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Chemistry Section Names Sociology Department, Chaplain Mendillo Award Recipient

Rev. James W. Hackett, O.P., head of the Chemistry Depart-ment, has announced that Anment, has announced that An-gelo B. Mendillo, III, has been geto b. atendino, in, has been named winner of the award given annually to the freshman who has attained greatest who has attained greatest achievement in the first semester of the general chemistry course. Mendillo, a resident of Providence, is a graduate of La Salle Academy, and a Biology major at P. C.

The prize awarded is a copy Ine prize awarded is a copy of "The Handbook of Chemistry and Physics," with a retail value of twelve dollars. The name of the winner is to be engraved on the cover. Father Hackett pointed out that several students were in competition for the award, which was finally determined by the results of nester

The twelfth annual Provi-dence College Marriage Forum, designed especially preparing for marriage, will be conducted on five successive Sundays in Lent, beginning on February 23 and continuing through March 23. The Forum will begin at 7:30 p.m. and will consist of a thirty minute lec-ture, followed by a question period.

The Forum is sponsored joint The Forum is sponsored joint-ly by the Department of Soci-ology and the Office of the Chaplain; Rev. Thomas H. Mc-Brien, O.P., is Chairman. The Marriage Forum was started during the Lenten period of 1947 by the late Rev. William R. Clark, O.P., of the Sociology Department. Father Clark conuntil his death last year. Under his leadership the Forum grew in size and importance, and has been copied throughout the been copied throughout the country. This year's Forum schedule is as follows: February 23 — Marriage: Its country

Sponsor Annual Marriage Forum

ev. James M. Murphy, O.P., Ph.D., head of the Sociolo-Rev

gy Department, Providence College. March 2-Marriage: Its Sacred-

Rev. Joseph S. McCormack, O.P., S.T.D., head of the

Theology Department, Providence College. March 9-Marriage: Its Medical

Aspects. James Scanlan, MD Physician, Providence. ch 16-Marriage: Its Home March

Life. Mr. and Mrs. John W. McIn-

air, and wis John w. Archi-tyre, parents of seven.
March 30—Marriage: Its Laws.
Very Rev. Kenneth C. Sulli-van, O.P., Pastor, St. Pius Church, Providence.

The Marriage Forum is free to all who attend. All students and their friends are cordially invited. Registration will take place the first evening, February 23.

Pershing Rifle Society Initiates Fifty-Four Basic Corps Cadets

Company K-12, Providence College's detachment of the tional Society of Per Rifles initiated fifty-four Pershing standing basic corps cadets into its ranks last week. The cereits ranks last week. The cere-mony culminated five months of extensive and thorough screening by the charter of-ficers. The new members were ficers. initiated into the society with initiated into the society with an elaborate and colorful secret ceremony held in Alumni Hall. Refreshments were served after the ceremonies

In its initial full year here at Providence College, the unit,

commanded by Cadet Captain William Russo, has established for itself a position of dignity and prestige. Officers elected to assist sist Captain Russo include: Judson Hamlin, Finance Ex-C. Judson Hamiin, Finance Ex-ecutive Officer; James B. Baker, Operations, Drill, and P.I.O. Of-ficer; Dean Johnson, Adjutant; Carl Reiber, Pledge and Special Services Officer; and Peter Mc-Carthy, Supply Officer. For the remainder of the

year the Company plans to con-centrate on increasing the high standard of proficiency of its members

President Announces Expansion Dormitory Will Be Constructed

nsion of Providence College facilities, in the form of a lege facilities, in the form of a new dormitory-cafeteria build-ing, was announced by the Very Rev. Robert J. Slavin, O.P., to the alumni last weekend. The construction of the new build-ing is scheduled to begin next ing is scheduled to begin next month. In speaking of the pro-posed building, Father Slavin expressed the hope that final plans would be approved and the bidding for the contract would begin within the next two works. two weeks

The site of the proposed building will be north of St. Jo-seph's and Stephen Halls and northeast of Aquinas Hall, on the east side of the campus.

The new cafeteria will seat from 900 to 1000 students, and the dormitory will accommodate 201. There will also be infirmary facilities.

Discussing the College in general with the alumni home-coming group, Father Slavin pointed out that out-of-state applications for entrance are so great that the whole nature of the College could be changed immediately, if funds we will be However, Father Slavin stated, the present plan is to maintain the original objective of serving this commun-ity's needs. Out of this year's enrollment of 1700, there are

out-of-town resident stu-

dents. The need for expansion, ac-cording to the President, is not cording to the president is to as imperative as one might think, because it is difficult to the calibre of students find sired for admission. The results sired for admission. The results of a national survey designed to indicate the proportion of eligible college applicants and those actually enrolling in each state ranked Rhode Island 38th. It is not particularly encourag-ing, stated Father Slavin, to realize that this state is ranked low

He said that the College could, at present, accommodate 150 to 200 more day students. How-ever, he noted that P. C. is 200 more day stutents, the ever, he noted that P. C. is drawing a large percentage of the eligible Rhode Islanders. What is most desirable, he con-tinued, is to raise the educa-tional standards of the state. In regard to future expansion plans, Father Slavin said that the base to construct a

plans, Father Slavin said that the College hopes to construct a new library, and ultimately a faculty house and chapel.

Seniors Obtain New Privilege

the Student Congress, the Ad-ministration has made the fol-

Any senior who has a B average in a particular course for the second semester of his senior year has the privilege senior year has the privilege of being exempted from taking the final examination for that course if he so desires. Inas-much as this privilege has been granted to seniors by the Col-lege Administration, it does not pertain to the discretion or jur-isdiction of any professor or pertain to the discretion or jur-isdiction of any professor or department to rule otherwise. Individual professors, however, will be required to notify all senior students (who have atsemior students (who have at tained a B average in each particular course, that they have the privilege of exemption from the final examination and each student so notified may exercise this privilege if he so desires, or he may take the final examination if he so

The B average is to be com puted from course work, writ-ten and oral examinations, all monthly examinations, and third quarter examinations and re-quires attendance at class for the entire semester.

Such students have the same privileges as all students rela-tive to attendance at class. They will will be permitted the same number of absences. In cases number of absences. In cases of prolonged absence, sickness and for similar reasons, the student may still exercise his privilege of exemption if and when the individual professor notifies him that his grade for the second semester of the senior year is a B or better.

IN MEMORIAM

Remembrance in your prayers is requested for the father of Leo Fox, '60, recently deceased.

Baker Art Exhibition Gets Much Favorable Comment

One of the highlights of this One of the highlights of this year's Homecoming Weekend was the one-man show in the rotunda of Harkins Hall by James Baker, '59. The exhibit, featuring work done predomi-nently in palette knife with oils, was arrenged by Rev Royal I was arranged by Rev. Royal J Gardner, O.P

Rev. Edward L. Hunt, O.P., Professor of Art, had several comments to make concerning the exhibit. Calling Baker's work with the palette knife "excellent," Father Hunt called attention to the strong color composition and the good range of values. Father noted that in the workbook displayed at the exhibit, there is a certain freedom of line, and a good command of materials. Father Hunt commented that he him-self has done a good deal of work in pen and ink drawings. He remarked that Baker's letcomments to make concerning He remarked that Baker's let-tering shows a command over his pen and a good choice of materials.

Several of the works were singled out for special mentio "Southwest Corner of Hendrick-en Field," oils with a palette knife, shows good motion in the trees, and portrays an area of the campus not too ofter seen by the students. "Choppy Seas," oils with a palette knife Seas, one with a patence kind, has good values and movement, and gives the impression of the wetness of the waves. "Untitled Composition of Black Fields and Lines," a pen and ink drawing on an orange background, is an example of very abstract composition.

Another unusual piece is the Another unusual piece is the small still life, done in oils with a palette knife, different in that it has an unfinished yet appealing attraction. "Rural Scene," while rather flat in places, has good composition and the grey tones give it a special quality.

Summing up his comments on the one-man show, Father Hunt

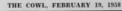


James Baker '59

"While a professional stated: critic might say that Jim Baker has far to go, we must give him credit for having gone as far as he has, and for having done so much on his own.

There will be another stu-dent exhibition approximately weeks before the Easter days. This exhibit will be holidays. open to all Providence College students whose work merits ex-hibition. Sponsor of the next showing will be the newly formed Art Club of Providence College. Anyone desiring to enter the exhibition or in joining the Art Club may do so contacting either Mike by Charles or Jim Baker. No artistic ability is required for joining the club; all that is desired of members is the sincere interest in promoting and stimulating the appreciation of art here at Providence College. The club plans to hold lectures, discussions and other events pertinent to giving the student a more thorough knowledge of art

In response to a petition by lowing announcement:





Penance and Joy

The dictionary defines Lent as a "fast for forty days excluding Sunday." It is observed each year from Ash Wednesday to Easter, and is a season of self-denial and penance. The derivation of the term Lent is traceable to the Anglo-Saxon "lenctan", meaning long. Lent, then, means long fast.

Lent should be properly observed as a time for Christian retreat and joy. It is a time for Christian retreat inasmuch as it is an appointed period to meditate on eternal life. Lent affords us an opportunity to do penance for past sins and to amend our lives in prepara-tion for the future. It is a time to take a firm stand against the worldly life which leads ultimately to spiritual death. Let the things of the world have no more dominion over us. Let us follow Christ. We can now withdraw from material pleasures and renew our dedication to Our Lord. and turn away from the many to the One. We can attain the fruits of Easter only after we have

employed the plow of penance. Let us make Lent a period of profound meditation and good works which will draw us closer to God "so that the whole world," as Pope Pius X avowed, "may then be renewed, restored to Christ . .

Criticism .

The nature of criticism and critics is often ironically interesting. A recent commut in reference to the foreign policy of the Eisenhower administration exemplifies this. A leading politician, after calling Dulles' ideas on a summit conference "hazardous", was asked what he thought the Administration should do. His reply: "I think we should take somewhat more than a negative approach."

This comment typifies a certain note in criticism which is all too prevalent today. It is easy enough to tear down something to point out defects and faults; but to propose a practical alternative is quite another story.

Too many of us concentrate on describing what is wrong with the world instead of suggesting what might be done to improve it. Here on campus this is painfully evident. The COWL is a favorite whipping boy of the evident. The COWL is a favorite whipping boy of the critics; almost anyone is happy to explain what is wrong with the newspaper. But constructive suggestions for the imrovement of the paper? Seldom. And does one of these journalistic experts ever turn up at the COWL office to offer to write? Never.

Journalistic experts ever turn up at the COWL office to offer to write? Never. The Pyramid Players is another group assailed for its poor productions. Admittedly, the plays leave much to be desired; but the Pyramid Players is not a "closed shop" by any means. Every student is cordially invited to join, and any one may contribute to the better-ment of the productions, if not by acting, by giving a few hours time for melocuties of the time to the better-

hours time for make-up, set direction, etc. Is it too much to ask that those who are so good at pinpointing the faults of some of our campus activities offer some constructive advice to supplement their re-marks? Anyone who criticizes without offering suggesmarks? Anyone who criticizes without offering sugges-tions should save his breath. And if the critic is really interested in alleviating the plight of a given activity, some participation of his own should be forthcoming.



APPLAUSE: We salute this week the individual who had the the individual who had the courage to interrupt one of the less soothing 'melodies' eman-ating from the cafeteria juke ating from the cateteria juke box. Although the act required only the yanking of the plug from the wall, its consequences could have been disastrous. If he had been detected, our hero have had scores of duck may have had scores of duck-tailed heads turning hostile eyes upon him. He may have had fear instilled in his heart by the clicking of switch blades. He may even have been tied to a chair in front of the juke box and forced to listen to the ten-der strains of "Who Wears der strains of Short Shorts?" Wears

PROM: The Junior Prom this year will be one of the most elaborate affairs ever held by P.C. students. The prom fea-tures music by Lester Lanin, decorations by Murphy and Dwyer and transportation by Wernher von Braun.

RUSSIA: Russia has decided to abandon its tractor stations and allow collective farms to buy and operate their own machinery. Can you imagine a own Russian youth on date night approaching his father and asking, "Can I take the tractor to night, Pop?"

BUSINESS NEWS: The B USINESS NEWS: The United Fruit Company, the fa-mous supplier of bananas, has agreed to set up its own rival. The new competitor will be provided with cash, Latin American plantations, manage-ment ships and aven maliciment, ships, and even mallets to straighten out its own bananas

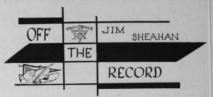
NEWS CLIPPINGS: A survey published by a famous bank revealed the fate of the bank's 100,000 paper clips. About onefifth served their proper func-tion; 14,163 were twisted and broken during telephone con-versations; 19,413 were used as card game stakes; 7,200 be came makeshift hooks for garter belts and brassieres; 5,434 were converted to toothpicks or 5 434 ear cleaners; 5,308 were used as nail cleaners; 5,308 were used as nail cleaners; 3,916 became pipe cleaners; and the balance were dropped on the floor and swept away, or swallowed by childnes children.

(from TIME magazine)

Asceticism

"There are two ways of conreiving the mastery of man over timself. Man can become master of his nature by imposing on the world of his own inner energies the law of reason, of reason as-sisted by grace. This work, sisted by grace. This work, which is the formation of one-self on love, requires that our branches be cut in order that we may bear fruit: which is follows the ethics of ascetticism. The heirs of rationalism seek to impose on us today an entirely different system of ethics, an anti-ascetic system that is exclu-sively technological... Tech-nique is geod, machinery is good.... But if machinery and con-technical processes are not congood ... But if machinery and technical processes are not con-trolled and firmly subjugated to the well-being of mankind, that is to say, fully and vigorously subordinated to the ethics of re-ligion and made the instruments of moral corrections markind in of moral asceticism, mankind is irretrievably and literally lost."

—Jacques Maritain, "Freedom in the Modern World"



German Reunification

Since the end of World War II, Germany has been divided into two sectors, one being controlled with latent military power by the Communists, and the other, West Germany, by the Democratic Christian Democratic party. Under Chancellor Conrad Adenauer, this party is a staunch supporter of the West and it quickly made West Germany a member of NATO. Reunifica-tion of the two German sectors has been talked about a good deal, but because of great dif-ferences of opinion between the two governing bodies, nothing has been accomplished. Soviets Want Demilitarized

Zone

West Germany under Aden-ier holds that free elections auer and the rights of a reunified Germany to enter NATO are prime requisites to any negotia-tion in the matter. Conversely, Soviet East Germany proposes that a zone be established in the middle of Europe which would be free of nuclear and atomic weapons. She also de-mands the withdrawal of Soviet and American troops to their respective homelands.

Chancellor Adenauer is sup-ported by the powerful Christian Democrats and also by a large segment of the press. His program for reunification has not succeeded. This is mainly due to the unwillingness of the Soviets to make concessions. Lately, three has been in-creased opposition to Adenauer from the Social Democrats which is a party composed of people, many of whom are em-ployed in universities and other institutions of higher learning. Although this rival party appears not to be a champion of the Soviet cause, there are un-doubtedly some Communisttainted members in it who are now active in strategic party positions. For this reason it is imperative that the Adenauer government continue its present control of West Germany and maintain its no-compromise at titude with the Soviet sector.

Germany is recognized as the heartland of Europe both humanly and economically speaking. It seems also to be true that German reunification is the key to the "cold war." If this is correct, then the federa-tion of Germany could very well

tion of Germany could very well cause a chain reaction in the other iron curtain countries. Should Not Be Dominated By NATO West Germany is one of the most powerful European mem-bers of NATO and her loss by abarntion would conjunct absorption would seriously hamper the efforts of the or ganization. She must not be dominated by NATO, but rather make her own decisions as other nations do within the sphere of the organization. In his most recent letter to

Eisen Khruschev, President Eisen-hower bluntly told that worthy hower bluntly tord may work, to stop propagandizing about a summit conference and get to work organizing one. France organizing one. France England immediately and echoed his sentiments. In this respect the Western

In this respect the Western powers might well let Conrad Adensuer have a leading part in the shaping of the summit planning; for if there ever was a time when we must know just where to give way and where to hold firmly to the line, this is it.



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(Excerpt from a letter from Michael J. Fitzgerald, a Full-bright Scholarship recipient in 1957)

"I might add that American "I might add that American schools take on a wonderful glow at this distance. They cer-tainly do not need to humble themselves before the over-crowded classrooms, the superficial lectures, or the inhuman science that passes for education in Europe. American students may not have the mass of facts in their memories that their European counterparts do, but I think they have a vitality and a capacity for appreciation that is more valuable and pro ductive.

Although I may not be enjoy-ing the role of a student in Europe, I do enjoy traveling. I have seen some of Germany, Austria, and Italy. Vienna was delighted and permeated with a sense of the past, but Rome, where I spent my Christmas vacation, was beautiful. Although I'll be glad to return to America, I would not want this year to be shortened."

Meunchen 27 Asgardstrasse 16 Dei Walser, Germany

February 14, 1958

Dear Editors: I wish to take this opportun-ity to thank the COWL for their front page article on the Regional Meeting of Delta Epsi the lon Sigma, held at Assumption College, Worcester, and the part played therein by Mr. Larry Childers, '58, President of Theta Chapter

Mr. Childers represented the college on a panel discussion "Ends of Catholic Higher Education." Other panelists were sponsored by Annhurst College, Regis College, Rivier College, the College of the Holy and and the College of the Holy Cross. A fine reception was ac-corded the panelists in general and Mr. Childers in particular for his clear and forthright treatment of the subject. I believe such a sincere and scheduler effect or sincere and

scholarly effort on the part of a Providence College undergrad-uate should not be overlooked. Rather it deserves the applause not only from the other mem-bers of Theta Chapter but from

the entire student body. Respectfully submitted, Robert L. Deasy, '53 Secretary-Treasurer Theta Chapter Delta Epsilon Sigma

Dear Editors:

The comments made by you on the Pyramid Players and a letter writer who was defending the organization, was tactless and made in poor taste. The Pyramid Players is in need of improvement but with-

out a spirited student body this cannot be accomplished. First, volunteers are needed to work in all phases of production. Without adequate technicians and other devoted workers, the show has failed before it is pre snow has failed before it is pre-sented. Secondly, what motive is there for spending long hours in planning and rehearsing when, in the end, the play is seen and appreciated by so few? It would seem that a more spirited student body is the only

answer to this "vicious circle". Regarding the editors' com-ment, it would be highly unrea-sonable to even consider the "biting" criticism which was ad-

vanced, since the criticism was contained in a newspaper which is not above criticism. Even in the last issue the "Editorial", which should contain an opionated discussion, was de-voted to "Bernadette", a good article but in the wrong section.

In the future please remem ber that courteous criticism is helpful, rash judgments are worthless. J. V.B.

(We heartily disagree with the implication that the P.C. student body is lacking in spirit

The fact that the COWL is "not above criticism" hardly suggests that it therefore has not the privilege of advancing criticism. God alone, Mr. V. B., is "above criticism."—Ed.)

February 14, 1958 Gentlemen:

M/Sgt Yates of the ROTC M/Sgt Yates of the ROTC staff is extremely appreciative of Mr. Manolete's kind com-ments in a recent column and is sorry that he was unable to fill all orders and requests for rentals of ribbons, medals and deconting for more the Wil decorations for wear at the Military Ball.

itary Ball. He says that next year he will have a much larger supply and is looking forward to a very profitable period of business prior to next year's ball.

With kindest regards,

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(Touche-Ed.)

Fellow COWL members:

I regret to inform you that due to pressures beyond my control I must resign from the paper. It is with great regret that I take this step.

Thank you for your coopera-tion, and I know that you will continue to work with Mr. De-Noia.

Sincerely, Paul F. Crane.

Lessons Learned **By John Hurley**

On next Saturday, February 22, the United States will com-memorate the two hundred and memorate two numerous of the birth of its first President. George Washington. Enough has been written of his exploits and tribulations to make his name one to be truly revered by his fellow countrymen.

fellow countrymen. But there is certainly a great deal that can be learned from the life of this self-actrificing patriot. Perhaps the best pic-ture of his life and ideals has been given to us by the Pulitzer-Prize winner. Professor Sam-uel Eliot Morison of Gaves To strive to emphasize heroic deeds or present a romantic picture of this extraordinary figure in the history of our country. Rather, he tries to bring out the re-markable self-discipline which markable self-discipline which helped to make Washington an admired and almost idolized fig-ure, and the reputation he holds throughout not only the United States but also other liberty-loving countries throughout the world.

Again and again the focus is brought upon Washington's con-tinual striving for self-disci-pline. He did not forsake the (Continued on Page 7)

The Dean Speaks

By Joseph L. Lennon, O.P., Dean DEAN OF COLLEGE DIS. CUSSES NOTE-TAKING

IN THE CLASSROOM

Students sometimes remark that they wish they knew short-hand in order to write down rapidly all the words of the ructor. In my opinion, such skill is unnecessary, and such procedure is both impractical and harmful. Normally a speaker delivers about 125 words a minute. If a student succeeded in making a stenographic re-port of a lecture, all he would have for his effort would be sheaves of paper which he could sneaves of paper which he could never find time to read. Worse than that, he would be so wrapped up in jotting down the words of the speaker that the sense or thought of the lecture would be lost. Perhaps that is why many of the best reporters seldom use a system of shorthand.

The secret of skillful note-The secret of skillful note-taking lies in getting the sub-stance of what is said—call it the gist or main drift of the lecture. This involves adjust-ment to a teacher's speech-speed, to his vocabulary, to his voice facial extrements voice, facial expression and gesture, to his arrangement and development of ideas. In short, the student must cultivate the art of listening.

It is an art that is not easy to acquire. To recognize and relate ideas as they stand pre-sented on the printed page is difficult enough. To recognize and to relate ideas as they are presented in speech, which flows and never stands, is doubly difficult. Yet there are certain characteristics of a classroom lecture which should aid the student in this task. First of all, the instructor

usually announces by word, and sometimes by blackboard diagram, the plan of his lecture. Make that the heading of your it is a customary professorial practice to cover about half a dozen points, more or less. This may be represented by any combination, from one or two major points with several important subpoints to a series of equal ideas. You may well become suspicious-either of your come suspicious—either of your notes or of the lecture—when you jot down an eighteenth major point. You have "missed the boat" or the "prof" has run anuck mentally. Again, the teacher ordinarily

marks off in some way the main divisions of his lecture. Sometimes these are enumerated in advance; sometimes in conclu-sion. When in the course of his sion. When in the course of his presentation, he says: "second-ly," "thirdly," and "finally," latch on to it. It is usually im-portant. When words of enumeration are not used, but when he employs such expresbut sions as furthermore, neverthe-less, on the other hand and so on, you can be sure there is more significance involved than the sensation of sound. Finally, when he says: "This point is important," let the pen race. Every professor has his own mannerisms. It should not take the student very long to be-come familiar with them. A change of position, accent, gesture, a sudden softening of the voice followed by a boom-ing vibration of sound-any of -any of these things may indicate a transition from one to another chief division of the argument.

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It is a good practice, move ver, to analyze whatever ques tions the teacher asks in class Like the rest of us, he is a Lake the rest of us, he is a creature of habit. Does he stress outlines, definitions, ap-plications, problems, or inter-pretations? Take note. Here are clues for future quizzes. After all, if he studies you, why should you not study him?

I say, "he studies you," be-cause, while lecturing, the teacher throws out a thought teacher throws out a thought and observes whether it strikes, or not. If he gets a blank look, no response, no sign of un-derstanding, he tries again — with different words, with other illustrations. That is the dif-ference between speaking and writing A writer bies to conwriting A writer tries to condense as many ideas into as few dense as many ideas into as tew words as possible; a speaker is naturally verbose and repe-titious. He watches audience reaction, trying to discover whether or not his words are registering. He may have to say the same thing in several different enter the same thing in several say the same tring in several different ways. In note-taking, if you catch the idea on the first cast, you can skip the ex-amples and other pedagogical devices. You have the kernel of thought, and that's what counts.

Class time for course co ge is limited. Because it is, whatever the teacher says in class usually has learning value. This makes note-taking a necessity. Furthermore, taking notes forces the student to pay better attention and provides a record for handy reference and review.

No notes are worth the paper they are written on unless they are used. To be useful, they must be concise, but not frag-mentary; complete, but not mentary; complete, but not superflous; clear, but not necesarily in the words of the professor.

fessor. Perhaps the title of this arti-cle is a misnomer. You do not "take notes," like passively re-ceiving a gift from others; you make notes. It is a product of your own thinking. Indeed, it requires the utmost of at-tention, analytical insight, judgment and constructive thought. You must snatch on the fly the You must snatch on the Hy the professor's words, grasp each new idea, and set in proper place the parts of the lecture. Ear, eye, hand and head must work in smooth conjunction. It is arduous work. But it is work which is worth-while and most rewarding to the student.

Lent . .

Ill wind heavy breathes to shuffle pins of light That bathe in the hovering ebon pool.

The fiery sphere ignite, Though jarred in jargon. Remaining constant in their flight.

Man is paralleled to this celestial course

His soul is agitated to this celestal course; But, with a concrete base and force Though Sin's decay has influence.

It gleams, discov'ring Heaven in its source.

Calm and cool progressing hours relax the pattern of the stars While the period of rest is Lent in human scheme All means strengthen, whereby man devours Constant course—to him a natural boon, In the cataracts of grace that spins to showers. ______bon hiChello

John DiChello

The Limping Lecturer Sweets, when he's finished his

By Bill Cirone

A curious student who ob-A currous student who ob-served a limp in his professor's walk queried him before his lecture: "What happened to your leg, Father?" The pedalecture: "What happened to your leg, Father?" The peda-gogue nonchalantly explained, "I hurt it eating clams." After a polite, but rather shallow, laugh, a cloud of confusion de-scended over the class; he final-be combined. ly explained:

It seems that after celebra-ting Mass at a near-by parish. the priest encountered an ex-student of his on the church steps. The student, who had been recently married, invited his old teacher for dinner later that day. However, like most newly-wed men are wont to do, he neglected to inform his wife.

When the priest arrived, the husband realized his little "sin of omission" and took his bet-ter half into the kitchen to explain the predicament. With very little food in the house, plain the ever-loving one was more than a bit perplexed as to what to serve the unexpected guest.

Finally she decided to serve the dozen clams she had pur-chased several days before. "Now that's four apiece," spoke the understanding wife, and then pleadingly, "But please,

Correction!!

It has come to the attention of the Editors that in the ar-ticle in last week's edition of the COWL advocating Spring elections we were unaware of the fact that such a bill had passed the Student Congress several months ago. While it is true that out of more than fifty students interviewed about the proposal, none of them was aware that the Spring election

Sweets, when he's limshed his four, don't ask him to have more!" The agreement made, they were shortly after all seated at the dining table. seated at the dining table. Ever-forgetful hubby, though, urged our cleric-friend to help himself to more clams when he'd finished the four-more clams of which there were no Wifey turned a deep shade none

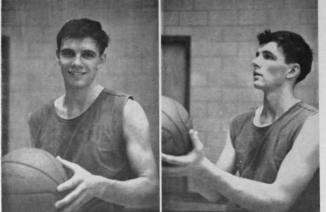
Wifey turned a deep snade or red while the good friar polite-ly refused to eat any more, but her life's partner insisted all the more that Father have an-other helping, the Roth the more that rather have an other helping, the Roth Memory Course having helped him not at all. But the priest held to his decision and Wifey's squirming was unnecessary.

squirming was unnecessary. Later in the evening, after the embarassing situation had been fully-revealed, the young hostess tearfully asked her husband why he had persisted ditional helpings of the non-existant sea-food after her warnings prior to the meal. Her spouse, head down, apolo-gized and admitted that he'd forgotten. forgotten.

"Forgotten?" cried the exasperated wife. "Why do you think I was kicking you under the table all through dinner?" "Why do you "But Lambie-goose, you never kicked me." protested her mate.

bill had been passed, we are not

using this as an excuse for not having checked with the Conhaving checked with the Con-gress before writing it. The ar-ticle at least showed that the students approve of the idea, and the COWL is glad to belat-edly endorse it. We are sorry for this misunderstanding, and in the future will attempt to supply better coverage of Stu-dent Congress news.



"TAKE CHARGE GUY": Freshman standout Johnny Egan has attracted an ocean of attention from his showings with Assistant Coach Jackie Allen's yearling quintet. Egan, who grabbed off a umber of honors as a high-schooler, appears set to equal his former feats as a collegian.

Varsity Force Due Against Gymnasts; Battle Siena College Five On Sunday

After last night's appearance against Holy Cross, Joe Mullaney's "frugal" Friars have two more big games scheduled for this weekend against Springfield and Siena College

Saturday night the Friars journey to Springfield, Mass., to meet the Gymnasts on their home court. The following night they visit Albany, New York, to engage Siena College. A pair of victories in these games would not hurt their chances for a bid to the Na-tional Invitational Tournament. Joe Mullaney stated Monday night that one of the big facnight that one of the big lac-tors in the Friars' victory over St. John's of Brooklyn was their ability to stay "so close, so long." He admitted that Providence was outplayed dur-ing the entire first half, but praised the team for the great words which they dealward in

nustle which they displayed in Multimeter with the score so close. Mullaney commended the starting five and reserves Lionel Jenkins and Frankie Tirico, and said that each contributed much to the win

Concerning the NT, Mul-laney said that the situation was very uncertain. He empha-sized that last night's game with Holy Cross was a must, but that a victory in that game would not assure the Friars of a betth. He said that it is impossible to know just how the selection committee will think about different factors which could affect their decisions.

Another thing that he mentioned was that it was not certain that a New England team will be selected for one of the twelve berths. The decisions of such teams as Temple and Cincinnati, which will almost cercinnati, which will almost cer-tainly receive bids to both the NIT and the NCAA tourna-ment, could spell fortune or disaster for the Friars.

One factor, Mullaney pointed which must be considered out. is the drawing power of dif-ferent teams which might receive invitations. Thus, a former winner of the tourna ment, such as Holy Cross, who won the tournament in 1954, might have an advantage. On the other hand, a team like Providence, which has a large number of native New Yorkers on its roster, might be looked upon favorably to attract New Yorkers

Cagers Upset New Yorkers

Providence defeated St. John of Brooklyn by a score of 53-50 at Alumni Hall last Saturday night to keep their chances for a berth in the National Invita-tional Tournament alive. The Friars were down 30-24 at the but rallied late in the ond half to gain one of their biggest wins of the season.

By beating St. John, Providence joined a select group of teams which can claim victories teams which can claim victories over the powerful Redmen this season. This group includes West Virginia, which has been ranked first in the nation for a large part of the season, and Temple and Pittsburg, two oth-or toome which want high er teams which rank high among the top twenty in the country.

Sophomore Lenny Wilkens was high man for the Friars with 15 points, while Wally Di Masi had 11. Al Seiden led the visitors with 19. Gus Alfieri and Bernie Pascal were also in double figures for the Redmen with 13 and 11.

The Friars were outplayed during the first half, but showed tremendous hustle and managed to keep the score close. P.C. continued to fight for every point in the second half, and tied the score at 38-38 with about 15 minutes remaining. St John ran up a 45-40 lead by the 12 minute mark, but the Friars hustled back to make it 45-44 with seven minutes left. Captain Ed Donohue hit a short set at 6:27 to give P.C. a 46-45 lead and the Friars stayed in front the rest of the way although the outcome was uncertain until the last few seconds.

Providence scored 23 times from the floor compared to 16

Freshmen Team Crests 100 Mark

In their highest scoring tri-umph of the year, the Provi-dence College basketball freshmen won over an out-manned Durfee Tech team, 100-52. Paced by John Egan, Dick Holzheimer and Dennis Guimares, the freshmen jumped to an early 8-4 lead and from then on were not seriously contested.

With many a disbelieving gasp, the homecoming weekend crowd watched the wizardry of Egan combine with the deft shooting of Holzheimer and Guimares to turn the game into a rout. A pleasant surprise in the victory was Ronald Doanes. The unheralded freshman played brilliantly and pumped in twelve points for the Black and White

With five minutes to go in the contest, the yearling Friars be-gan a torrid race for the magic score of 100. They scored 64 points in the half ending, with Leo Connerton putting in the 100th point and being carried off the court at the game's con-clusion. The freshmen, scoring 51 points in the second half, left no doubt as to their superiority. Coach Allen played the entire team and all but one scored with four in the double column. Egan was high for the victory

with 26 points, with Holzheimer, Guimares, and Doane scoring 15, 14, and 12 respectively. Ed 14, and 12 respectively. Ed Deschenes had 17 points for Durfee

hoops for St. John, but the Redmen kept the score close by gaining a 18-7 margin from the free-throw line

Last week's games moved P.C. up to fourth in the nation in team defense with an average of 53.5 per game. According to NCAA statistics on all games through February 10, San Fran-cisco (48.7), Oklahoma State (49.6), and Dayton (53.3) are still in front of Providence.

Egan Lives Up To Notices With Sparkling Frosh Play

By DALE FAULKNER

By DALE FACIARSES Sports Editor OF THIS'N THAT: Johany Egan's superlative showing in the past eight days has struck a blow for P.C.'s basketball future, to say nothing of the varsity's dramatic win over St. John's...

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In fact, Egan, together with fellow freshman Tim Moynahan, was one of the first of a score of Providence fans to swarm Lionel Jenkins, who grabbed off the game-ending rebound in the varsity tilt.

In the past nine days, Egan has really become the yearling "take charge" man for Assistant Coach Jackie Allen's team, which has dropped two of its last three games. Last Tuesday, the dark haired guard poured in 41 points against the U.R.I. Frosh in a 92-90 loss

The following afternoon in another losing effort, Allen's standout performer threw in 28 tallies against the Boston College freshmen

Before the large homecoming gathering in the preliminary on

Before the large homecoming gathering in the preliminary on Saturday, Egan netted 26 markers and contributed importantly in the coveted and successful drive to the century mark in seoring. Egan, whose services were sought by a number of colleges throughout the country, brought to P.C. a glowing high school record as a hoopster. Having been chosen as the Most Yaluable Player at Bob Cousy's Summer Basketball Camp in his junior year, Egan led his Weaver High of Hartford team to the State and New England championships a year ago. Of particular note to the writer, who saw the Stephen Hall resident in the New England Tournament last Spring, are the number of Connecticut tournament records held by Egan. records held by Egan. The following will be officially released next week, when the

The following will be officially released next week, when the Connecticut Class A tourney gets underway: Most points in one tourney—77, Egan, 1957. Consecutive foul shots made by a player—16 by Evan, of Weaver, in 1957 against Harding (Bridgeport). Missed his first and then made 16 in a row. Stretched it to 19 with three more in final before missing, actually 19 in row. Most points by a player in a half—20 by Egan, vs. Hillhouse (New Haven, 1957 finals.

Most points scored by Egan in 1957 finals. ored by a player in a quarter-18 in last quarter

Most foul shots in a tourney-Egan, 1957, 31. Most points per game-33 by Egan, vs. Hillhouse in the finals,

1957

Egan's brilliant senior year reaped for him All-State honors, All-New England selections, and a berth on Dell's BASKETBALL ANNUAL All-American this Fall.

So far Egan's play has impressed viewers immensely in New England on a freshman level, and it appears that the 6'1" cager will be able to make the adjustment to varsity competition readily

Friar Relay Quartet Wins In New York

By Boh Ruggeri

Coach Harry Coates brought his mile relay quartet to Madison Square Garden for the second time this year; and thanks to a scintillating :49.5 second anchor leg by Jim Baker, the boys captured their first New York race. and fourth race of the indoor season with a nifty 3:27.6 clocking.

The Friars were opposed by La Salle, Colgate, Boston Col-lege, and Seton Hall who finished behind them in that order. Gus Scannapieco started things off for Providence, and in an exciting quarter, he trailed Colgate's leadoff man by two yards when he handed off to Tom Cummings

La Salle's second man. Olym La Salle's second man, Oym-pian Ira Davis, pulled his col-lege to the front ranks, and the Friars skidded to third posi-tion behind Colgate, and ap-proximately twelve yards in proximately twelve yards in arear of La Salle. Ed McNamara handled the

Lo account and an and a second provide a second place Colgate runner, while La Salle serenely held its lead over the field. At the final handoff, Ed slapped the baton with a feeling of hopeful confidence into the awaiting hand of Jim Baker.

of Jim Baker. At this point the Friars were still third, but then Jim went to his task. Running with a composure that indicated a keen awareness of his ability, and the strength of his op-ponents, Baker succeeded in

winning back those precious yards so necessary for victory. On the last turn, he swooped past Colgate and then La Salle and reached the tape three yards ahead of La Salle's anchor man man.

SPORTS FILLERS

As of Monday, Brandeis Uni-versity, who whipped P. C. earlier in the basketball year, appeared ready to accept a NCAA Small College Tournament bid. Coach Harry Stein's team has won 14 of 15 games thus far

In important New England college basketball games last weekend, Yale surprised Ivy League leader Dartmouth 70-67 in New Haven, while the Uni-versity of Connecticut clinched a bid to the NCAA Major Col-burg. Townsmet, he alcorburg. lege Tournament by slaughter-ing Ernie Calverley's under-manned University of Rhode Island team.

Regular members of the COWL Sports Department are Pete Costigan, Phil Caiendo, Dick Panagrossi, Gerry Murphy, and Mickey Criscuolo.

Basketball Jottings

In a comment to the local press last week, Coach Stan Ward of Brown termed Providence's Len Wilkens "the best defensive player in New England." Wilkens is considered by many the important factor in

P. C.'s outstanding place among the nation's defensive powers.

Two teams have already ac-cepted bids to the N.I.T.-Day-ton and St. Bonaventure's, which will play host to P.C.'s squad next week.



THE PLEDGE YOU SAVE MAY BE YOUR OWN

Today's column is directed at those young female undergraduates who have recently pledged sororities and are worried, poor lambs, that they won't make good. Following is a list of simple instructions which, if faithfully observed, will positively guaran-tee that you will be a mad success as a sorority girl.

First, let us take up the matter of housemothers. The house mother is your friend, your guide, your mentor. You must treat her with respect. When you wish to speak to her, address her as "Mother Sigafoos" or "Ma'am." In no circumstances must you say, "Hey, fat lady."

Second, let us discuss laundry. Never hang your wash on the front porch of the sorority house. This is unsightly and shows a want of breeding. Use the Chapter Room.

Third, meals. Always remember that planning and preparing meals for a houseful of healthy girls is no simple task. Your cook goes to a great deal of trouble to make your menu varied and nourishing. The least you can do is show your appreciation. Don't just devour your food; praise it. Exclaim with delight, "What delicious pork jowis!" or "What a yummy souphone!" or "What scrumptious fish heads!" or "What clear water!"

Fourth, clothing. Never forget that your appearance reflects not just on yourself but on the whole house. It was well enough before you joined a sorority to lounge around campus in your old middy blouse and gym bloomers, but now you must take great pains to dress in a manner which excites admiring comments from all who observe you. A few years ago, for example, there was a Chi Omega named Camille Ataturk at the University of Iowa who brought gobs of glory to all her sorors



Camille hit on the ingenious notion of suiting her garb to the class she was attending. For instance, to English Lit she wore a buskin and jerkin. To German she wore lederhosen and carried a stein of pilsener. To Econ she wore 120 yards of ticker tape. Her shiningest hour came one day when she dressed as a white mouse for Psych Lab. Not only her Chi Omega sisters, but the entire student body went into deep mourning when she was killed by the janitor's cat.

Finally, let us take up the most important topic of all. I refer, of course, to dating.

As we have seen, the way you dress reflects on your sorority, but the men you date reflect even more. Be absolutely certain that your date is an acceptable fellow. Don't beat about the bush; ask him point-blank, "Are you an acceptable fellow?" Unless he replies, "Yeah, hey," send him packing.

But don't just take his word that he is acceptable. Inspect him closely. Are his fingernails clean? Is his black leather jacket freshly oiled? Is his ukulele in tune? Does he carry public liability insurance? And, most significant of all, does he smoke Marlboros?

If he's a Marlboro man, you know he's a lot of man. You know he has taste and discernment, wit and wisdom, character and sapience, decency and warmth, presence and poise, tailent and grit, filter and flavor. You will be proud of him, your sorority will be proud of him, the makers of Marlboro will be proud of him, and I will be paid for this column. © 1958, Mas Sb . . .

The makers of Marlboro wish to announce that Mr. Shulman has been paid for this column and will continue to be paid for bringing you his homely philosophy through-out the school year.



Friar Six Moves On To **B.U.** Tonight

The Friar hockey team, after The Friar hockey team, after losing a heart-breaker to Bos-ton College in the last six seconds by a score of 3-2 in their last outing, travels to Bos-ton tonight to engage Boston University, rated as the top team in New England, at the Ascore at 7-000 Arena at 7:00.

In their only previous meeting this season, which came in the Christmas Tournament in Boston, B. U. came out on top by a score of 7.3, on their way to gaining a tie with B. C. for first place in the tournament with a 3-0 record.

The Terriers have a very good chance to go to the NCAA hockey tournament which is to be held in Minnesota late next month. Harvard was the New England entry in the tourney last year and reached the semifinals before being eliminated by Denver University.

In their last outing, B. U. lost a close game to R. P. I. by a score of 3-2. Providence defeated Rensselear earlier in the season by a score of 4-2 in what was undoubtedly their outstand-ing performance of the season. According to the latest statis-tics, Joe Barile is leading the

Providence scorers with 24 points, followed by Al McMahon and Bob Labbe with 21 each. Ray Labbe has 17 and George Boudreau has 16

Juniors And Seniors **Eligible For Exams**

Students, have you ever students, nave you even thought about working for the government? If you haven't you may be missing a trick. The modern Civil Service offers exciting and rewarding careers to those who can earn them.

Juniors as well as seniors are now eligible to take the Federal Service Entrance Examination and to compete for government jobs which will be held for them until graduation.

While this examination was originally set up for Seniors, and the class of '58 is still our first interest, many juniors will find that taking the examinafind that taking the examina-tion early, will give them a head start on the pursuit of their career goal. The Federal Serv-ice Entrance Examination is open to majors in any field. To students who have not made a final choice of career, it offers amendmines for training in 2 opportunities for training in a range of management specialties. Students in any field will find it worthwhile to investigate the prospects in the gove ment's diversified activities. govern

Further information on the above or on other Federal examinations can be obtained from Mr. Raymond L. Walsh, from Mr. Chief, Personnel Branch, In-ternal Revenue Service, 544 Elmwood Avenue, Providence, Rhode Island, Telephone Jackson 1-5050, extension 24, or by contacting Mr. Timlin in the Placement Office

St. Thomas More

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Several students in the junior and senior law classes are plan-ning to attend the Pre-Legal Inning to attend the Fre-Legal in-stitute at the Boston College Law School on March 8. Al-though the invitation has been sent to the St. Thomas More Club, anyone interested in a career in the legal profession is welcome to attend Those plan. welcome to attend are asked to sub-mit their names to Rev. Philip C. Skehan, O.P., or to any of the club officers sometime this week

The program for the Institute as folle

10:30 A.M.—Registration. 10:33 A.M.—Registration. 10:35 A.M.—Case Method Class with Professor Warren A. Seavey, Room 201. 12:00 Noon—Luncheon for all music with the Deen and Foc.

- guests with the Dean and Faculty of the Boston College Law School in Law School Dining Hall.
- 1:50 P.M. Alumni Faculty -Student Forum on "Careers in Law," Room 201. Professor Cornelius J. Moyni-

han of the Boston College Law School Faculty.

Mr. Thomas F. Murphy, '57, Clerk to Honorable Raymond S. Wilkins, Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts.

3.30 P.M. — Coffee Hour with the Dean, Faculty and Student Bar Association—O'Keefe Lounge.

No reservations are necessary to attend the Pre-Legal Insti-tute. All participants will be the luncheon guests of the Law School





Freshman Class Officers



Front: Leo Connerton; back row (left to right): J. C. Cicilline, James Geary, Thomas Donovan.

Alumni Weekend Festivity Features Game. Dance

For the third successive year, the Friars of old gathered to-gether on Homecoming Week-end. The festivities began on Friday with a dinner preceded by a reception. That evening the alumni enjoyed a formal dance in Harkins Hall, with music by Vin Capone and his orchestra.

On Saturday, the alumni re-convened for their annual Alumni Meeting in Harkins Hall while the ladies were treated to a fashion show in the audi-torium. Saturded a dinner held in the cafeteria of Alumni Hall. At this dinner, the P. C. East-ern Intercollegiate champion-ship baseball team of 1928 was honored. The principal talk, the Krieger Address, was given by the Very Reverend Irving A. Georges, O.P., S.T.M. The Krie-ger Awards, given in honor of the late Anselm Krieger, for-On Saturday, the alumni rethe late Anselm Krieger, for-mer Friar All-American basketball player, were presented to the current varsity captains of all Friar sports by the Very

Reverend Robert J. Slavin, O.P., President of the College. Those honored included Dave Harring-ton of the rifle team; Bill Hanlon, cross country; Herb Nicho-las and Ed Lewis, baseball: Lou LaFontaine, hockey; and Ed Donohue, basketball.

the gymnasium to witness the conclusion of the 100-52 triumph of the Frosh over Durfee Tech, and the spectacular upset of the rebounding Friars over fav-ored St. John of Brooklyn, 53-50. Following the game, a crowd of some 450 people attended an informal get-together held in Harkins Hall. This was the best attended function of the weekend, excepting the bas-

the weekend, excepting the bas-ketball game. The weekend concluded on Sunday morning with Mass in Aquinas Chapel. Reverend Rich-ard D. Danilowicez, O.P., the Chaplain of the Alumni Asso-ciation, was the celebrant. Mrs. Veronica Mullen of Providence reigned as Queen of Homecom ing Weekend

Lenten Schedule

Monday through Friday Mass 6:40 a.m.—St. Joseph's Chapel. 7:10 a.m.—Aquinas Hall Chapel

8:00 a.m.-Harkins Hall Auditorium. 10:15 a.m.-Harkins Hall Auditorium.

Stations of the Cross and Ser-

mon—Wednesday 10:00 p.m.—Aquinas Hall Chapel.

Confessions - Monday through Friday

11:30-12:00-Harkins Hall Ora-12:30- 1.00-Harkins Hall Ora-

Ashes will be distributed after the morning Masses, between classes, and after evening devo-tions today.

Sophomores Planning Joint Social Event

President Tom Grady of the sophomore class has announced the possibility of a dance at Emmanuel College on Sunday, March 23. The officers of the class are looking into possibilities of the dance in regard to the Administration's policy dealing with social activities during the season of Lent. The dance would be held from four to eight p.m., either here or at Emmanuel.

A meeting of the officers and chairmen of the coming class weekend was held Tuesday, February 11. Plans for the weekend were discussed and the theme of "April in Paris" was confirmed. The chairmen for the weekend are Jim Ryan and Paul Campbell. The committee chairmen to assist them are: Decorations—Arthur Fer-land and David Ellis; Refresh-ments — James Cooney and Norm Jacques; Tickets — Gene McMahon and Peter McCarthy; Favors—John McPoland and Jo-seph Cianciolo; Publicity — Richard McStay and Charles Baker; Recreation—John Casey and Arthur Foster; Queen — Thomas Turicchi and William McLaughlin; Workers—Leonard Mcohe and Larry Pelletier; En-tertainment — William Anthony and David Carlin; Communion Breakfast—Thomas Moore and John Gorman. are: Decorations-Arthur Fer-John Gorman.

Retreat Notice

A final weekend retreat has been scheduled for the weekend of Friday, Feb. 28, at St. Dom-inic Savio's Retreat House in Peace Dale, R. I. Some thirty students have already signed up for this retreat. Any student who is interested in this last retreat is asked to see the Chap-lain of the College immediately.



Increased Opportunity For Lenten Devotions Stressed

During the Lenten season this year, the College has attempted to enable students to take

to enable students to take greater advantage of the wealth of religious opportunities af-forded by a Catholic campus. Continuing the practice start-ed last year, the Administration has voted to terminate the 9:30 A.M. class at 10:15 A.M. dur-ing the Holy Season of Lent in order to give students a greater opportunity to attend midopportunity to attend mid-morning Mass in Harkins' Hall morning Mass in Harkins Hail auditorium. In commenting on the mid-morning Mass, which starts at 10:15 and ends in time for the 10:40 class, Rev. Thomas In the lot-so class, Rev. Infomas H. McBrien, O.P., College Chap-lain, declared: "It is our sin-cere desire and fervent prayer that all our students will assist at daily Mass during this peni-tortical second Attendance at tential season. Attendance at Mass each day is the most per-fect way to participate in the Lenten season. We urge all students to make the sacrifices necessary to be present at Mass either in their parish

has either in their parisin church or on the campus." Every Wednesday evening at 10:00 P.M., special Lenten de-votions will be held in Aquinas chapel for the benefit of the dorm students. The services will include the Stations of the Cross and a sermon appropriate to the season. In addition, the dorm students are urged to take advantage of the daily pro-gram of Masses and night prayers maintained throughout the year for their benefit. A complete list of regulations concerning the Lenten Fast and

Abstinence follows: Abstinence

Abstinence 1. All students are bound by the law of abstinence, i.e., they are not allowed to eat meat on Ash Wednesday, Fridays or

Ash Wednesday, Fridays or Holy Saturday. 2. February 26 and March 1 are Ember Days, i.e., days of partial abstinence. On these days, meat may be taken only at the main meal.

3. Students are not dispensed from the law of abstinence. Fast 1. Students are not auto-

matically dispensed from the lenten fast.

lenten fast. 2. Students who are 21 years of age are bound by the law of fast, i.e., they are allowed only one full meal a day at which meat may be taken. Two other meats may be taken, two other must be meatless and not equal to the main meal. 3. Eating between meals is forbidden, although 1 ig u id s (e.g., coffee, milk, fruit juices) may be taken.

Students who reach the 4 4. Students who reach the age of 21 during Lent must be-gin to keep the fast on their birthday or seek a dispensation.

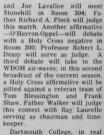
5. Dispensation from the law of fast may be sought from any priest on the faculty even out side of confession.

Barristers Visit **Cambridge** Meet

The Barristers traveled to the MIT campus located on the Charles River in Cambridge to Charles River in Cambridge to participate in the 13th annual MIT Invitational Debate Tour-nament. Both the affirmative and the negative scored three wins and two losses in the five-round tournament; the P.C. de-baters tied with Bowdoin, Dart-mouth, and Southeastern Okla-home homa.

Juniors William White and Frank Shaw outbested Tufts. Eastern Nazarene and Maine while succumbing to a powerful St. Anselm and a more powerful Georgetown negative. Thomas O'Herron and partner Robert Oppel handled the negative position ably enough in their contests with MIT, Emerson and Worcester Polytech but were outpointed-by no less than one point in each instance-by St. Peter's of New Jersey and the ladies of Radeliffe, 46-45 and 75-74, respectively. This

is evening at 7:00 a affirmative of Bill White P.C



snow country-Hanover, New Hampshire-will be the next invitational tournament for a Bar rister team. Tom O'Herron and Bob Oppel will defend alter-nately the affirmative and the negative of the national debate topic in the course of eight rounds—four on Friday and an-other four on Saturday. A pair of debates at Fairfield University will conclude this month's activities.







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Immediately following the dinner, the alumni went up to

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- 5:30 Monday Canavan 6:00 Here's to Vets
- Moderns
- 6:15 Monday I 8:00 Sign Off

TUESDAY

- 1:00 Campus Carnival
- 3:00 Campus Carnival, Sam Amu so
- 5:30 Vocal Music On the Quiet Side, Jim Pito-
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- 7:00 Sports Hi-Lites 7:15 Uninterrupted Music On YPEWRLERS

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Kovacs

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Barton 5:30

8:00 Sign Off

3.00

7:00 Special Events 7:30 Classicale

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

- 1:00 Campus Carnival, Arn-old Feital
- 3:00 Campus Carnival, Bert Goldstein 5:30 Sign Off







John Baglini and Dave Roche, seniors, form honor guard for

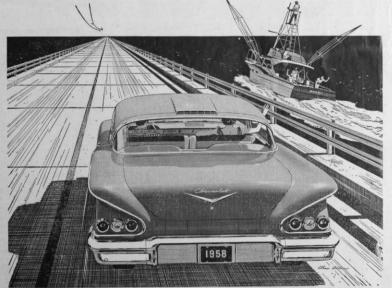
Tryouts For Brigadoon

The final audition for the Pyramid Players third scheduled production, "Brigadoon," will be held this evening, Feb ruary 19, at 7:30 in room 107, Harkins Hall. These auditions are for the feminine singing roles and for any people who missed last week's castings.

"Brigadoon," a Broadway musical by Loewe and Lerner, the collaborators for "My Fair Lady," is scheduled to go on

by Tommy Turicchi and his or-

"The Night of January Six teenth," the Ayn Rand play teenth," the Ayn Rand play scheduled for production last Sunday through Tuesday, Feb-ruary 16-18, was cancelled because Carole De Rise, the feminine lead, fell ill and was



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Philosophy Talks Television Series

Reverend John Reid, O.P. Reverence John Reid, O.P., Professor of Philosophy, is cur-rently conducting a series of lectures on WJAR-TV. The theme of the series is "Basic Philosophyne series is "Basic Philosophyne and is seen on Fri-days at 9:15 a.m. The talks are part of the educational series, the "World Around Us," and are directed at college students. are directed at college students. Father Reid's purpose in un-dertaking these lectures is to encourage those who can really profit by the study of philosophy to undertake it on their own. He has, therefore, di-rected his talks to the general audience. The subjects, al-though given in lecture form, are taken out of the classroom for easy digestion by the view-

Lessons . . .

(Continued from Page 3) pleasures of the world, nor did he try to blind himself to the various phenomena through the colonies. Rather, to quote from Professor Morison, "Washingcolonies. Rather, to quote from Professor Morison, "Washing-ton's qualities were so balanced that his talents, which were great but nothing extraordi-nary, were more effective in the long run than those of greater generals like Napoleon." There are several incidents of a fierce temper, there are several incidents of poor strategy in his life; yet by the strategy in his life; yet by the slow, careful accumulation of patience, discipline, and a calm, stoic acceptance of life, he restrained his passions. Again as Morison says, "He followed that course of conduct which ac-cording to secondhand popular-izers of Freud, make, a person 'thwarted,' 'inhibited,' and 're-pressed.' Yet Washington he-came a liberated, successful, and servene man...'

and serene man. ." Although we can not apply this excellent philosophy of life directly to any Thomistic ideals, certainly there is a great similarity. His ideas came mostly from the early Romans-Cato, Marcus Aurelius and the like, who in turn were influenced by who in this were initiated by the teachings of Aristotle. It is not remarkable, then, that Washington's ideas on life and government are so similar to those of the Dominican Order.

those of the Dominican Order. It is certainly an interesting proposition. At any rate it serves to stress the soundness of such a life of self-discipline, prudence and temperance as one which would be a good ex-ample for a few mers of us to ample for a few more of us to follow.



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GLEE CLUB TO SING

The Glee Club, under the direction of Rev. Leo S. Cannon, O.P., and Rev. Raymond B. St. George, O.P., will participate in the forty-third annual St. Vincent's Concert, Sunday, Feb. 23, at Veterans' Memorial Audi-torium at 8:00 p.m. Also included on the program will be the Four Voices, Dick Caruso, and Elena Doria, widely-known entertainers. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

Aguinas Society

Rev. John P. Reid, O.P., moderator of the Aquinas Society, has scheduled a meeting for this evening at 7:15 in Aquinas Lounge. Continuing the present series on Protestantism, the topic for this evening's talk will be "Current Protestant Thought." These meetings of the Society are open to the entire student body and all are welcome.

Delivery Date Set For **Class Ring Purchasers**

For the convenience of stu-dents purchasing class rings, deposits may be made in the Bookstore at any time during the remaining weeks prior to and following the delivery date. and following the delivery date. Mr. Sullivan, manager, has re-quested that the minimum de-posit be at least five dollars, and that deposits not be made during breaks between classes, due to the increase of regular Bookstore business at such times

In the latest report from the Herff-Jones Co., manufacturers of the class ring of 1959, delivery date is to be on or about April 18, 1958. At this time, in order to receive the ring, payments should be completed. Rings may not be taken until full payment is made. For thus who have not yet ordered their rings, the ring committee has been advised that 12 weeks production time should be al-lowed from the date that the order is taken.







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