were not familiar with
this paper it was decided to postpone
calling on its admittance in the

group to the next meeting, which will
be held January 15, at a school to be
designated by the officers of the Inter­
collegiate Association.

The Collegiate Press Exhibition, held
at Brown University last year, was
discussed and Art Rogers of­
fered the facilities of Providence Col­
lege for this year's exhibit, which will
be held sometime in March or April.
Father Byrne, O.P., President of Pro­
vidence College, has signified his will­
ingness to allow the Intercollegiate
Press Association League Albertus
Magna Hall for the exhibition. Miss
D. S. Dube and Mr. Cooper were ap­
pointed to see Mr. Frank Greene at
B. J. C. E. about interesting the high
schools of the State in the exhibit.

The members of the group decided
that Pembroke College and The Rhode
Island School of Design should be
invited to send representatives to the
next meeting so that all Rhode Is­
land colleges may benefit from the
work of the Association, the prime
purpose of which is to sponsor good
relations among the schools of the
State. While the Press Association meet­ing
was on, a committee for the award of
college yearbooks held a meeting in
another room. The members of the
yearbook committee are: Ruth Man­
deville and Barbara Williams from
B. J. C. E., Bob Macneil and Manuel
E. Naas from Bryant, Dick Roder­
bergh from Rhode Island State, Horace­
lano Vicente from Y. M. C. A.; Paul
Francis and Jack Peely from Prov­
dence College.

Frost Elections...

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H. Joe McElroy, Dan Casey, White­
hand, J. Dougherty.

12. Richard McAllister, James Mc­
goldrick, Lawrence Marra, John
Evans.

Independents running for the office of
president are: A. Local Marziano,
John P. McGrath, Gerard Vanderhaar,
and William F. McGlynn.

Bureau Head Talks On Business World

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