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Friars Start Hoop Season With Victory

Providence Quintet Out-plays Assumption in First Game

Providence College quintet auspiciously launched the 1940-41 campaign as it outmanoeuvred and out-scored Assumption College of Worcester 54 to 20, at Harkins Hall last Wednesday night.

Manifesting an exhibition of ball handling and shooting which belied the short period devoted to preparations for the contest, the Crottymen were in command of the situation from start to finish. An almost airtight defense kept the visitors' offensive in check to such an extent that not until the final minutes of the first half did Assumption register a goal from the floor.

Passing Exhibition

At the opening tap off, Assumption took possession of the ball and displayed a passing exhibition which led those in attendance to believe that the Worcester aggregation would make things interesting for the Friars. But despite the fact that the visitors held possession of the ball for substantial periods of time, their rotating offense seldom penetrated Providence's inner defense with the result that what scoring opportunities they had were made difficult because their shooting was confined for the most part to shots of the long tom variety which were almost always hurried.

First Period

The Friars led, 16-2, at the conclusion of the first period, 30-7, at half-time, and 41-16, when the third canto ended.

Johnny Lee paced the Providence scoring with 11 markers, while Chet Zabek was second best with nine. Angers was the most prominent point maker for Assumption, garnering six credits.

In the preliminary encounter the Friar freshmen defeated La Salle Academy, 26 to 19.

Providence will make its second start of the campaign tonight when it faces Bates College of Maine at Harkins Hall.

Students Hold Hectic Circle

Philosophy Club Flays the Intuitive Faculty of The Fair Sex

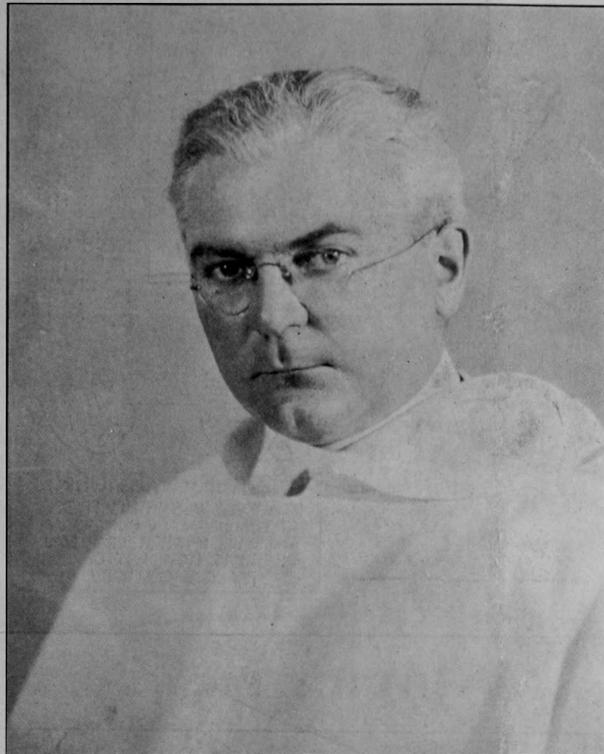
Members of the Philosophy Club descended from the third degree of abstraction to broad comedy Thursday night when they agreed, after a hectic session of adjective-trading, that the "intuitive faculty in woman" comes second-best to the "logical faculty in man."

Arguing against feminine intuition, Martin Orzeck, '41, told club members and students in the Extension School who were guests at the Harkins Hall meeting, that man's logic is superior to woman's "disorderly, idiosyncratic, insidious, inept, inane, incredible and inhuman intuitions."

"You have an eye for things, but you forget that they are irresistible and inviting," said President Edward Kaylor, '41, of Fall River, adding, after making distinctions, subdistinctions and contra-distinctions, that "woman's chief function is acquiring

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'Blessed Are the Dead Who Die In the Lord'



THE REV. JAMES B. MCGWIN

Seniors Plan Annual Hop

President John Gibbons Announces Committees Will Be Chosen.

John Gibbons, senior class president, announced at a class meeting yesterday that the committees for the various activities of the seniors will be chosen from lists submitted by each division.

The annual Veritas dance is scheduled to be held on the evening of February 21, in Harkins Hall.

George Harley, business manager of Veritas, outlined to the members of the class the progress made by his staff in the sale of the annual to undergraduates.

Ira T. Williams, Jr., '41, editor of the Year Book, announced that the taking of individual pictures of members of the Freshman Class was in accord with the policy of this year's issue to feature informal undergraduate activities.

Students of all classes are urged to take informal snapshots of fellow classmates on or off the campus. "All pictures will be given full consideration, since the Veritas board plans to have every student's picture in the Book at least once," Williams said.

Woonsocket Club Dance Committee

The Woonsocket Club of Providence College will hold a Christmas dance at the Hotel Blackstone in Woonsocket Thursday evening, December 19. Music for the affair will be furnished by Harrington's New Englanders.

Committee for the dance includes: E. John Fitzpatrick, '41, chairman; tickets, Arthur McMurtrie, '43; publicity, Charles W. Kelley, '42; decorations, Albert Lavalley, '44; music, Michael De Nunzia, '43; finance, J. Thomas Curran, '41.

Officers of the club acting as ex-officio members of the committee are: Frank X. Winn, '41, president; Walter J. Kune, '43, vice-president; Gerald LaForce, '44, secretary; Thomas Curran, '41, treasurer.

ALL INTRA-MURALS

Left End Ed. Bracq, Mt. Pleasant
Left Tackle Tom Daly, New England All-Stars
Left Guard...Tom Fallon, Philamusan A.
Center....Bernie Brown, Philamusan A.
Rt. Guard...John Egan, Philamusan A.
Rt. Tackle...Bill McNary, Mt. Pleasant
.....Ambie Reynolds, New Haven
Quarterback Bob Dunn, New England All-Stars
L. H. B. Jim McGrath, Mt. Pleasant
Rt. Guard Stephen Jurasko, Philamusan A.
F. B. George Terass, New Haven

SECOND TEAM

Left End...John Buckley, Philamusan A.
Left Tackle Pat. Doyle, Pittsfield Terriers
Left Guard...Ted McLaughlin.....
.....New England All-Stars
Center Henry McArdle, Mt. Pleasant
Rt. Guard...Tiny Quinn.....
.....New England All-Stars
Rt. Tackle...Art. Clark, New Haven
Rt. End...Bill Meaney, Philamusan A.
Quarterback...Jack Keenan, New Haven
L. H. B. ... Beryle Sachs.....
.....New England All-Stars
R. H. B. ...George Wilson, Philamusan A.
F. B. ...John Grady, Freshman, pre-Med.

Alembic Features Holiday Stories

December Issue Will Be Ready the Middle of Next Week

Stories in the Christmas spirit will be featured in the December issue of the Alembic, student literary publication which will be ready for distribution about the middle of next week.

"A Christmas Story," by Raymond C. Smith, '41, and "Queen at the Crib," by James Murphy, '43, will be the stories dealing with holiday themes. Other contributions which will be included in this issue are: "Go to the Office," a narrative by Thomas Mulligan, '42; "A Footnote to History," by Charles McGovern, '41; "Jim Scares Me No Longer," by Frank Whalen, '42; "On Not Having Seen the World Fair," an essay by Joseph Conway, '43; "The Hunt," by John Sharkey, '43, and "By the Way," a new column which was presented for the first time in the last issue of the Alembic.

Fr. McGwin Laid to Rest With Dominican Rites

Bishop Keough Celebrates Pontifical Mass of Requiem At Aquinas Chapel

Following a solemn pontifical Mass of Requiem, celebrated by the Right Reverend Francis P. Keough, D.D., Bishop of Providence, the body of the late Rev. James B. McGwin, O.P., graduate of Providence College, and a member of the faculty of the College for the past 11 years, was laid to rest in St. Francis' Cemetery this morning.

Following a solemn procession from the student chapel in Aquinas Hall, where the body had laid in state since yesterday afternoon, the Mass of requiem was sung by Bishop Keough. The Rt. Rev. Peter E. Blessing, D.D., vicar general of the Providence Diocese, acted as assistant priest, and the Rev. Thomas F. Conlan, O.P., pastor of St. Raymond's Church, Providence, and the Rev. Charles M. Mulvey, O.P., pastor of St. Pius', were deacons of honor.

Author Talks Before Guild

Brands Modern European Trouble As Crucifixion Of Humanity

Branding the modern European troubles as the crucifixion of humanity, the Rev. Walter Farrell, O.P., regent of studies at the Dominican House of Studies in Washington, D. C., told the members of the Nurses' and Teachers' Guilds last Monday evening in Aquinas Hall that the same thing "can happen here."

The address by the author of "The Companion to the Summa" which is being used in the senior religion course, was the first of a series that he delivered at Providence College last week. His lecture was entitled "Suffering as a Result of World Conditions".

Tuesday, Fr. Farrell lectured to various classes of seniors and answered questions on various topics.

Tuesday evening Rev. Fr. Farrell addressed the lawyers and Doctors' Guild on the topic "Morals and Men" explaining the relation of morals to law and religion.

In his address to the teachers and nurses Monday evening Father Farrell also declared that a "shut eye" technique is characteristic of American thinking and that "maybe the present crisis has opened our eyes but if it hasn't we'd better open them quickly."

New Haven Club Dance Dec. 27

The New Haven Alumni Club of Providence College will hold a dance at the Seven Gables on Dec. 27.

Alumni president, Doctor Blum, in announcing the event, extended an invitation to the student body to attend.

Junior Class Discusses Funds

The question of donating funds toward the purchase of sweaters for junior members of the varsity football squad was discussed at a meeting of the junior class held yesterday. Vice-President R. Paul Carberry, acting chairman, appointed Raymond F. Curry, Joseph H. Sullivan, Raymond F. Roy, John P. Flynn, and Robert S. Rich, as a committee to inquire further into the matter.

The juniors voted to give a spiritual bouquet for the memory of the late Rev. James B. McGwin.

President Eulogizes Beloved Priest
The Very Rev. John J. Dillon, President of Providence College, taking as the theme for his eulogy: "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord," said:

"We have all lost an excellent priest of God in the death of Father McGwin, a priest always ready to pardon, console, and bless. The Dominican community has lost a humble, obedient, religious friar; the College has lost a capable and faithful teacher. His dear mother has lost a priestly son. And while we sympathize and grieve with his family and brethren, we do not sorrow like those who have no hope for we know that Father McGwin lived in the Lord and died in the Lord, and we are assured that happy and blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

Admitted to St. Joseph's Hospital on Tuesday, suffering a combination of lobar pneumonia and a heart ailment, his condition rapidly became serious and he was placed in an oxygen tent. Death came shortly after four o'clock the same afternoon. He had been active until Monday night.

Was Graduate of College
A native of Providence, Fr. McGwin attended St. Joseph's grammar school, La Salle Academy and was a member of the class of 1923 at Providence College. He continued his studies at St. Rose Priory, Springfield, Ky., St. Joseph's Novitiate in Somerset, Ohio, and the Dominican House of studies in Washington, D. C. He was ordained a priest of the Dominican Order on June 21, 1928, at the College of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, and sang his first Mass in St. Joseph's Church in this city.

After his ordination he returned to the Catholic University in Washington where he gained a degree of Master of Arts. The following year he was assigned to the faculty of the College as a professor of Economics and Sociology, concentrating on the former after three years.

Father McGwin served as moderator of the Junior Class for several years, but confined his activities to teaching in later years because of ill health.

Fellow Teachers Assist at Mass
Classmates of Father McGwin who assisted at the Mass included: the Rev. Dennis B. McCarthy, O.P., deacon; the Rev. Vincent C. Dore, O.P., sub-deacon; Rev. Joseph P. O'Gara, of St. Augustine's Church, Providence, and the Rev. John J. Feeney, of St. Matthew's Church, Cranston, acolytes; the Rev. Walter Rozpad of St. Stanislaus' Church, Woonsocket, thurifer; the Rev. Robert Meadows, of SS. Peter and Paul Church, Lakewood, mitre bearer; the Rev. Leonard McAteer, of Sacred Heart Church, Woonsocket, book bearer; and the Rev. John Ells, of St. Matthew's Church, Cranston, gremial bearer.

The Very Rev. Terrence S. McDermott, O.P., provincial of the Dominican province of St. Joseph, was seated in the body of the church were all the members

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PYRAMID PLAYERS

THE CAST PROLOGUE

My Lord Abbot.....Paul Menard, '44
 First Soldier.....Charles Cavas, '41
 Second Soldier.....Thomas McBrien, '41
 Third Soldier.....John Antaya, '41
 Father Prior.....Richard Danilowicz, '44
 Father Subprior.....James Griffin, '43

THE PLAY

First Workman.....Francis X. McCarthy, '41
 Second Workman.....John Cronin, '41
 Father Abbot.....Joseph M. McLaughlin, '42
 Father Prior.....Ira T. Williams, Jr., '41
 Father Subprior.....John Gibbons, '41
 Brother Petroc.....Thomas J. Farrell, '41
 First Lay Brother.....Francis Maguire, '42
 Brother Pius.....Charles McGovern, '41
 Brother Leo.....Francis Stadnicki, '43
 Brother Gregory.....Raymond Curry, '43
 Dom Maurus.....Fred Fay, '43
 Reverend Mother.....Helen Robillard
 Miss Jackson.....Mary Fox
 Jo Wheeler.....Claire Fitzpatrick
 The Jesuit.....William McKiernan, '44
 The Bishop.....Eugene Couture, '44

Producing a play which, because of its spiritual quality, demanded an intense and earnest interpretation of the higher emotions, the Pyramid Players presented "Brother Petroc's Return" to week-end audiences.

This newest of Emmet Lavery's plays is the story of a Benedictine monk who is buried in the year 1549. Upon being exhumed in the year 1940 he is found alive. Brother Petroc, imbued with 16th century reasoning is confronted with the modern age of streamlined religion. Despite all obstacles he maintains his perseverance, is ordained a priest and dies while saying his first Mass.

Has a Moral

A story with a moral is often times difficult to portray without losing its interest. Yet "Brother Petroc's Return" sustained the audiences enthusiasm throughout. Although at times it went too deeply into philosophical meanderings, the play was interpreted in convincing and realistic fashion by the Pyramid Players.

Thomas Farrell in the title role once again achieves the superlatives. His characterization of the bewildered "Brother Petroc" was something to marvel at. It was sincere, honest and deep-rooted. In a role that taxed his abilities to capacity, Farrell brought true meaning to the character and at the same time won the sympathy of the audiences.

John Gibbons as the wordy Father Subprior annexed honors next to Farrell. With lines that needed excellent acting in order to bring out the necessary meaning to the character, Gibbons (Continued on Page 3)

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IN MEMORIAM

A white clothed figure, resplendent in the cloth of Dominic, wandered past last Tuesday's sunset — heaven bound. Father McGwin left behind him a monument of memories which, for a long time to come, will cast its shadow over the campus of his beloved college. His life will always be remembered as a mirror of priestly virtue reflecting a personality of warmth and understanding. No longer will the corridors of this institution re-echo his merry step and no longer will his voice boom forth its manly tone in the classroom, but far above in the celestial corridors there is a voice booming forth in joyous reunion with his fellow religious. He, the very personification of an Altar Christus, has gone to reap the reward of a saintly life, and, though the shadows of time engulf even the greatest of us, in the hearts of his students and friends he will live forever. With the eye of faith we can almost see him now, with his characteristic smile, as he bows before the altar of Heaven and hears the words — "Blessed servant of Mine, your labors are over and, at last, you are Home with Me."

FR. MCGWIN

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 of Dominican Community of Providence as well as a large number of Dominicans from all parts of the United States.

The Providence College Choir, under the direction of the Rev. Leo S. Cannon, O.P., sang the "Missa et Absolutio pro Defunctis" by Pietro A. Yon. A choir of priests sang the office of the dead.

National Anthem Becoming Obscure

"What's become of the 'Star Spangled Banner'—or have we abandoned it as our national anthem?" asks the Purdue Exponent. That's a question that a lot of college newspapers have been asking, half tongue-in-cheek, half seriously.

The Exponent "won't debate the merits of Irving Berlin's 'God Bless America' but we do dispute its right to the same honors as the national anthem. We think that the substitution of 'The Star Spangled Banner' for 'God Bless America' on a few public programs would be a welcome change—at least for college students who have built up a terrific 'hate' for the very obvious attempt to synthesize patriotism where patriotism has already existed."

The Daily Reveille raises a protest at Louisiana State university, taking its readers back to one of the recent football games. "When the band played the super-popular 'God Bless America,' thousands leaped to their feet, males swept their hats from pates and slapped them over hearts, and stood stiffly at attention while the tune swung on. We wish that such respect would be shown 'The Star Spangled Banner.'" The Reveille believes that "if the fervid standees would stop a moment to consider the silly tribute they are paying to the American god, Advertising, they might save their fervor for true patriotism. God didn't pick out this geographical spot to endow all his lofty virtues. We should be proud that we were born here; we should also remember that it's pretty much of a genetical accident that we are Americans. God doesn't 'bless' America; 'blessings' come where people are free to think and where those men act decently toward their fellows."

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COLLEGE CAPERS

DR. ELIPHALET NOTT
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.. Alumni News ..

WASHINGTON NEWS LETTER

(Special to The Cowl)
 Washington, D. C. Dec. 12, 1940

Forty members of the Providence College Alumni Club of this city attended the fourth annual Founders' Day banquet held last Saturday night at the Willard Hotel and heard a stirring address by Reverend Adrian T. English, O.P., prior of the Dominican House of Studies here, and former professor at Providence College.

The greetings of the club were extended to the Honorable J. Howard McGrath, '26, Governor-elect of Rhode Island, and club President John J. Shields, '35, reviewed the activity of the past year and outlined plans for the coming months. A communication from Alumni President John E. Farrell, '26, extending best wishes to the local unit of the organization of Territorial Clubs, and asking for suggestions for the progress of the parent organization was also read and accepted with favor. George V. O'Brien, '38, was toastmaster at the dinner.

A report of the employment of the various members of the Washington Club may prove of interest to the general alumni, and therefore this letter contains a partial list of the men located here who are carrying forward the ideals of Alma Mater.

The graduate schools at Georgetown and Catholic University claim many of our members. Registered at the Georgetown Law School are John McQueeney, '39, Constantino Cinquegrana, '38, Joseph Baldwin, '39, Joseph B. Bivalacqua, '40, Harold J. Connors, '33, Bruno Disciullo, '40, Michael Donahue, '36, (who is also employed part time at the government Surplus Marketing Administration), Salvatore Guglielmo, '40, Edward F. Kirby, '36, Daniel McArthur, '40, George V. O'Brien, '38, who also has an affiliation with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, and William Wooley, '39.

Future doctors studying here are Anthony Scavatto, '39, Henry Calci, '40, Alphonse Cardi, '38, John Grady, '39, William McDonald, '36, and Joseph Palumbo, '36. At the Hoyas school of Foreign Service Larry Hall, '39 is preparing for a future in the diplomatic service.

Catholic University Representation
 On the other side of the city, at Catholic University where Reverend Gerald F. Dillon, '26, is Dean of Men, five Providence men are continuing their graduate work in education. John Fanning, '38, Robert Healy, '39, Vincent McBrien, '37, and Terence

Rielly, '39, are enrolled in the graduate school, while Walter Gibbons, '39, is at the Law School.

Professional Men

Lest any of our Alumni think that the Providence Club in the Capitol City is composed mainly of students we would like to state that such is not the case. Rather, we have one of the most representative units in the territorial chain. Two men, Dr. Clarence J. Kelley, and Dr. Francis T. Coleman, '30, the latter formerly located at Eagle Lake, Maine, are pursuing the practice of medicine in this city, while Robert T. Murphy, '36, and Joseph A. Roney, '26, are busy lawyers.

The Deputy U. S. Marshall for the District of Columbia is a Friar graduate, Thomas F. Kelley, '36, while two of the top men in the Department of Justice are Thomas Dodd, '31, and William J. Connors, '24. Dodd, a New Haven resident, was formerly director of the NYA for the State of Connecticut, and two years back was boomed for Lieutenant Governor of that State until he cast his lot with the Department of Justice here in the legal division. Connors is remembered by the older graduates as one of the finest football tackles ever

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COLLEGIATE REVIEW

By Associated Collegiate Press

As last month's election sinks into the limbo of things historical, the Daily Princetonian comes through with the observation that "the nation's press has about as much influence over the electorate as an English nanny over a gang of dead-end kids." The campaign has been the springboard for a new flow of collegiate comment about the press, much of it uncomplimentary.

The Princetonian believes that "the people no longer trust their newspapers because they sense that their newspapers are not delivering the straight news, but news adulterated and flavored with partisan bias. Unless this practice is stopped, people are going to start turning to their radios to get their news unadorned, and newspapers will be bought only for the radio programs, the comics and Winchell."

It is "a little saddening" to the Stanford University Daily "to look back over the campaign and evaluate the place of the Fourth Estate. When forsaking all attempts to present unbiased news coverage and to confine editorialization to the correct columns, a paper prostitutes itself before the public, it cannot fail to suffer in the final analysis. Today the vaunted 'power of the press' is seriously crippled, perhaps lost."

Hope that "the papers may have learned a lesson now, the one they should have learned when they won the war for Finland," is expressed by the Akron Buchtelite. The press declares this publication, "led the attack on the man whom public opinion supported. Because this is a democracy, that criticism and attack was their prerogative. Their abuse of it may or may not have been justified, but they are still free to defend the country from anything they believe to threaten what we tritely but honestly call 'the American way.'"

The right of journalistic criticism finds further defense in the editorial columns of the Daily Reveille at Louisiana State university, which feels that "when the occasion demands, there must be criticism. If no bad news can be reported, then the readers must assume that all the news is good. Assentive journalism somehow is a foreign germ that inevitably becomes democracy's cancer."

Recent attacks on the press by Harold L. Ickes, Secretary of the Interior, are answered by the Amherst Student and the Cornell Daily Sun. The Student declares that "if the Secretary's criticism was aimed at the editors simply because they expressed their own views and not those of the readers, his argument is hardly valid. For if the meaning of the term 'free press' were taken to be 'strictly representative' there would be in newspapers

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The Christmas Store of Providence

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By F. X. McCARTHY

AN AUSPICIOUS DEBUT

Much to the consternation of the cafeteria experts, Coach Ed Crotty's 1940-41 edition of Basketball Friars opened its campaign in most impressive fashion as it averaged nearly a point a minute, defeating Assumption leisurely by a 54-20 score. From whistle to whistle the play of the Friars was such as to give ample indication that the Fortunes will be definitely looking up this season. The team employed a faster break, displayed precision in setting up the plays, and found the rim with uncanny consistency, capitalizing on more than three-quarters of its shots.

SPIRIT OVERSHADOWS SIZE

This year's squad is probably the smallest both from a standpoint of number and height; but what it lacks in the physical department, it more than compensates for in the matter of speed and spirit. In Wednesday night's game all 10 players showed a familiarity with the system, from Capt. Beryle Sacks down to Tom Shannon who, although he was the last player to be substituted, showed considerable promise in the few moments he played in the final quarter. Chet Zabek, sophomore guard from Adams, Mass. established himself as a playmaker par excellence with his deft ball handling and accurate passing. Johnny Lee, of the Attleboro Lees, was on the business end of quite a few of Chet's heaves in the first half and seldom missed connections with the hoop. Bob Reilly and Sam Kusnitz followed close behind the Attleboro senior with seven points apiece.

BATES TONIGHT

The Friars face their second test of the season tonight at Harkins Hall against a Bates College five which should furnish much stiffer opposition than did the Greyhounds in Wednesday's opener. The only other game before the Christmas holidays will find the locals journeying to Manchester, N. H. to tangle with the charges of their former coach, Gen. McClellan, who is now head coach of St. Anselm's. The Friars have a long way to go before they can be pronounced fit to stack up against Frank Keaney's talented Rams but it is not out of the way to expect that they will be in a position to give the Kingstonsians a busy evening come January 11.

HEARIN' AROUND

More honors have been accorded Charley Avedisian and Joe Sullivan this past week, having been selected as honorable mention on the Little All-American team as well as on Long Island University's all-opponent team. Sam Iorio was given a place on the latter club's second team while Ed Borzilauskus was named on Niagara University's all-opponent eleven. . . . Jack Walsh is making final preparations for the trip to the hills of New Hampshire which he has planned for the newly-formed ski club

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El Gaucho takes up a similar cry at Santa Barbara State college. "Understand," says El Gaucho, "we don't object to people's rising to sing 'God Bless America.' We think it is a very nice gesture to the composer and to the singer who made it famous, and nothing more. But one's ability to bellow forth chauvinistic babble is hardly an indication of one's feelings towards the United States."

Realizing that "there probably be FBI men on our trail by morning," the Dartmouth declares it is "unable to keep silence any longer on 'God Bless America.'" The song, says the Dartmouth, brings up a "mental picture of someone waving a flag because it's fun to wave a flag and everybody else is doing it. It seems as though we could do a little more than place America's well-being musically in God's hands and call it patriotism."

PLAYERS

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bons' performance was praiseworthy in every respect.

The three guest actresses of the Pyramid Players were also outstanding. Claire Fitzpatrick as spiteful, yet beautiful, Jo Wheeler, was excellent. Helen Robillard as the modernistic Reverend Mother was commendable, as was Mary Fox as Miss Jackson, "a case of pseudo-mysticism run riot."

Noteworthy performances in supporting roles were given by Paul Menard as My Lord Abbot, by Francis X. McCarthy as the Workman and by Joseph McLaughlin as Father Abbot. I. T. W.

Basketball League Opens Third Season Under Crotty

The Providence College Intra-Mural Basketball League will open its third season under the supervision of Ed Crotty, physical education director at the College, immediately following the Christmas vacation. The opening dates are set for Jan. 8 and 9 with the practice sessions listed for the 6th and 7th.

The league is composed of two divisions, light and heavyweight, with each class being represented by a team in both. The weight limit for the lighter loop is 150 pounds and no player can perform in both leagues.

The season culminates Feb. 25 when a playoff between the top teams in each division will be staged. Medals will be awarded to the eight players

on the championship team as well as the winning coach.

Mr. Crotty assigned the following members of the varsity squad as coaches: Beryle Sacks, Senior Heavies; John Lee, Senior Lights; Joe Juges, Junior Heavies; Sam Kusnitz, Junior Lights; Bill Gustas, Sophomore Heavies; Bob Reilly, Sophomore Lights; Horace Marone, Freshman Heavies; Vic Storey, Freshman Lights.

All Lightweight games will start promptly at 7 p. m.

The schedule:

Jan. 8	.....	Sophs vs. Seniors
Jan. 9	.....	Freshmen vs. Juniors
Jan. 13	.....	Sophs vs. Juniors
Jan. 15	.....	Freshmen vs. Seniors
Feb. 3	.....	Freshmen vs. Sophs
Feb. 4	.....	Juniors vs. Seniors
Feb. 6	.....	Seniors vs. Sophs
Feb. 7	.....	Freshmen vs. Juniors
Feb. 12	.....	Sophs vs. Juniors
Feb. 13	.....	Freshmen vs. Seniors
Feb. 17	Freshmen vs. Sophs
Feb. 18	Juniors vs. Seniors
Feb. 25	Championship Game

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a man but now we have a situation in which man not only asks his wife to be a homemaker but a co-provider."

It was asserted that "woman was not taken from the head of man because that would make them equal; they were not taken from the feet because that would have been too low so they were taken from the rib as a compromise."

The argument that woman's intuitive faculty is superior was definitely defeated by a chorus of male voices on a voice vote.

Nine persons from eight seats have recently received scholarships from Medill school of journalism, Northwestern University.

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By F. X. McCARTHY

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during the Christmas vacation . . . As a final gesture of the 1940 sports-writing season this corner forwards its selections of the winners of the Bowl games to be played New Year's Day. Stafford over Nebraska in the Rose Bowl; Boston College over Tennessee in the Sugar Bowl; Texas A & M over Fordham in the Cotton Bowl; Georgetown over Mississippi State in the Sun Bowl . . . Seasonal greetings and stuff . . . and so long until next year.

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no consistent opinion or policy whatsoever. That party pressure was exerted on the press in the past campaign is a charge worthy of every consideration. But it is equally important to realize that a majority popular opinion should not necessarily determine most newspapers' ideas. If this were so out of necessity, the real free press would be gone."

"Mr. Ickes," says the Cornell Sun, "suggests a radical doctrine, that newspapers should be created, not by the opinions of the editors, but by the opinions of the readers. Mr. Ickes is wrong, because the public is not entitled to exert unusual pressure on newspapers, any more than it can tell any merchant what prices he shall charge. Every newspaper in the United States may be in favor of an unpopular cause, but that does not mean they are wrong."

Rock and Rye

By ROSS MUENZEN '42

HOT SKETCH BOOK

The fourth page of the Hot Sketch Book reveals that Dick O'Gorman, Freshman, was a little on the red side when a date of his insisted on calling him "Chicken" all evening. Just a little bit on the reverse order, Dick . . . Bill Danahy and Rudy (Plastic Surgery) Zebora did the Hub City the other night as a stop off on a week end jaunt . . . Bob Dunn, the Lawrence Tibbet of the third floor, seen standing outside the maternity wing of a local hospital—with a nurse . . . Archie Clark, who hails from a tongue twister, has a bad case of pictureitis for it seems that a certain picture must be always with him . . . Les Condon, New Rochelle's ambassador of good will, has already acquired quite a feminine towage . . . Bob McGowan, the "Bob Hope" of the Freshman underlings, can say more in five minutes than Winchell can in fifteen . . . John Lavoie, Junior luminary, had an unexpected and rather disconcerting gargle the other morning for it seems Johnny sleeps with his mouth open . . . Pat Doyle, the Jimmie Stewart of Kilmerney Wing (third floor north) has a lot of the movie star's abilities in the fem line but spurns them all . . .

ROOM 206

Last week we threatened to expose some of the room-mate combinations here at the Dorm so here goes with a brief character psycho of the inmates in 206, a Mr. Cimini and Mr. Sibbio. Taking them in the Senior order we find that Mr. Cimini is the thespian of the room—a sort of John Barrymore-Micha Auer combination in one man. Mr. Sibbio, though he wears a Jolson smile, is really a Ned Sparks at heart for at this writing he is worrying about next year's subjects. Both are generous to almost an extreme and add impetus to any social session.

Next week Room 215!

ROCK PILE

The first blow of the literary sledge hammer falls on an incident in which Uncle Sam and Jerry Collins got their signals mixed for it seems that Mr. Collins was in an intellectual trance and instead of sending his laundry home he sent it back to himself. You can't beat these Freshmen . . . The first sparks of interest are already glancing off the Rock as thoughts begin to turn towards the coming Carolan Club Formal which will be open to the college at large . . . One member of the Rockettes (who shuns

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to lead the Friars on the gridiron. He captained the varsity eleven in 1923.

Government Employees

There is scarcely a government department here that does not list at least one Providence alumnus. President John J. Shields, '35 and John J. Glennon, '33, are engaged by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. Glennon, '33, are engaged by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. Glennon, a graduate of Georgetown Law, and eligible to practice law in this district, is located at Arlington, Virginia. In the Navy Department any Class of 1927 men may find Frank Crowe, while Bob Leonard, '35, is employed in the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Bob Lucey, '35, Holyoke resident, and claimant of Friar fame as the man who sounded the bugle call on College Road the night of the "invasion" of State students to kidnap Friar Boy, is affiliated with the Civil Service Commission, and now is located at Norfolk Navy Yard awaiting decision which will commission him a Lieutenant (j.g.) in the Naval Reserve.

The Federal Housing Administration numbers among its force Leo V. Donnelly, '32, and Joseph V. Maguire, '33, the latter stationed at Alexandria, Virginia. With the defeat of Congressman Sandager in the recent elections Joseph Isacco, '37, his secretary, will return to the home city, but Gordon F. Harrison, '35, recently admitted to the Bar, is still busy as assistant secretary to Senator Theodore Francis Green.

Over in the Department of Agriculture John B. McCarthy, '36, is serving as an agricultural Economist, and John O'Connell, '32, son of the former Congressman from Rhode Island, is in the same department. John McWilliams, '36, is with the Interstate Commerce Commission, and though Larry Wheeler, '30, former athletic coach at the Priory School in Portsmouth, and James Sullivan, '36, are in Government service here I cannot give you definite information as to their affiliations.

And if any of the 1924 men have any complaints to make about the railway systems tell them to communicate with Walter Taft, '24, who is located with the Association of American Railroads at 1081 National Press Building.

publicity) when asked by a professor what happens to our guardian angels when we die replied—"Gosh, Father, they must go on relief!"

"Our Latin American youth have never become compromising, pampered and soft, and have been ever ready for great sacrifices. That, I believe, is the heart, the most inspiring feature, in our Latin American life."—Mrs. Concha Romero James,

chief of the Pan American Union's division of intellectual co-operation, Washington, D.C., hands a laurel to young Latin Americans.

Novelist Sinclair Lewis has joined the University of Wisconsin faculty as a teacher of creative writing with the rank of professor.

University of Nebraska's department of psychology is conducting research into effects of diets on physical development.



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