

# Penn Coasts to Victory Over Columbia, 113-69

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PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 7 — Shortly after Pennsylvania trounced Columbia, 113-69, at the Palestra tonight, Chuck Daly, the Quakers' coach, said, "They just didn't have any size inside against us. So in our place it made it a relatively easy game."

That was it in a nutshell as the Quakers set a school scoring record for an Ivy League basketball game and maintained their one-game lead in the Ivy race over Princeton and Brown. Pennsylvania is going after its sixth straight Ivy title and sixth straight berth in the National Collegiate tournament.

The result was not surprising because the big, fast and strong Quakers were expected to run away from the Lions, who are last in the Ivy League with a 1-4 mark (3-16 over all). Only 3,207 fans turned out and many of them spent their time throwing things such as toilet paper floor.

Over the last 5½ seasons, the Quakers have won 44 games in the Palestra while losing only 2. In that span, Pennsylvania's total Ivy record is 72-5.

Six of the Quakers scored in double figures and three had 10 or more rebounds. The point leaders were Ron Haigler, 24; Bob Bigelow, 17 and Mark Lonetto, 16. Haigler had 14 rebounds, and Henry Johnson and Bigelow had 11 and 10, respectively.

Johnson scored 11 points, but put in 2 for Columbia. In the first half, he went up to rebound a Columbia shot. Instead of tipping the ball to a teammate, Johnson tipped it through the net, giving the Lions a 6-6 tie after 2 minutes 45 seconds of play.

That was the last time Co-

lumbia was even with the Quakers, who ran off and broke their former Ivy high of 111 points in a victory over Cornell, Feb. 25, 1972.

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