

Brown Five Beaten by Penn, 72-67

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PROVIDENCE, R.I., Jan. 31 —Penn overcame a 7-point half-time deficit tonight to post a 72-67 victory over Brown in the loser's Marvel Gymnasium. The defeat knocked Brown out of a first-place tie with the Quakers and Princeton in the Ivy League.

Penn trailed, 53-45, with 13½ minutes to play, but then held the Bruins without a point for the next 10 minutes while surging to a 61-53 lead. Penn has won 13 and lost 4 overall while Brown dropped to 8-8 and 3-2. Ron Haigler led Penn's scoring 22 points and Eddie Morris paced Brown with 19.

Columbia Bows by Point

Aaron Grandison, Columbia's sophomore guard, missed the second of two free throws with one second remaining in the game as Dartmouth posted a 78-77 victory last night.

Columbia trailed, 78-71, with 1:33 remaining in the game, but Grandison, who led all scorers with 22 points, sunk two key baskets to start a comeback that brought the Lions within 2 with 28 seconds left. Columbia then regained possession after a missed foul shot and Grandison was then fouled.

Princeton Stymies Yale

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NEW HAVEN, Jan. 31 —Princeton held Yale without a field goal for nine minutes during the first half tonight and went on to beat the Elis, 62-50, in an Ivy League game. The Tigers, who are limiting their opponents to 64.8 points a game, were trailing, 11-10, but scored three straight baskets to take a 16-11 lead they never relinquished.

Harvard Downs Cornell

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ITHACA, N.Y., Jan. 31—Harvard scored 11 straight points near the end of the first half and then held off Cornell in the second half for an 80-67 victory tonight on the loser's court.

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