Memphis Mentor Hopeful

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BY DALE P. FAULKNER

Bob Vanatta, the personable basketball mentor at Memphis State, feels that his 1960 Tigers might be the surprise of the National Invitation Tournament, which opens tomorrow. To an outsider, his team is no stranger to the NIT, said this morning that his club developed and is considered the "midgets" in last year's tourney. They don't have to look up to their opponents. And whereas they went into last year's tournament as a "soft touch," they enter the competition this year with an authoritative badge of basketball capability.

They will take into the tournament a glittering record of 22 victories, four defeats. Yes, only four defeats—and consider this the four losses, all away from home, were by a total of 10 points. They lost to Bradley by two points, to St. Louis by two points, to St. John's in overtime by two points, to St. John's in overtime. For they remember well the "Cinderella" team back in 1957. He's our best foul shooter and helps out a lot under the boards.

Price is Memphis' top scorer with a 17-point plus average. He's considered the "Steady Eddy" of the Tigers' attack and has been a regular at State for three years. At 6'6" Price is Memphis' top scorer with a 17-point plus average. At State, feels that the younger brother of Win Wolfe, Gene Wilfong, and Frank Wolfe, George Price, Lowery Kirk, Skip Kirk is one of the fastest men and is 1960 Providence College NIT.

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**NO BETTER WORDS TO DESCRIBE "BROTHERHOOD"**

With malice toward none; with charity for all…

--- Lincoln

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**Wilkens Honored By Journalists**

Len Wilkens picked up another award Monday afternoon, but such stories are hardly news any more. This time it was the Harry Stebbins trophy, symbolic of the outstanding college basketball player in New England.

This was the first time that the trophy had been awarded. Stebbins, former coach and athletic director at Brandeis University, passed away last fall and the award was initiated this year as a memorial to him.

The scene of the presentation was far from formal. Len took a few minutes out from practice during an intra-squad scrimmage, donned his familiar "14" and stepped to the microphone.

"I can't think of anything I can say to this group of coaches other than that I feel honored to receive this trophy," Wilkens said.

Wilkens, of course, was the Friars' outstanding performer this season, leading the team in scoring and rebounding and being named first-team All-American. He was also named to the all-conference team and was one of the three finalists for the Naismith Trophy.

**Colorful P C Grad:**

**Birdie’s Musings Heard**

By CHARLES J. GOETZ

Although not yet in the grand NCAA hoop tournaments are not yet in the books, the crack of the bat has already been heard in warmer climes and baseball is afoot in every corner of the country.

Casey Stengel, can come out of his usual slumber and the rest of the coaches, can get out of their slumber and the rest of the coaches, get out of their nests and they can get out of their nests and things can be expected to be heard.

Birdie didn't mince any words.

There actually are no "choke" games in baseball, the Providence alumni claims, elaborating on his controversial thesis. He noted that all ball players are consistent with the exception of what he termed "leg men."

"It is normal for baseball players to have periods of productivity and other periods of slump, for the human element is always an important in baseball. The manager can only pray for consistency in this normal inconsistency," according to the famous baseball strategist.

Tebbets theorizes that player captures a choke label from the sportswriters and television announcers and when a player has performed a choking performance, he is not expected to be consistent and when a player has performed a choking performance, he is not expected to be consistent and things can be expected to be heard.

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**MEMO FROM THE EDITOR:**

Some call it "Baghdad on the Subway," but the phrase underplays its compliment. Aladdin's genie would have been amazed at the Great White Way and Gotham's well-nigh topless towers, unrivalled by any exotic mansion. No Persian marketplace ever felt the feet of so numberless and varied a people, or echoed to such a medley of tongues. It would have been hardly fitting that the home of the United Nations should eclave any but New York's skies.

The city has more Jews than Tel Aviv and more Irish than Dublin. The skins of its citizens show every tint and shade of every racial strain, in penthouses and hovels, from Harlem to Park Avenue to Chinatown. New York restaurants sell everything from pizza and sauerbraten to Chinatown, New York restaurants sell everything from pizza and sauerbraten to Chinatown, New York restaurants sell everything from pizza and sauerbraten to Chinatown, New York restaurants sell everything from pizza and sauerbraten to Chinatown, New York restaurants sell everything from pizza and sauerbraten to Chinatown, New York restaurants sell everything from pizza and sauerbraten to Chinatown, New York restaurants sell everything from pizza and sauerbraten to Chinatown, New York restaurants sell everything from pizza and sauerbraten to Chinatown, New York restaurants sell everything from pizza and sauerbraten to Chinatown.

Manhattan can claim more Spanish dailies than there are English-language newspapers in Providence, Rhode Island.

Times Square newstands carry publications in several languages, while a businessman from Siam may turn up as just another straphanger in the subway.

A large part of the East's Mohawk Indians can be found scrambling overhead on the frames of embryonic skyscrapers, wearing steelworkers' helmets where their ancestors wore warbonnets.

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What ancient oriental bazaar boasted the people and places, tastes, types sounds and smells to be found on the corner of 42nd Street and Broadway? Perhaps Baghdad might have been flatter to be called "New York on the Tigris."

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**NO BETTER LABORATORY in brotherhood could be found than New York's daily living experiment in the war against racial prejudice. In Len of his too-frequent problems, this city holds out promise that our nation can outlive its Little Rock and a hopefulness equally proclaimed by Lincoln a century ago.**

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**Birdie's Musings Heard**

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by three and to St. Bonaventure in triple overtime by one.

There is something rather intriguing, many observers that if Johnny Egan had not been hobbled by a preseason knee injury, the Friars might have gone through the season undefeated.

Wilkens Tabbed All-American.

Egan was one of the lads who caught the eye of many of the nation's paper last season. The other was Lenny Wilkens, the current captain of the Friars and the first to gain All-American recognition since the late "24" greats of the 30's.

Egan's defensive wizardry was, at his best, a two-man game-with-the-lowering-St. Louis-whacks, the Friars, in that one, either stole, intercepted or deflected the ball less no less than 15 times.

In Memphis State, the Friars will meet a fast-breaking team with a record of 18 victories, four losses. One of those losses came at Dayton, 20-52, in overtime. That game, in which Memphis State led by 14 points in the first half, eventually is regarded as the Tigers' best effort of the season. Egan, for his part, and the Friars' way, is in the NIT field.

**Good Shooting Team.**

The Tigers have an average of 77.8 points a game and a defensive mark of 69.7. Wilkens is 28th in the nation in field-goal shooting percentage (44%) in the most recent National Collegiate Athletic Association list.

The Friars, incidentally, have a scoring average of 71.2 and a defensive average of 54.4, which is the third best among major colleges nationally. The Friar schedule overall has been more demanding than that of the Tigers.

The lid with whom the Friars will be most concerned is senior George Price (6-8), a forward who leads the Tigers in scoring with an average of 17.9. The other starters are junior Lowery Kirk (65); sophomore Frank Snyder (66), the tallest man on the team; and juniors Skip Wolfe and Gene Wilfong (60).

Kirk has a scoring average of 14.5, Wolfe 123, Wilfong 102 and Snyder 191. Wilfong is a brother of Win Wilfong of the Cincinnati Royals of the National Basketball Association.

Wilkens is the team's floor general and both he and Wilfong

are regarded as excellent defensive backcourt operators. The Tigers' tallest lad is junior Vane Yocum (64), who is among the top three substitutes.

The Friars' headquarters in New York is the Manhattan Hotel.
Fr. Quirk's Remarks

By ROBERT P. GRATHWOL

"What this country needs more than anything else is a $1200 to $1500 car." If advertisers for American Motors can claim that their Rambler "caused a turnover in the automotive industry," Fr. Charles B. Quirk, O.P., can lay fair claim to the title of economical prophet, for he made the above prediction in a "bit given two years ago while the country was in the midst of a recession.

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DETAILED AIRYED BY WICE

By JAMES CARROLL

The experimental Science Honors Key Program Training Program to be inaugurated at Providence College on December 17, 1959, was the subject of a round-table discussion broadcast by radio station WICE, Sunday evening.

The program, approved and sponsored by the National Institutes of Health, will begin in the full, four year format, including special research work during the summer following the sophomore and junior years. The students will be the recipients of full scholarships including tuition, room, board, all expenses and full employment during the summer research work.

The discussion on WICE was conducted by five members of Providence College faculty, two students at the college and a special guest, Mr. George A. Kenny, O.P., head of the Economics Department.

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bill, Americans can look for the full realization of his prophecy in the not-distant future, the head of the economics department here noted this week.

His original talk on the compact car was delivered at Providence College to the Thematic Institute of Industrial Relations. In it, Fr. Quirk also ventured the opinion that the automotive industry was pricing cars out of the reach of ordinary Americans.

Detroit evidently took sharp notice of the Dominican economist's statement. On Aug. 3, 1959, the Detroit Free Press, the city's leading newspaper, ran a special editorial entitled "Buy Cars Stranded on Price Plateau" in which Fred Oliver, the paper's automotive editor, cited Father Quirk's observations. The editorial read:

"What this country needs more than anything else, claims Father Quirk, is a $1200 to $1500 car to erase the recession. Glamorized $3000 cars, he says, are out of the reach of the ordinary persons and can't provide the economic shot in the arm that a low-priced automobile could."

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Cinderella’s 2nd Chance

The Fabulous Friars of Providence College are back in town. Last year sportswriters called them the “Cinderella team” of the National Invitational Tournament, but the 1960 version has become a full-fledged member of the big-time basketball family.

Providence stood the Big East on its ear last year with two upset thrillers during its tournament appearance here. However, the magic coach rolling on its way to an NIT crown was turned back as quick as a signing when the eventual titlist, a spirited St. John’s team, “struck midnight” for the tired lads from Rhode Island in the semifinals. The fairytale was over for 1959.

But “Cinderella” is back at the ball again this year, and with a new look. No fairy godmother will be necessary to put the talented Friar team on the court a week from Saturday when the title is decided.

In the popular concept of things, New Englanders aren’t one bit bashful about admitting that they’re here in the Rhode Island town. Last year the Fabulous Friars were to face St. John’s, and he’s still upset.” —Irvin Cobb.

Less Laziness, More Holler

College men, like all citizens, are intimately involved in political affairs whether they want to be or not. The only question is whether they will use their intellectual training and talent to determine the political policies which will affect their lives.

Voting once a year, for those of us who have reached legal age, is fine and dandy. So is taking part in local civic activities, such as fund-raising or other voluntary efforts. But these things are not enough to give a man or woman the political background which may profoundly affect his living standards and perhaps the individual liberties of himself, his future wife, and the family he intends to raise.

American colleges and universities are losing the traditional aura of all-year-round political ferment associated with campuses the world over. Presumably, to-day’s college students are tomorrow’s national leaders, but they are assuredly serving a poor apprenticeship. It would be a healthy sign to see a lot more editors and congressmen coming out of our colleges.

If we claim to be thinking men, why not let our representatives in federal, state and local government know our views? Then we can look at the march of American progress and say: “I have been a part of this!”

MEMPHIS STATE TEAM . . .

(Continued from Page 1) breaks have earned him the second leading scorer’s spot with a 10.3 standard.

Brook Sidney will be at center tonight against Providence and brings a 10.8 mark into the tourney. His height (6’1”) and toughness under the boards are other reasons why State became one of the best rebounding teams in the South. The Tigers trailed by four points against State and had Sidney’s rebound.

Notes From The SPORTSDESK

By DALLE PAULKNER

On JOHNNY EGGAN, PC’s deft backcourt operative, junior Leo Connerton, the rejuvenated political aspirant, is the base source going. Connerton finds Egan the most interesting topic area in PC and he’s a real “Hof’ when it comes to writing a column.

Once Connerton gets started on “Spicer” and is roaming around another Egan malady, wherever he’ll end or what anecdotes he’ll cover. The highly dressed Connerton has formed with Egan and Tim Myohnian, one of the most seen-together trios heretofore. Connerton, who played freshmen ball here with Egan and Myohnian, has become a way a top-flight political columnist. Connerton has a way of dealing his tales right out of everyday experiences, not from some times a seeming scorebook.

LEO TOLD ME last week that he doesn’t think that Egan’s knee is as well as everyone thinks it is.

“It’s hard to tell, because that guy will go to any lengths to get on a court. I remember before the first Brown game in December coming into his room and seeing “Space” flat on his back, trying to get his hives and his knee back into place. No doubt the knee gives him a lot of pain. But he is living with it, but it was, I’m not too sure that Egan’s not covering up a lot of pain.”

“I’ve seen him get up from a dinner table, walk a few feet and say that the thing’s out again. That was an occasion cause he was pretty upset about it when he was in lots of pain.”

ALL THE TIME Connerton’s “going” on the spaceman, he emphasizes Egan’s silence.

“I never saw him happier than after the Holy Cross game and that includes last year’s NIT wins. He really wanted that one and he knows it because everything turned out so well. ‘Ya know he really appreciates PC and he really appreciates VU too’ said Joe Mollanese, the priest and the whole student body knows that one that more than anything else.”

“Time and again he tells me how everyone connected with the team and the school was greatly concerned over the damaged limb. And it wasn’t because of the games PC might have lost or had to struggle through, but because of the physical trouble itself.”

WHAT IS probably Connerton’s favorite story centers around another Egan malady.

“How ARE YOU going to play for this year?” He’s going on heart and spirit for a long time, but that’s the kind of guy he is.”

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Last year’s special edition of The Cowl told us one thing, and the special edition this year will be at war with his older sister. The Friar were to face St. John’s.

In 1958, Fathers Quirk, Reid, and Fingerdl were stars on the Providence College Television Program. It may be some notice that Father Quirk’s “Booms or Bust Economy,” Bredgrof was being presented at the Convention. The Friar were in camera, and the Friar were in the Providence dining hall.

Dr. Bells Dodd was addressing the PC students about four years ago today. She was claming for (among other things) the safeguarding of American Education from their influence.

Back in 1949 WDDE was broadcasting the first time on Campus. Digging even farther back, we see that in 1940, PC was to play Villanova here in the Rhode Island Auditorium.

Many students were actually in the Providence campus by a blizzard which hit the city. PC became host to traveling teams, truck drivers, and a coach from Brown for the night.

and I Quote

“Everyone knows that many of the new drugs are not cheap. These days you can expect to pay as much for a pill of pneumonia as to take her to dinner and the theater.”—Chicago Tribune.

“Advice is what the old give the young when they can no longer set them a bad example.”—Irvin Cobb.

“The cynic is just a man who found out when he was about 10 there wasn’t any Santa Claus, and he’s still upset.”—James Gould Cozzens.

“A bad meal can be redeemed by good conversation, but a good meal can be irretrievably ruined by bad conversation.”—Ashley Montagu.

“Almost everyone knows the difference between right and wrong. Not some just hate to make decisions.”—Joseph Salak.

“The people who look to government to bring them security and prosperity ought to remember that they are the American Indes.”—Banking.

“He is at war with what is hateful within himself is too weak to play with his neighbor.” — Bishop Fulton J. Sheen.

“The huge national debt our younger generations will inherit should keep them from one indulgence—anterior worship.”—Wall Street Journal.

JOEAN EGGAN

Leaving Year’s Peak

—of ’em played pro ball once—same week, yeah—Bobby Knight.

EGAN, WHEN HE was right this year, along with Lenny Wilkens composed what could rate as the best backcourt duo in the collegiate sport. It was the club’s recent spurt that earned Egan a second team All-New England berth.

Ever since the pasting PC gave Siena, Egan has been at close to full strength. He has played, of late, with his earlier agility and has been scoring and assisting like the old “EG,” as Connerton puts it.

“HOW ARE YOU going to approach it? Connerton asked, turning the tables. Leo didn’t have time to have the question answered, but instead he pointed emphatically at a word I had jotted down earlier—guilt.

“I think that’s the Egan’s story for this year. He’s going on heart and spirit for a long time, but that’s the kind of guy he is.”
By FRANK MAZZEO, JR.

Approximately a year ago, sight basketball fever struck Providence College with nationwide repercussions. The Friars victories over Manhattan and St. Louis gave them a name in the hoop world, and placed them in the hearts of the home fans. Then all other athletic endeavors in Frieland have taken a back seat to roundball.

This year's edition of the Frieland six loses seven players through graduation. Captain Pete Bergin, Bert Frizzo, George Gingell, Les Trique, Jack Turner, Jim Flaherty and Paul Gauthier graduate this June. Six of the seven were regulars and the other saw spot duty.

A fine hockey team played an entire season in obscurity while posting an 11-9 record.

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You’ve just met a girl whose beauty impresses you noticeably. Do you (A) ask for a date at once? (B) say, “Aren’t you lucky you found me!” (C) find out what she likes to do?

A □ B □ C □

A rich uncle offers to give you his big, expensive vintage-typewriter-motor. Doyou (A) say, “How about a sports car, Dad?” (B) decline the offer, knowing the big old boat would keep you broke maintaining it? (C) take the car and rent it for big occasions?

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A manufacturer asks you to pick the kind of filter cigarette he should make to win the most smokers. Would you recommend (A) a cigarette whose weak taste makes smokers think it has a strong filter? (B) a cigarette with a strong taste and a filter put on just for effect? (C) a cigarette with a filter so good it allows use of richer tobacco?

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Smokers who think for themselves depend on their own judgment—not fast or opinion.

The Man Who Thinks for Himself Knows—ONLY VICEROY HAS A THINKING MAN’S FILTER—A SMOKING MAN’S TASTE!
Frosh Reign Supreme in N. E. Circles

Final Record 18-1
In Season Play

Providence College's varsity basketball team under Roy Premere in New England for the 1959-60 season. The "Fabulous Friars" were the big game, the supreme in New England for the basketball team reigned kingpin in New England, but;

On the basis of season's accomplishments are startling. The guards:

- Vinny Ernst (5'9", 165 lbs.)
- Carl Spencer (6'5", 173 lbs.)
- John Jenkins (6'5", 170 lbs.)

exceptional ability to pivot and drive, Good two-handed shot. Quick defensively. Led team from free throw line (80%). Only real drawback is smallness.

- Ray Flynn (5'11", 180 lbs.)

Complete superb backcourt. Averaged 16.4 points per game. 23.3 average in last six games. Amazing accuracy from outside with one-hander. Improved greatly in passing and defensive play. Ideal "zone breaker."

The forwards:

- Fred Gillis, Ed Arage and Bill Shreddie.

Coach Jackie Allen's talented frosh compiled a host record in the area. 16-1. The only serious challenge for regional supremacy is offered by the Boston College freshmen, 17-2. In the first meeting of the clubs, the Friars whipped the Eagles 64-72. PC led by 31 points before the starting five was withdrawn. In a return encounter, RC applied the Friarlets' bid for an undefeated season with a 61-59 victory. As Providence fought back from a 61-50 deficit, a game-winning basket with four seconds remaining was disallowed because of a three-second violation. On the basis of season's records and comparative games, the Friarlets' leadership is reason-

While statistics are an indication of the talent of a team, they are, however, the result, not the reason why the PC frosh are high-

The cause for their success is that the Frosh are versatile, flexible and accomplished basketball players with varsity-caliber ability. As a unit their accomplishments are starting; while this week as the aftermath of 17.7 inches of snow which blanketed Providence lingered on. Indications are that the campus is almost completely deserted tonight.

Hoopsters exhibit many varied talents

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when he was starting to shine. However, the past three games he's looked like the Cool Breeze of old. Watch him under the boards and you'll see a master at work.

TED HADNOT '62 - P.C.'s giant gentle giant on the opposition as he leads the Friars in scoring, rebounding, and field goal percentage, among others. Much was expected of the 6'10" sophs and thought it has taken time he has truly lived up to his pre-season press notices. One of the top five rebounders in nation, Jumbo Jim is pretty good defensively (ask Bradley's Chet Walker) His top games so far have been against Boston College (25 points, 25 rebounds) and Holy Cross (25 points).

RICH WHALEN '64 - "One-hander Whale" has come through for the Mullane men this season to the tune of 10 pts. per gig. Recognized as one of the most accurate shooters in New England, Rich didn't see much action until this year. His 22 points 11 rebounds and 8 steals against Assumption serves notice to the opposition that he is now ready. He doesn't miss very often.

TOM MOYNAHAN '63 - Tom has been fighting for the fifth

spot and consequently has seen much duty. He has a strong jumper, can drive either way and with his quick, strong hands is good defensively. Averaging seven points per, his top effort was against St. Joe's game, set him back a few games, but lately his shooting in practice has been good. Joe, a point man, has had little chance to prove himself on the court this year. He possesses a good jumper and good one hander.

TIM FOLLIARD '63 - at 6'6" this soph from Washington, D. C. can stuff with either hand. In his spot as

BLAZER CREST

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hears the Latin motto "Veritas" meaning Truth. Diagonally across from the triangle, and likewise on a gold background, is a torch-bearing figure, the traditional symbol of the Diocese of Providence, whose spiritual and educational leadership is a guiding influence in founding the College. Diagonally to the crosses, on the same background as the white fleur-de-lis symbolizing the Blessed Virgin and incorporating her name, is a circle. The outside of the shield is bordered by white lilies, the symbols of purity and of St. Thomas Aquinas.

Judges at the selection of the crest in 1959, picked the current design on the basis of its conformity to the specification of presenting "in a most pleasing and symmetric manner the symbols of St. Thomas of Aquinas, and St. Charles Borromeo, and the initials of the Diocese of Providence, the name St. Anthony's, and the motto of the College."
Rundown on Last Year's N.I.T.

For those Friar fans who ventured down to Madison Square Garden last year, fond memories are recalled concerning the two upset victories over Manhattan and White. As man of the hour for PC in Space Egan was the second victory over Manhattan. Both of the surprising victories were administered by Providence College concerning the memories are recalled leniently by fans. Concerning the game won last year, near the end Fr., St. George said that he did not know how the Friars inserted the seniors to finish out their collegiate careers.

The first was the last-minute victory over Manhattan, 68-66. Space Egan was the man of the hour for PC in this win, chalking a twenty-five foot jumper with four seconds left. Previously, the Friars had led by as many as 11 points.

That game earned the Manhattan the right to challenge the St. Louis Billikens for a place near the front of the tournament. Providence had just given St. George his third straight All-East team along with two of his greatest point performances against Holy Cross and Boston University. Whether shooting or passing, John Egan is sure to catch your eye on the court! 

The Joe Lapchick-coached Redmen rolled over the Friars in the time of 75-50. PC led early in the game but St. John's ran off to a substantial halftime lead and coasted in.

In the consolation round, New York University jumped off to a big lead, increased it to 28 points in the second half, and then withstood a furious late comeback by the Friars to win by a comfortable margin.

Providence had cut the lead to eight points with three minutes remaining when Maloney inserted the seniors to finish out their collegiate careers.

Band At N.I.T., Not In Parade

It was indeed a smiling Providence St. George who took The Cowl last Thursday that, while the band will not be playing at the N.I.T., it will be playing at the N.I.T.

Fr., St. George said the administration had just given him permission to take the band and that they would play at each of the games in which the team plays.

"Last year we were the only team there with a band. The people loved it," he said. The decision to stay out of the St. Patrick's Day Parade came after a letter was received from the St. Patrick's Day Parade committee that their position in the parade would be the same as last year's. Fr., St. George said that he did not feel that it was worth the time, effort, and money that would be needed to go if we could not get a better position.

The letter was in reply to one signed by the band asking for a place near the front of the parade due to the great distance it has to travel. Also, by 4:20 (the time the band started last year), the people are going home and the TV has stopped broadcasting the parade.

Ahead by one at the moment, but PC faces possession of the ball as Joe Dougherty pulls down a rebound while two teammates break down court, attempting to start a fast break for the Jaspers.

Ahead by three and then by six as Wilkens scores again and adds a foul shot, shortly after John Egan had put PC ahead, 53-50, with a 3-pointer.

Profiles of Basketeers

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LEN WILKENS

Back In New York

Len, Jimmy, John, Jake, Whale, Den All Sparked Team

By BERNARD L. MADDEN

Cowl Sports Editor

Three months ago the Providence College basketball season began, but was to be the most ambitious schedule in its history. They were faced with a 25-game schedule which included games with some of the top basketball forces in the country.

Egan and Dick Whelan paced the Friars in the first game with 12 points apiece, as the Maloneymen crushed AIC 85-57. Big Jim Hadnot, 6'10" giant from California, bulwarked the defense with 16 rebounds and three points in his varsity debut.

Six days later, Dec. 9, the Friars traveled across town and buried the Brown Bears, 94-97. They won their third game of the season on Dec. 12 as Hadnot, with 10 pts. and 17 rebounds, led the locals on a second-half surge over a stubborn St. Francis (Brooklyn) sextet. After being played to a virtual standstill in the opening stanza, the Friars surged to their eventual 73-63 victory in the finale of the Alumni Half game.

Then came the road trip on which the Friars proved themselves...