



The Basketball Team from left to right: (Top Row) Jim Baker Ass't Coach, Ed McKeown, Rich Klotz, Wayne Spitzner, Mike Pavlishin, Bill Morrell, Bill Schule, Scott Kurtz, Fred Baker Head Coach (Kneeling) Tony Prudente, Jerry Hoover, Virgil Jules, John Messer, Gary Owens.

## Basketball Team Ends Season

By Ed McKeown

On Friday, February 25, the Capitol Campus varsity basketball team concluded their season with a 116-107 victory over Alvernia College. In so doing, the team finished the season with an astounding record of 15-6!! The best record that the team has ever put together.

In the game against Alvernia, coach Fred Baker made a sincere gesture of appreciation by inserting 5 seniors into the starting line-up. This tribute to the seniors was extremely justifiable since they accumulated the only back-to-back winning seasons in Capitol history. Last years' record of 15-8 had previously been the best and adding that to this year's record, the seniors were an astonishing 30-14 for their career.

Starting the seniors simply showed the innate nature of our expedient coach, who along with his assistant Jim Baker, worked vigorously to unite the many different dispositions into a solid representation of a team. As representative of the team, I would like to thank these two fine gentlemen for instilling their time and effort into bringing us together. Without their constant badgering and enthusiasm we would never have been able to succeed.

The members of the basketball team consisted of the following:

### Seniors

Bill Morrell John Messer  
Mike Pavlishin Howard Majzlik  
Tony Prudente Scott Kurtz  
Bill Schule Rich Klotz

### Juniors

Virgil Jules Dean Lombardo  
Wayne Spitzner Gary Owens  
Jerry Hoover Ed McKeown

The proficiency of the team can be attributed to the perpetual consistency of three major players: Virgil Jules, Bill Morrell, and Mike Pavlishin. The efforts of these three players coupled with sporadic contributions by others on the team, meant a successful season.

The downfall of many of the opposing teams was due to the qualitative depth of the Capitol team. The name of the game was basketball and its partner was a fast break. With this particular facet of the game

everyone was expected to go full tilt until they were tired and then be replaced. A fresh player would then enter the game, with absolutely no efficiency lost, and pick up the tempo. So, this intertwining, led to the imminent collapse of the opposition and another victory for Capitol.

The constant beseeching of the coaches implored us to be aggressive and aggressive we were!! On frequent occasions, a host of players would be in foul trouble only to be replaced by an equally compatible substitute. These subs continued to perform admirably and the structure of the team was not upset.

As is always the case, there were a few eye-popping achievements during the course of the season:

### School Records

Most assists in single game—Ed McKeown—17  
Most blocked shots in single game—Mike Pavlishin—13  
Add to this such accomplishments like, phlegmatic Virgil Jules, leading the scoring in 18 of the games while averaging 27 points per game; omnipresent Mike Pavlishin, taking rebounding honors in 15 of the games while averaging 12 rebounds per game; and almost anyone can envision the excitement of observing such feats.

On the contrary, however, this is one element of the season which is mind-boggling. **Non-Support!!!** Here we have individuals breaking their asses every night of the week in preparation for games and on the night of the contest the crowd is sparse. True, some people probably don't know where the Main Street gym is located or maybe don't have rides, but they can be found. **DO NOT FORGET** that this is **YOUR** team. They need your backing.

Our season record at home this year was 9-0. Next year, we are moving into our brand new facility and our schedule calls for a considerable amount of home games. Get out and support the team. There is nothing more gratifying than glancing at the crowd and seeing thousands of students, screaming their heads off, pleading for victory. The thought tingles the spine.

As I continue to live in the past, one particular thought keeps retracting to my mind. I often attempt to project what may have emanated if everyone had gone through the year injury or incident free. Howard Majzlik, Rich Klotz, Scott Kurtz, Bill Schule and Jerry Hoover were among those who received an injury requiring them to miss a number of contests. Also, some other key players, due to certain circumstances were required to forfeit the opportunity to participate.

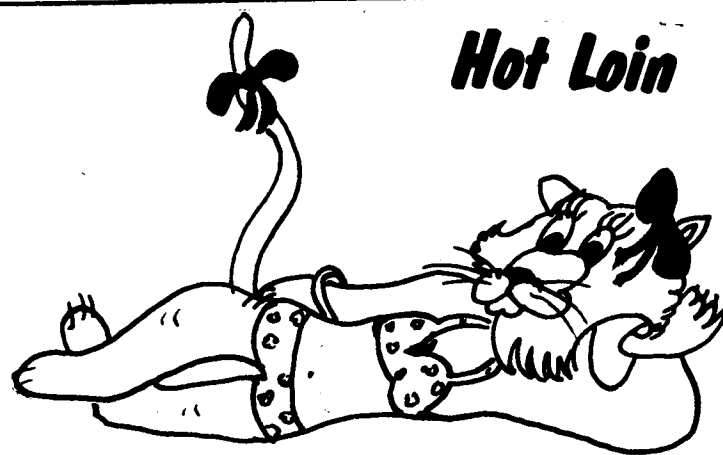
No one knows what might have been. We could quite possibly have improved our record and just as well diminished it. The pondering will linger on forever.

There is an optimistic side to these occurrences however. It enabled a number of players to see extensive action—playing time they may never have envisioned. Consequently, this allowed for considerable improvement in many phases of individual games and can only help those who are returning.

So then, the outlook for next year is impressive. The juniors on the team came up with considerable contributions and should foster their attitude toward the up-coming year. Bettering this year's seasonal record is a formidable task but not an impossible one. We have the team, we have the new gym, and we, will hopefully, have the fans so our work is cut out for us. We can, and we will do it!!!!

### TEAM STATISTICS

Average Points Per Game		
Virgil Jules	27.8	
Bill Morrell	13.8	
Howard Majzlik	9.6	
Mike Pavlishin	9.5	
Average Rebounds Per Game		
Mike Pavlishin	12.5	
Bill Morrell	6.9	
Wayne Spitzner	5.9	
Virgil Jules	5.2	
Average Assists Per Game		
Virgil Jules	4.1	
Mike Pavlishin	2.1	
Ed McKeown	1.9	
Dean Lombardo	1.7	
Average Steals Per Game		
Virgil Jules	2.6	
Mike Pavlishin	1.5	
Scott Kurtz	1.4	
Bill Morrell	1.2	
Field Goal Percentage (min. 50 attempts)		
Virgil Jules	50.4%	225-452
Bill Morrell	49.4%	125-253
Howard Majzlik	49.1%	61-124
Ed McKeown	45%	32-71
Free Throw % (minimum 20 attempts)		
Virgil Jules	78.5%	90-126
Mike Pavlishin	74.4%	35-47
Tony Prudente	68.1%	15-22
Howard Majzlik	67.6%	23-34



March 3

10:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. - Father Richardson for Counseling - Vendorville.  
11:00 A.M. - Brown Bag Lunch - Returning Women - Room W-138.  
12:15 P.M. and 8:00 P.M. - Foreign Film Festival - "La Strada" - International Affairs Association - Auditorium.  
8:00 P.M. - *Black Heritage In American Music* - Jazz dance film and performance by Charles Cook.  
HACC - Woody Herman Band - College Center, Room 107, 6-11 P.M. - Admission Charge.

March 4

Deadline for payment of full time undergraduate student bills for spring term, subject to \$25.00 late payment fee after this date.  
Deadline for graduate mail registration.  
HACC - Film - "M" starring Peter Lorre - Drama - Arts Auditorium - 7:30 P.M.

March 5

9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. - Rural Firefighting - Continuing Education - Student Center.

March 6

9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. - Rural Firefighting - Continuing Education - Student Center.  
7:00 P.M. - Mass - Student Center.  
8:00 P.M. - Social - Student Center.  
8:30 P.M. - Fireside Chat - Student Center.

March 7

12:15 P.M. and 8:00 P.M. - Wiseman Film Series - "Basic Training" - Cultural Committee, Faculty, BSU and Social Committee - Auditorium.  
3:00 P.M. - Meeting - NOW - Room E-244.  
6:00 P.M. - Information Seminar - Chi Rho - Coffeehouse.  
HACC - Mid-Winter Holiday. Library and Offices open.

March 8

8:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. - Materials Management - Continuing Education - Student Center.  
8:00 P.M. - *Black Heritage In American Music Concert* - David Crohan, Ragtime Pianist.  
HACC - Mid-Winter Holiday. Library and Offices open.

March 9

12:00 noon - Eating for Epilepsy - XGI.  
#:00 P.M. - Hearings - Student Court - Room 212.  
8:00 P.M. - Meeting - SGA - Room E-307.

March 9-11

Registration for returning undergraduate students and students who did not register by mail.

## Cornacchione Wins With 3rd Round TKO

By Tim Adams

After the controversy caused by Muhammed Ali's refusal to be drafted, it looked as though boxing had received its knockout punch. However, with Ali's resurging popularity and a huckster named Don Kingman touting the appeal of the sport, boxing is enjoying a comeback.

The popularity of the sport was apparent this past weekend at the Zembo Mosque when amateur boxing made it's long awaited requite. Included on the 16 bout card was Phil Cornacchione, a seventh term electrical engineering student here at Capitol.

Cornacchione fought Friday and Saturday night in order to gain a spot in the semi-finals that will be held this month at the Spectrum in Philadelphia. Cornacchione won with a third round TKO against his opponent James Barr.

Although he has boxed before, it has not been in the traditional style. He is a professional kick-boxer with the Philadelphia Patriots.

He got tapped for the Harrisburg boxing team while working out one evening at the police athletic league. He said, "a guy came up and asked if I wanted to box the next evening in York and I said yes." From there he submitted his name to the novice class of the Pa. Golden gloves championship.

If he wins in Philadelphia the next stop will be Pittsburgh for the finals. Asked if he has any desire to take a shot at the 1980 Olympic team he said he has thought about it, but had not set it as a goal. He said he's not sure whether he is an electrical engineer who boxes as a hobby or a boxer who has electrical engineering as a hobby.