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JR. PROM, SOPH WEEKEND NEAR

"Kiss Me Kate" Is Cancelled By PC Players

The curtain has fallen on the Pyramid Players' production of "Kiss Me Kate," scheduled for the RISD auditorium May 13 and 14.

"Cancellation of the affair was not to be blamed on the lack of people signing up to participate in the play, but rather on the fact that the persons involved didn't attend the scheduled rehearsals," stated Rev. Robert Morris, O.P., director of the event.

"Another reason for the death of the play could be the fact that this month is crammed with social activities. Because of the late Easter vacation, the weekends have been pushed back and rehearsal time went out the window," said Fr. Morris.

According to Father Morris, the principals worked hard on their part, and there were sixteen people signed up for the male chorus. But when rehearsal time came, only three showed up.

AED Wins Awards ...



IN THE WINNERS' CIRCLE at the national convention of the AED is PC's John Rampono. Rampono (second from right) is holding the Attendance, Activities, Scalpel, and 100% Attendance cups, all garnered by Rhode Island Alpha Chapter. Other award-winning chapters are also represented above. Story on Page 2.

Photo Courtesy of AED

As one thespian pointed out. "It was fun, and I'm sure going to miss those rehearsals."

ALEMbic EDITOR

G. Brian Sullivan, a junior from Newport, R. I., has been selected as the editor of the Alembic for the academic year beginning next September.

The disclosure was made by the Rev. Robert L. Walker, O.P., moderator of the publication. Sullivan is a Letters major who has served for several years as a staff writer.

Student Congress To Establish Permanent Blood Bank On Campus

Chairman Joseph Lyons of the Student Congress Blood Bank committee disclosed today that final plans have been completed for the establishment of a permanent blood bank at Providence College.

The bank is to be instituted for the purpose of enabling students, professors, college employees, wives of students and all other members of the official Providence College family to draw on they should need blood in the case of sickness or emergency.

The bank would be centered at Our Lady of Fatima Hospital, but could be drawn upon from any of the other hospitals in Providence and surrounding areas.

First drive for the newly-established bank will be held on Thursday, May 12, here at Providence College. The center for the drive will be the Student Center in Alumni Hall and it will commence at 3:00 p.m.

Attendees from Our Lady of Fatima will supervise the donations. Those volunteering their blood must be over twenty-one years of age. Those between the ages of eighteen and twenty-one who wish to donate to the bank can do so with the expressed written consent of their parents.

Blood donors are reminded that they should fast for four hours before giving blood and should not have had alcoholic

beverages for at least twelve hours.

Friars Solicit For Refugees; Collect \$1000 In Prov. Area

The Rhode Island Student Committee for Refugees collected over three thousand dollars in the door to door solicitation held last Sunday night. Over one-third of this amount was collected by the group of solicitors from Providence College.

About nine hundred students worked on the drive, of whom almost three hundred were from PC. PC students were responsible for covering half of Providence and all of Cranston.

Seven schools took part in the drive, with Providence College sending out the greatest number of solicitors and collecting the greatest amount of money. Other schools participating in the drive were Brown University, Pembroke College, Rhode Island College of Education, Rhode Island School of Design, Bryant College, Salve Regina College, and Barrington College.

At the beginning of the drive, the students, who were to brave a rainstorm, received a phone call from Governor Christopher

Del Sesto with words of encouragement and good wishes. A resolution praising the efforts of the student committee had been passed in the state legislature.

Money received in the drive will be used for food, clothing, medicine, and vocational training of refugees. Much of it will be earmarked for special funds, to be decided at the discretion of the committee.

Students from Guzman Hall and from the Perishing Rifles unit solicited together. A contribution was made by the New Haven club.

Thomas O'Herron, chairman of the committee, announced that expenses for the drive did not exceed three percent of the amount collected.

Prom Highlight Of Junior Affair As Class Weekends Approach

By RAY BURKE

Ralph Flanagan's music will be featured in the highlight of Junior Weekend, Saturday evening.

On the preceding night the sophomores will attend a casual dance at the K. of C. Hall in North Providence as a part of their weekend. The theme of the sophomore weekend is "Parisian Holiday."

The juniors will hold their prom in Raymond Hall in an atmosphere centered around "High Society."

The Junior Weekend, centered around the prom, will feature a jazz session on Friday evening, a picnic on Saturday afternoon, and a communion breakfast, Sunday morning.

Saturday's schedule for the sophomores consists of a boat ride in the afternoon and a semi-formal, non-floral dance at Harkins Auditorium in the evening. The boat will leave from Providence and Billy Weston will entertain on board.

On Sunday a Communion breakfast will be held. Later in the day the sophs will attend a Glee Club concert.

Plans for the Freshmen Weekend "On The Riviera" were completed early this week when Lum Gasbarro, co-chairman of the affair, announced that Father Cunningham will be the guest speaker at the Communion breakfast.

The weekend scheduled for May 13, 14, and 15, will commence.

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Msgr. Hochwalt To Be Speaker At Graduation

The Rt. Rev. Monsignor Frederick C. Hochwalt will be the featured speaker at Commencement ceremonies on June 7.

Msgr. Hochwalt will bring to the speaker's podium a nationwide reputation owing to his widespread activities on a number of prominent educational commissions and boards.

Among the Catholic educator's distinctions are the directorship of the Department of Education of the NCWC and the Secretary Generalship of the National Catholic Educational



MSGR. HOCHWALT

Association. He has headed both of these organizations since 1944.

He holds honorary degrees from nine U. S. colleges and universities as well as having been named recipient of Xavier University's St. Francis Xavier Gold Medal in 1954. Marquette University bestowed the Pere Marquette Award on him in 1956.

Msgr. Hochwalt was recently honored by the NCEA for his long service to Catholic higher education. Member colleges, including PC, were asked to offer a spiritual bouquet in his behalf.

Dale P. Faulkner and Joseph Valky were also announced as student speakers at Parents Night, slated for June 6. Valky is associate editor of the Veritas, while Faulkner recently completed his term as editor of The Cowl.

Carolan Club Elections Tonite

Elections for officers of the Carolan Club will take place tonight in Raymond Hall during the evening meal from 4:30-6:15. There are 11 candidates seeking the four positions.

Also to be on the ballot is an amendment to the constitution whereby the class representation will be changed from 2 representatives to 3 representatives. A two-thirds majority vote is needed for approval.

Providence College
Providence 8, R. I.Editorial Offices
Harkins Hall

MEMO FROM THE EDITOR:

After an editorial meeting early this year, I was delegated the task of warning the Student Congress that the public relations honeymoon was over as far as The Cowl was concerned. A decision had been made to treat Congress affairs with all the hard-hitting frankness of a metropolitan daily reporting on the doings at City Hall.

Observers on the paper had concluded that this was to be the year of crisis for student government here. Under the cold light of publicity, and prodded by the "editorial needle," the Congress would be forced to either end its ineffective adolescence or surrender any claim to respect on campus.

Well, I think it can be said that the Student Congress made the grade. If its record has been characterized more by mediocrity than solid accomplishment, at least this has been a period of dramatic improvement. The groundwork has been laid for a truly effective organization to materialize during the course of the oncoming year.

The newly elected Congress members will bear an awesome responsibility, not the least of which is the winning of campus-wide respect for themselves and the offices they hold. They face the necessity of exercising firmness and aggressiveness to assert their place as bona fide class officers, co-equals with their counterparts in class government.

Perhaps the era of mishaps and blunders is not yet over for the student legislators, but the road now at least leads upward rather than down.

If you're on campus tonight, tune in WDOM from eight to nine o'clock when a student panel will lay it on the line about PC's student government. The explosions may put you in mind of Fourth of July!

CHARLES J. GOETZ

"Memo From the Editor" is an individual column of personal opinion not necessarily representative of The Cowl's official editorial policy.

BRADLEY CAFENew Cocktail Bar Now Open
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The Cowl extends its sympathy to Mr. John King, of the College math department, whose father died Tuesday, April 26.

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Sears Voted SC Prize

"Outstanding Congressman"; Award To Be Annual Event

Jack Sears, 26-year-old business accounting senior, has been named as the "Outstanding Congressman of the year" by the Student Congress in a poll at last week's meeting.

Sears, a native of Springfield, Mass., is the first to receive the award which will become an annual prize according to a Congress bill passed last year. He will be presented with a certificate by President Dennis Lovely at the forthcoming inaugurations of the 1960-1961 PC Congress.

An honor student, Sears has been a leading cog for the Congress throughout the year. He was chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the body and was in charge of all class elections and assemblies.

He served as chairman of the Constitutional Revision and the Student Congress pin committees, as well as serving on the ring standardization group. He also proposed the legislation which enabled wives of PC students to attend school athletic events at reduced prices.

Following the voting, the Congress held its regular meeting. Committee reports were read and it was found that the Social Committee of the Congress, chaired by Joseph Lyons, was conducting a public hearing on the problem of the Friday night dances at which time all students would be given the opportunity to express their opinions.

Lyons expressed hope that through this hearing many constructive ideas would be set

forth and that the situation regarding the Friday dances would be improved. The hearing was scheduled for Monday
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Increase Granted In Defense Loan

Providence College has received a supplemental Federal capital contribution to the National Defense Student Loan Fund. In the allotment there is \$11,131 for the current year to which the College must add \$1,237 making \$12,368 available for additional loans at this time. An additional allowance has been made for commitment to incoming freshmen.

Applications under this extension should be filed immediately.

Applications for the year ending June, 1961, should be on file by May 10. Freshmen entering next year have already made requests for 18 loans, totaling \$14,875. Upperclassmen already here at Providence College have made 34 requests for aid totaling \$26,550.



DR. JOHN W. HEIN

Providence AED Group Fares Well At Convention

By Edward Bartolini

Rhode Island Alpha, the Providence College chapter of Epsilon Delta, international pre-medical honor society, scored an unprecedented sweep of awards at the recent Thirteenth National Convention of the Society held at the University of Louisville, April 7-9.

Three categories of chapters were organized at the convention. Providence College in the 14-20 member division scored the first "grand slam" in the history of the society.

Besides winning the activities and attendance cups for the division, Providence's representatives took the Scapell award and the cup for 100% attendance. At no time during the 34-year history of the society had the latter award been won.

Fr. Reichart, head of the biology department at PC was elected an officer in the capacity of national treasurer.

On Sunday, May 1, in the Guild Room of Alumni Hall seven students were initiated into the pre-medical society.

Doctor John W. Hein, Dean of Tufts University School of Dental Medicine, and Professor of Preventive Dentistry, was the principal speaker.

Current officers of the organization conducted the initiation. Students meeting the requirements for membership were: James Mailhot, Edward T. Grimes, Harold W. Bonus, Robert M. Feeley, Timothy H. McCann, Roger D. Raymond, and Thomas A. Vest.

Dr. Charles L. Farrell and Dr. Albert H. Jackvony, two local physicians, were cited for serving their Rhode Island communities faithfully and with distinction, and were elected to honorary membership.

fact that all of them are dorm students. This fact is unusual because the constitution of the Congress states that there must be at least one dayhop as a congress representative.

The Congress, therefore, voted that the dayhops did have representation in the person of Charles McAree, who is a dayhop.

Juniors Re-elect McAree; Donovan Remains Vice-Pres.

By PETE WHITE

The efforts of Leo Connerton and Dave Duffy to remove Charlie McAree as president of the class of '61 went for naught last week as McAree was re-elected to the post by his classmates.

Bookstore Goal Is 1000 Titles; Subjects Vary

"I will expand the store until I run out of room," said Mr. Daniel Sullivan, manager of the PC Bookstore.

During the recent expansion of the store, Mr. Sullivan increased the number of books to a new high of 700 titles and feels he is well on his way to personal goal of 1,000.

Most of the books are of the paperback type and are in the thirty-five cents to seventy-five cents price range. There are other types also, but these are more expensive and are primarily intended as gift items.

The topics covered are as varied as the winds. The entire Image series, Russian novels, Irish poets, American humor and the history of the world, can be found on the shelves of the store.

These books are ordered through various agents in London, Rome, Boston, New York, and are in clothing, jewelry, and greeting cards.

This marks the third term that McAree, a political science major from West Haven, Connecticut, has served as president of his class.

In an interview he stated that the class would keep the benefits of new ideas, and the campaign wouldn't offer any handicap to his work. "It will increase class participation in all events and I'm sure I will get the aid I need from my opponents during the course of the year," said McAree.

The president-elect also stated that he would like to see more interest on the part of his class in the selection of a class gift. McAree added that he would like to see an enlargement of the Fall Frolic, the opening of homecoming weekend to the PC student body, and a reasonably priced commencement weekend.

The other officers were filled as follows: Tom Donovan, vice-president, 249 votes; secretary, Paul Pisanò, 213 votes; treasurer, Kevin McCarthy, 214 votes. The representatives for Student Congress are Robert Opel, John Hurley, Charles Carroll, James Carroll, Carl McCarden, and Tom Byrnes.

The agent for the class of '61 is Charles Goetz.

The result of the representative race was marked by the

Death Penalty: Mercy or Monstrosity?

By DAVE DONNELLY, Jr.
(First of Two Parts)

Monday morning at 10:00 a.m. (California time) Caryl Chessman met his death in the California State Gas Chamber. For over a decade now, Chessman has been a symbol, both for the abolitionists of capital punishment, and also for those in favor of it.

Millions of Americans are debating these questions: "Should Capital punishment be abolished?; Should a larger number of persons be put to death?"

Debate Tourney Held Saturday

Classical High School student Bruce Paisner took the award for the top negative speaker last Saturday at the Providence College Third Annual Secondary School Invitational Debate Tournament. The top affirmative speaker was Daniel Paladino of Archbishop Stepinac High School, White Plains, N. Y.

Team honors went to out-of-state schools with Laconia High School of Laconia, N. H., taking first place on the affirmative side. The first place on the negative side went to White Louis Academy of Jamaica, N. Y.

The affirmative runner-up was Archbishop Stepinac High, and the negative runner-up was Mission Church High School of Roxbury, Mass.

The debaters were the guests of the College for luncheon on Saturday.

There are many facts, both pro and con concerning capital punishment, the following are a few of them.

Four methods of execution are used in the U. S. today; gas, the electric chair, hanging, and shooting (Utah). The methods of execution in each case have been changed relatively little over the years.

Hanging is the oldest of the four. The day before the execution, the prisoner is weighed and measured to find what length of drop will be needed to break his neck. The next morning he is marched to the gallows, his hands strapped to his sides, and blindfolded. A signal is given, the trap is sprung.

Electrocution also has its preliminaries. The prisoner's body is prepared for the electrodes. They are placed to his head and legs, the switch is pulled, and two different voltages surge through his body. Both electrocution and hanging leave the body with grotesque disfigurements.

Death in the gas chamber is

the easiest. Cyanide "eggs" are dropped into acid, and the prisoner, after the first breath lapses into merciful unconsciousness. In about 10 minutes he is pronounced dead.

Capital punishment can be found recorded in the history of the earliest civilized peoples. It has been adopted by all our states as they entered the Union, except Alaska and Hawaii and is still on the books in 41 of them. There are nine "abolitionist" states: Alaska, Delaware, Maine, Michigan, Minnesota, North Dakota, Rhode Island, Wisconsin, and Hawaii.

Murder is the crime most frequently punished by the supreme penalty in the U. S., but the laws of some states also provide execution for rape, kidnapping, robbery, burglary, arson, dynamiting, dueling, and even perjury.

Advantages Of Killing

Advocates contend that there are many advantages to killing prisoners — not the least of which is economy. Killing a prisoner saves the cost of food, guarding, clothing, and medical

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THE ULTIMATE PENALTY was paid by Caryl Chessman in the California gas chamber (right) Monday morning. Strapped into the chamber's chair, the last sound he heard was that of the deadly cyanide "eggs" dropping into a vat of acid. In less than ten minutes capital punishment exacted another life.

PR's Receive Awards At 6th Reg. Assembly

The Sixth Annual Twelfth Regimental Assembly of Pershing Rifles was held at M.I.T. on April 29. Company Commander David Ellis represented Company K-12 of Providence College.

Capt. Ellis received the Gold Achievement Award, the highest presented in Pershing Rifles, for outstanding leadership, initiative and contribution. He led the two platoons, under the command of 2nd Lt. John Sullivan and Kevin McCarthy, onto the floor after the morning inspection by the Battalion Executive. PC's Trick Drill Team commanded by Capt. James Connolly also performed.

Election of Cadet Colonel Reed Freeman as Regimental Commander for the coming year was the highlight of the day.

Other awards were received by 1st Lt. Thomas Byrnes and John McNiff, who were given the Silver and Bronze Achievement Awards, respectively. Recipients of the Regimental Commander's Award for meritorious service were 2nd Lt. Carl McCarden and Sgt. John Manley; Best Basic Cadet Award went to M/Sgt. Walter Werner; Outstanding Pledge Award went to Cadet Private Ganino.

Awards won in a field of ten competing companies were the first place Regimental Trophy, and the Second Place Drill Meet Trophy. Highest Individual Rifleman Award was won by Sgt. Ray Ouelette.

"Cap and Gown" Program, May 6

"Cap and Gown" night for the members of the senior class will be held this Friday night, May 6, according to Joseph Valky, chairman of the event.

The program commences at 7:00 p.m. in Harkins Hall auditorium. The class prophecy will be ready by John McBennett and Allen Davis.

A class skit prepared by Joseph Valky, Ted Thibodeau, Charles Walsh, and John Me-

Turicchi Is Elected '61 Veritas Editor Under New Set-Up

At a recent editorial board meeting, Thomas E. Turicchi was elected editor-in-chief of the 1961 Veritas.

Turicchi, a member of the class of 1961, has been associate Editor and Sports Editor of the 1960 Veritas.

The new editor will be first to serve under the yearbook's new organizational set-up. In the past, the yearbook has been a function of the graduation class. Next year the book will operate as an independent organization, much as The Cowl is presently. Despite this change, however, the Veritas will continue to represent the graduation class, with special emphasis on seniors. Rev. Richard Fleck, O.P., moderator of the class of 1961, will double as moderator of the Veritas.

Also under the new independent status, more freshmen, sophomores, and juniors will be included on the staff, thus providing experienced continuity for following years.

Poland, will follow the reading of the prophecy.

Last on the formal program will be the presentation of degrees to the wives of members of the senior class. Some 25 wives are scheduled to receive the "Putting Husband Through (PHT) Degree." These degrees will be presented by the Rev. Joseph Lennon, O.P., Dean of the College.

After the ceremonies there will be dancing to the music of Ed Drew and his orchestra.

SCIENTIFIC ADVANCES 801-802

Progress of Women (toward men)
Dr. Allure

Magnetism of men who use ordinary hair tonics studied. Conclusion: barely existent. Magnetism of men who use 'Vaseline' Hair Tonic studied. Conclusion: not yet established since test cases being held captive by neighboring sorority. Examination of alcohol tonics and sticky hair creams (rubber gloves recommended for this class). Result: repelled women. Frequent use of water on hair cited: this practice deemed harmless because 'Vaseline' Hair Tonic mollifies its drying effect. Female Appraisal of Contemporary Male. Conclusion: Student body O. K. if student head kept date-worthy with 'Vaseline' Hair Tonic.

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Editorially Speaking

The Sap Rises...

It seems to be a sign of spring when the sap doth rise—in the dormitories and classrooms, rather than the trees. In the springtime, some PC men seem to be so busy turning their fancy to love—as the famous epigram relates—that they lose all sense of responsibility.

Now, we're all just about fed up with school at this time of the year. Therefore, believe it or not, this isn't a lead-in to a pious sermon exhorting continued cranking of the books.

We are less concerned with a general academic let down, than with a let down in standards of personal behavior. The annual epidemic of hooliganism makes one think the season is better characterized by cuckoos than by robins.

It must be the debilitating effect of the increased heat and sunshine on immature brain cells. Those afflicted are advised to go soak their heads: cool off and be cured.

The Curtain Falls...

The Pyramid Players scored a well-received entertainment triumph with their musical production of "Girl Crazy" about this time last year. The student body can blame its own disinterest for depriving it of the opportunity to enjoy the rapidly improving thespian group in another tuneful evening this year.

As we report on page one, the Players were forced to cancel their projected appearances on May 13 and 14 because only three PC students were available for the male chorus. No amount of solicitation seemed capable of eliciting the services of even a few more interested students.

Besides the obvious amount of time, effort and money that went down the drain in this cancellation, the event was rather sad for a different reason. It seems to show that we here at Providence College mottoball our enthusiasm at the end of the basketball season.

Some one of these years, we'll make the grade with a spirited participation in EVERY line of campus endeavor.

Congressmen Excel...

With the peak season for campus politicking near to a close, this would be an appropriate time to bestow a few laurels on the Student Congress ways and means committee.

This year's election series was conducted with a degree of orderliness and efficiency too seldom seen in other years.

Committee chairman Jack Sears, who bore the overall responsibility for the conduct of the elections, can be proud of a job well done. He and his co-workers on the ways and means committee have, we hope, set a number of precedents that will prove worthy of adopting in future years.

A Worthwhile Evening...

Regional residents interested in business careers in or around the New England area would do well to catch the remaining meeting of the Thomistic Institute on Sunday night. The lecture, dealing with Rhode Island's highway and arterial network, is the last of a three-part series on the prognosis for local business and manufacturing.

Last week's analysis of the potentialities of Rhode Island's recreational industries, delivered by the Rev. Thomas Shanley, O.P., was one that should have been required listening for the State's legislators.

Lying-In Hospital PC Campus Annex?

A visitor to the fourth floor of the Lying-In Hospital on Palm Sunday might easily have thought he was on the P.C. campus, judging from the people to be seen in various rooms.

The wives of four members of the class of '60, Jack Blair, Walt McGinn, Pete Essex and

John McPoland, as well as Mr. Raymond D'Ambrosio of the English dept., and Mr. John Dolan, '48, were all there with babies born that week.

All the infants are future PC students, with the exception of Karen Marie McPoland.

Around Town

"Tall Story" — This picture purports to be a lot funnier than it is; the viewer is promised belly-laughs but gets only a chuckle and a snigger or two. It is a childish attempt at college humor. Tony Perkins is just a little too intelligent and sophisticated to play a gangling boob of a basketball player. He makes it painfully clear he is "just acting." Jane Fonda is properly alluring but can't act (however her eyes are so expressive.)

"Please Don't Eat the Daisies." David Niven and Doris Day battle heroically to keep this cliché-ridden vehicle afloat. They almost succeed. Based on a best-selling novel by Jean Kerr, this movie aims at family entertainment but emerges decidedly infantile. Doris Day as mother is understanding but not to the point of being gushy. The kids are ill-mannered but not to the point of being brats, and David Niven as father is philandering, but not to the point of being compromised.

"The Fugitive Kind." Tennessee Williams' play "Orpheus Descending" has been superbly adapted to the screen as a vehicle for some truly amazing acting. Marlon Brando as a man who habitually misjudges women brings compassion and understanding to his role. Joanne Woodward as the love-starved belle virtually dominates every scene she is in. But without doubt Anna Magnani is the leading force; she is a consummate artist. The picture is adult in the best sense of the word. The lurid subject is treated honestly and logically with no attempt at the sensationalism of other Williams' movies. But mainly the picture was meant to show the talents of three of the world's finest actors. Recommended.



By Len Friel

Last year plans for Frosh weekend were in full swing and a gala event was expected. Twelve hundred people attended the Pyramid Players production of Girl Crazy.

Three years ago, 1957, four members of the faculty celebrated their twenty-fifth anniversaries as Dominicans. They were: Fr. Murtagh, Fr. Skehan, Fr. Rubba, and Fr. Skelly. The Drill Team once again proved to be the best in the state.

Back in 1956 Mr. Dick Rondeau, head coach of hockey, resigned after four years of dedicated service. May devotions began with a 7:45 Mass in the Grotto.

Back another year to 1955, The Cowl was runner up in a contest for the best college newspaper in New England. Mr. Harry Coates, track coach, was honored at the Spike Shoe Club's Communion breakfast.

In 1942, one hundred and fifteen seniors were to graduate. The Cowl editors suspended publication for the summer trimester. Twenty years ago, 1940, Pope Pius XII requested prayers for peace. The eighteenth annual cap and gown exercises were held for the seniors.



EUROPE MADE SIMPLE: NO. 2

Last week we discussed England, the first stop on the tour of Europe that every American college student is going to make this summer. Today we will discuss your next stop, France—or the Pearl of the Pacific, as it is generally called.

To get from England to France, one greases one's body and swims the English Channel. Similarly, to get from France to Spain, one greases one's body and slides down the Pyrenees. As you can see, the most important single item to take to Europe is a valise full of grease.

No, I am wrong. The most important single item to take to Europe is a valise full of Marlboro Cigarettes. Oh, what a piece of work is Marlboro! If you think flavor went out when filters came in, treat yourself to a Marlboro. The filter works perfectly, and yet you get the full, zestful, edifying taste of the choice tobaccos that precede the filter. This remarkable feat of cigarette engineering was achieved by Marlboro's research team—Fred Softpack and Walter Fliptop—and I, for one, am grateful.

But I digress. We were speaking of France—or the Serpent of the Nile, as it is popularly termed.

First let us briefly sum up the history of France. The nation was discovered in 1492 by Madame Guillotine. There followed a series of costly wars with Schleswig-Holstein, the Cleveland Indians, and Captain Dreyfus. Stability finally came to this troubled land with the coronation of Marshal Foch, who married Lorraine Alsace and had three children: Flopsy, Mopsy, and Charlemagne. This later became known as the Petit Trianon.



Marshal Foch—or the Boy Orator of the Platte, as he was affectionately called—was succeeded by Napoleon who introduced shortness to France. Until Napoleon, the French were the tallest nation in Europe. After Napoleon, most Frenchmen were able to walk comfortably under card tables. This later became known as the Hunchback of Notre Dame.

Napoleon was finally exiled to Elba where he made the famous statement, "Able was I ere I saw Elba," which reads the same whether you spell it forwards or backwards. You can also spell Marlboro backwards—Orobiram. Do not, however, try to smoke Marlboro backwards because that undoes all the efficacy of the great Marlboro filter.

After Napoleon's death the French people fell into a great depression, known as the Louisiana Purchase. For over a century everybody sat around moping and refusing his food. This torpor was not lifted until Eiffel built his famous tower, which made everybody giggle so hard that today France is the gayest country in all Europe.

Each night the colorful natives gather at sidewalk cafes and about "Oo-la-la" as Maurice Chevalier promenades down the Champs Elysees swinging his Malacca cane. Then, tired but happy, everyone goes to the Louvre for bowls of onion soup.

The principal industry of France is cashing travelers checks.

Well sir, I guess that's all you need to know about France. Next week we'll visit the Land of the Midnight Sun—Spain.

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Next week, this week, every week, the best of the filter cigarettes is Marlboro, the best of the non-filters is Philip Morris; both available in soft pack or flip-top box.

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JACK SEARS HONORED

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 evening, May 9, at 7:00 p.m. in the Student Congress office in Donnelly Hall.

The remainder of the Committee reports were read and under new business Mr. Lovely read to the Congress a letter from the NFPCS requesting support for the anti-discrimination campaign against the lunch counter segregation currently being enforced by several large chain stores in the South.

Mr. O'Herron introduced a resolution calling for the support of the Congress toward the passive resistance of this racial inequality in the South. Ac-

cording to the motion, the Student Congress would request a special Mass to be said for the intention of racial equality in the South.

Under the legislation the Congress would also sponsor a special seminar to discuss the problem and the NFPCS delegate representing Providence College at the coming regional conference would be instructed to vote affirmative on legislation showing approval of the passive resistance movement in the South. The motion was passed.

Basketball Team, Coach and Trainer Honored By K. of C.

The Providence College basketball team was honored on Monday, April 25, by Providence Council No. 95 of the Knights of Columbus.

State Deputy Irving S. Kane presented the awards to the members of the squad, Coach Joe Mullaney, Assistant Coach John Allen, and Trainer Pete Louthis.

Mr. Kane also presented a plaque to the team honoring their recent showing in the NIT. Capt. Lenny Wilkens accepted for the squad. Coach Mullaney was also honored for his outstanding gifts to Rhode Island basketball.

The program closed with a film of the recent NIT quarter-final tilt between Providence and St. Louis. Coach Mullaney narrated.



To the Editor:

During the course of last week's election assembly, I made some remarks concerning the Veritas, which have since been the subject of much criticism. Let me state publicly that by these remarks I did not intend to injure anyone nor to detract in any way from the fine effort that goes into the publication of this book.

I meant only to voice my objection as to the manner of selection of the editor which appeared to me, at that time, to be a deviation from the past method of selection. I have since been informed, by those in the position to know, that there had been no deviation from past methods and that I was wrong in my assumptions.

For this misrepresentation, I offer my sincere apologies to those whom they offended. I fully realize the careful consideration which went into the selection of the editor of next year's book and would like to take this opportunity to extend my congratulations and support to the new editor-elect.

Sincerely,
 Charles A. P. McAree

WOONSOCKET CLUB

Officers of the Woonsocket Club of Providence College for next year were elected this week at a combined banquet and meeting.

The officers are Gerry Lachance, president; Ray Bacon, vice-president; Jerry Demers, treasurer; and Ray Burke, secretary.

The Rev. Matthew Morry, moderator of the club and Rev. Richard Pleck were guests at the banquet.

Jerry Lachance outlined a program of increased membership and greater community participation for next year.

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A B C



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A B C



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CLUB BREAKFAST HEARS FR. McCORMACK

The Cranston Club Mother-Son Communion breakfast was held last Sunday with Mass in St. Joseph's Chapel. The event was attended by over 60 persons, who heard Rev. Joseph McCormack, O.P., head of the theology department, speak on Pope Pius X's encyclical on the Holy Eucharist.

Gifts were presented to Father Schneider, moderator, and outgoing President Joe Cianciolo.

The elections for next year will be held Monday evening, 8:00 p.m., at the St. Paul's K. of C. Home, Edgewood and the annual outing will be May 29th at Goddard Park.

PC Grad Among New Bishops

Among thirteen bishops to be consecrated by Pope John XXIII on May 8 in the great basilica of St. Peter's will be a former PC student who became a Dominican. He is the Most Rev. Louis Scheerer, O.P., of Multan, Pakistan, a native of Philadelphia.

Born on Feb. 19, 1909, Fr. Scheerer is the second of eleven children, ten of whom entered the religious life. An eleventh child died.

The new prelate visited Providence College last October during a stay in this country. He has been serving in Pakistan since 1956. Prior to that he served in the Chinese missions and at

a leper colony in the Philippines.

Bishop-elect Scheerer was educated at Aquinas College H. S. in Columbus, Ohio, and attended PC as a member of the class of '30. He also attended the College of Immaculate Conception in Washington, D. C., for theological studies. He was ordained on June 13, 1935 at St. Dominic's Washington, D. C., by Bishop John M. McNamara, Auxiliary Bishop of Baltimore.

The thirteen bishops also include members of the black and yellow races and are considered another rebuke by the Pope to racial intolerance.

WEEKENDS . . .

(Continued from Page 1) mence with a semi-formal non-floral dance at the State Room of Rhodes-on-the-Pawtuxet on Friday night.

The following day a picnic will be held at Goddard Park where Barry Walters will provide the entertainment. That evening a beatnik dance will be held in Harkins Auditorium. Billy Weston's band will provide the music for the affair that night.

Winding up the weekend will be a Mass celebrated by Father Connors, moderator of the class of '63. The Communion Breakfast will immediately follow the Mass.

SOPH WEEKEND QUEEN

The Sophomore Weekend Queen Committee announced this week that thus far a very small number of pictures have been submitted for the Queen Contest.

The committee urged those interested to submit their date's name and picture by Friday. A box has been provided in Harkins Hall Rotunda for your entries.

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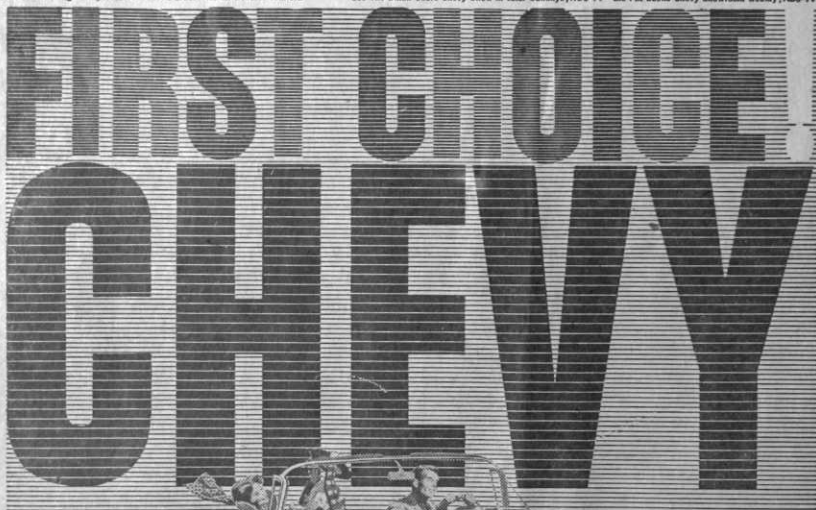
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care. Advocates also contend that life imprisonment is even more cruel than capital punishment. More than one prisoner has begged to be killed rather than to be sentenced to an "endless, non-productive life behind bars!"

One interesting aspect of the situation is that a few psychologists now contend that since these men are such obvious misfits, many of them are actually happier dead than alive.

The biggest advantage mentioned by proponents is the deterrent to potential criminals.

Disadvantages

Those who are opponents cite that killing murderers does not lower the crime incidence rate in the slightest. In 1958, Michigan, where the death penalty does not exist, had 3.1 murders per 100,000 population; neighboring Illinois, where the penalty is in effect, had 4.0 in the same year. Delaware, which abolished punishment by death early in 1958, had 10 murders in 1957, two in 1958.

Penalty opponents doubt the idea held by some psychiatrists today that prisoners prefer death. They feel that a working prisoner can produce far more value than what it cost to keep him alive. They cite road projects, blood donations, and also the fact that these men some-

times willingly undergo dangerous medical experiments.

"Abolitionists" say that people of more modest means suffer from the debility to hire lawyers. In 140 cases defended by New York's Sam Leibowitz, only one man got the death penalty. In Oregon, every defendant executed in the last 21 years has lacked money, and has been defended by a court appointed lawyer.

Next Week

Donnelly continues with the disadvantages, and cites opinions from governors, judges, Saint Thomas, and a Dominican.

New WDOM Transmitter Now In Service

In an interview with John Cavanaugh, chief engineer of WDOM, it was revealed that the new station transmitter in Raymond Hall is now in use. Due to the electric set-up of the Hall, only part of the building can receive WDOM. However, by next fall the entire building will be able to receive the station.

The transmitter was built by station men using spare and donated parts.

Kevin Stursberg, who is co-manager of the station, told us that two new programs will be carried by the station. Both are live and originate at the station. The first is "Editor Speaks" and stars Charles J. Goetz, Editor-in-chief of The Cowl. The program is on every Monday night following the 7:00 P.M. news.

The second of the new shows is a panel discussion. There will be four permanent panel members and two guests each week. The first show, to be held Wednesday at 10:00 p.m., will be an open discussion and will have no moderator.

The audience is invited to phone in questions to the panelists and to suggest topics for discussion.

Stursberg mentioned another show, not new but interesting. It is called "Music Beyond the Stars," and can be heard every night from 9:05 to 12:00. It is intended to be music to study by.

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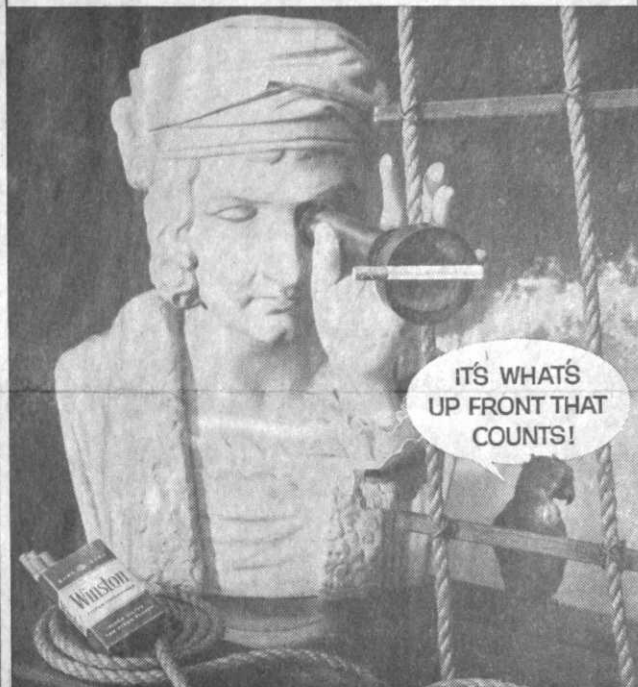
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Diamondmen Even Season's Record



HE'S SAFE: Don Mezzanotte was safe at third on this play in the third inning of last Friday's game with Boston University. Don had come from first on a hit to right.

COWLEY by Peterson

Hodgkins Sparks 9th Inning Rally In Win Over Aces

Soph Jim Hodgkins pitched and batted the Providence College baseball team to a 7-6 victory over the American International College Monday afternoon in Springfield. The win evened the season record at 3-3 for the PC diamondmen.

Providence rallied to win from a 5-2 deficit going into the ninth inning. With two out, ace shortstop Ernie Barton bobbled Joe Cafarella's easy grounder which should have ended the ballgame.

Pete Muro's walk and Denny Guimares' single then loaded the bases, setting the stage for a PC tally on a wild pitch. Jim Healey drew a pass, loading the sacks again. Four more runs then crossed the plate as Al Izi and Hodgkins connected with resounding two-baggers, each good for a pair of runs.

AIC had held the lead by a 3-2 score at the end of the second stanza. The Aces added more in the eighth and one futile marker in the bottom of the ninth.

Fairfield, Brown University, and Boston College have clipped the Friars' wings while the Nahingmen have been on the road. The sole win was Monday's 7-6 victory at AIC. In the first two contests wildness on the part of PC pitchers cost them the ball games. Providence jumped to an early lead against Fairfield on April 10 as five runs crossed the plate in the first inning.

Paul Joly started things rolling with a base on balls. Don Mezzanotte reached first by virtue of an error. After free passes to Pete Muro and Warren Howe, Jim Healey and Nick Mezzanotte slapped base hits. Eleven free passes to Fairfield proved the difference despite a run-producing single by Dick Mezzanotte following Healey's booming triple. Final score, 7-6. Mike Trodden was the losing hurler.



GRAND SLAMMER: Teammates congratulate Al Izi as the slugging first baseman crosses home plate after smashing a grand-slam home run in the third inning of the B.U. Game.

COWLEY by Peterson

Pat Stewart Finishes Third In Roxbury Run

By PATRICK T. DREWRY

Pat Stewart placed third among a field of approximately 50 collegiate distance runners in the Roxbury Patriots' Day race at Roxbury, Mass., on April 19.

The annual three-mile event was captured by John Balch from the University of Massachusetts, who set a new record of 15:51, seven seconds better than the previous mark of 15:58.

This was Stewart's finest race to date. That it was an outstanding one can be seen from his clocking of 16:06, just eight seconds off the old Roxbury record. The tall junior ran strongly throughout the event, taking a lead position from the start and never relinquishing it.

In the Lexington five-mile run, also held on Patriots' Day, Bob Bamberger was forced to pull up with a cramp at the three and a half mile mark. At the time Bamberger, along with three others, was battling Russ Bennett of Occidental College, the eventual winner, for the lead.

Both Bamberger and Stewart plan to compete in the Westerly

five-mile run at Westerly, Rhode Island, this Saturday. John Kelly of Groton heads a field of outstanding distance runners entered in the event.

Providence College's mile relay team placed fourth in its division in the Silver Baton Championships at the Penn Relays last Saturday at Philadelphia, Pa.

The time of the PC squad, made up of co-captains Gus Scannapieco and Ed McNamara, Pierre Wallack and Vin Iacono, was 3:25 and placed them behind Westchester State Teachers (Pa.), Colgate and St. Joseph of Philadelphia.

Villanova University's relay team captured the Silver Baton with a time of 3:12.2.

On the previous Saturday, running against Villanova, Pennsylvania, and Morgan State, the East's foremost mile relay teams, the quartet ran a very respectable 3:23.6 in placing fifth in the top-seeded division.

out the first team.

Capt-elect Johnny Egan was named to the second team with nine votes. Actually, he was seventh man in the voting after Jackie Foley of the Cross, who received 14 votes. Others on the second team are Hubie White of Villanova (8), Bob McNeill of St. Joseph's (7), and Al Butler of Niagara (5). Jim Hadnot tied for 14th spot with two votes.

Coach Joe Mullaney finished second in the voting for the top coach in the East with 11 votes behind Lou Rossini of NYU.

Wilkins Leads Way In Crusader Picks

Capt. Len Wilkins of the Friar basketball team is top player in the East, according to results of a poll of 50 college sports editors taken recently by The Crusader, the student newspaper of Holy Cross College.

The poll was taken to decide the College Sports Editors' All-East team. Lenny received 41 votes in leading the pack, but he was closely pressed by Tom Sanders of NYU, who gathered 40 votes. Tom Stith of St. Bonaventure (34 votes), Tony Jackson of St. John's (23), and Bill Kennedy of Temple (19) rounded

Sailors Keep NEISA Crown At Medford

Paul Hackett and John Dunn, sailing for Providence College, won the New England Intercollegiate Sailing Association Associate Member championship for the second year in a row.

The competition was held at Tuft's in Medford, Mass., on Saturday, April 30.

The Freshman team, captained by Dave E. Donnelly, turned in a fine performance in the Rhode Island Informal Freshman championships, also held on Saturday. Donnelly and Dan Lalar placed second in the six boat fleet.

The Friars opened their season on April 9, at the U. S.

On April 30 the Eagles of Boston College handed the Friars their third defeat of the campaign by an 8-4 count.

Coast Guard Academy. Hackett and a three-man crew placed second to MIT in the final standings. The races were sailed in a thirty-five mph wind, which caused one boat to capsize. Ironically, it was the Coast Guard crew which went over while sailing in their boats in their home waters.

The sailing club, in its drive for recognition as a major sport, has increased its schedule and other activities to a high pace. The Club sponsored a "Regatta Dance" on Friday, April 29, and is sponsoring another dance in the early fall.

Golfers Drop Third As Holy Cross Romps 6-1

The Providence College golf team, which opened its season with an impressive 6-1 victory over the University of Hartford at Metacomet Country Club last week, has run into rough slodder since then.

The Friar linksmen took on the Crusaders of Holy Cross in a return match Monday afternoon at the East Prov. afternoon course and were soundly trounced for the second time in three days, 6-1. On Saturday they had fared even worse as the Cross shut them out, 7-0, that day in a triangular meet with Boston College at Worcester. BC also beat the Friars Saturday, 6-1.

Dick Swiech has been the only consistent winner for the Black and White so far this year, as he has annexed three

of his four matches, two of them one-up, one in extra holes. His one loss, to the Cross, came on the 22nd hole. Best score turned in so far this year has been a 76 carried by Ray Cate last week on the par-70 Metacomet course where Providence plays all of its home matches.

The summary of Monday's matches:

Brennan (HC) over O'Connor, 4-3.
Connelly (HC) over Cate, 2-1.
Swech (P) over Hoyt, 1-up.
McQuinn (HC) over Connell, 3-2.
Slack (HC) over Abbott, 5-4.
Joyce (HC) over Dugat, 5-3.
Sullivan (HC) over Suddell, 6-5.

John Egan To Go Under Knife May 31

It has been learned from a reliable source that Captain-elect John Egan will undergo surgery for the removal of an injured cartilage on May 31 at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, Maryland with Doctor Harvey Bennett supervising.

Egan spent last Monday in Baltimore where, after a thorough examination, it was determined that surgery would be necessary.

Doctor Bennett, at 75, is considered the world's foremost expert on knee and leg injuries and has treated such famous athletes as Joe DiMaggio and Mickey Mantle.