

Almost 'Sunk' at Vatican

The young lady who's been frequently on television or featured in a variety of newspaper interviews has a storehouse of anecdotes remarkably abundant for a 23-year-old lass.

Lynn Burke celebrated her birthday while visiting Rochester and noted that the career which makes her famous is already over—her Olympic swimming fame.

She won two gold medals in the 1950 Olympics at Rome, Italy.

AND THAT'S where she nearly came to grief with ecclesiastical officials.

The team arrived in Rome the day before Pope John was scheduled for a public audience at St. Peter's at the Vatican.

Lynn and her roommate, Ann Warner of California arrived after several thousands of others were already in their places in the vast basilica.

The two youngsters climbed over barricades, scooted under ropes, slipped past guards and finally were unceremoniously halted by a bishop or a cardinal. "We thought he was God and he had all kinds of robes, all in red . . . and he scolded us but we couldn't understand him except he was mad."

Then, Lynn said, "a little priest with a pointed hat and a beard came up to him and talked to him and calmed him down and took us off to a room and we didn't know what was going to happen to us."

"We waited nearly an hour and then he came back and right behind him was Pope John, all in white, and then he smiled and talked to us a little in English, with a brogue, and asked us if we wanted him to bless any thing."

"All we had with us were our bathing suits because we were going later to the Olympic pool to exercise."

"He held them out toward him and he said he'd bless them and us and our families."

Miss Burke, a graduate of St. John's University, is a consumer



LYNN BURKE

consultant for Olin Mathieson Chemical Corp., which is marketing a \$600 above-ground swimming pool. Her home is in Auburndale near Flushing and she is a member of the CYO and YM and YWCA.

Bowling

Greece Catholic League (March 19)

J. Streb 228-224 (618), B. Pilot 213, R. Dispensa 208, M. Kolb 202, C. DuBois 201

Corpus Christi Mixed (March 20)

C. Groth 197, J. Trost 195-205, J. Marshall 193, L. Ernst 178, N. Lill 173

(March 27)

179, 174, J. Marshall 209, 180-223, J. Trost 184, Father D'Aurizio 174, Fat Lill 173, N. Lill 170

Mother of Sorrows Mixed (Mar. 21)

Men: F. Wilson 208, C. Homala 203, J. Paul 201, J. Thines 200, Women: L. Kondof 218, 159, 162-630, M. Zapf 183, J. Postle 177, H. Ayotte 171, D. DeLong 1178, E. Miesch 170

St. Margaret Mary's Ladies (March 22)

M. Peters 492-194, 166; A. Fertig 185, P. Rooney 447, E. Fuierer 436, E. Weiss 424, A. Kilpatrick 423-161, M. Brennan 420-202; M. Miller 478-488-165, 161; C. Stachek 482-181; 169, 167; P. Isaac 450, J. Perce 447; R. Benigni 421-178, B. Zlotnik 421-161, E. Kalofake 419, C. Schleuter 417, M. Wilson 417, M. Gelas 409, J. Proper 409, M. Cornelia 405-180, B. Lurz 402, M. Christo 401, A. Arcarese 170, J. Debell 164

St. Helen's Ladies (March 21)

Romane Goiden 489, Pat Goodwin 485, Davis Kern 486, Lou Hiest 456, Jane Connor 478, Rene Ventrellin 466, Rita Favuzza 469, Doris Keck 449, Isabelle Cole 448, Rae Quetschenbach 447

Sacred Heart Ladies (March 23)

J. Mahon 185, M. Slye 179, 165, A. Edwards 176, M. Harries 176, P. Martone 174, R. Platt 171, N. Ransom 164, E. Clarke 163, M. VanWes 163, H. Salomone 162, C. McLaren 161, J. Zirlo 161, B. McKeon 160, D. O'Meara 160

North Park Catholic Men's League (March 25)

Al. Donndoni 222, 232-663, Walt Marini 222-222-638, Chris Canale 244, 208-634, Lou Maler 203, 209, 611, John Michalicki 233-609, Frank Marlin 237-608

J. Scovell 223, 201, A. Lorenzo 200, 204; J. Sutherland 204-203, W. Milabarger 202, 201, T. Loco 200, 210, W. Luzzin 213, 235, G. Holderer 202, 103

E. Dispensa 227, J. Bloom Sr. 224, L. Reisman 218, P. Compertore 215, R. Thomas 215, D. Calhoun 215, R. Lill 214, J. Wayda 213, L. Buscerri 212, S. Charbonneau 212, J. Koby 211

Greece Catholic League (March 24)

E. Etzman 218, 201-609, T. Ryan 211, J. Walker 211, W. Muldon 210, W. DeLoo 205, L. Green 205, M. Weaver 206, J. Nolan 203

Rochester Catholic Women's

S. Catholi 544-183, 182, 1179, M. O'Hanlon 467-192, M. Stratton 465-190, E. San Filippo 469-191, H. Di Pasquale 446-185, T. Herweck 445, M. DeBols 442, K. Wallace 422-160, A. Zirnnerman 420, H. Heagney 418, B. Lutzeman 403

Aquinas Captures Banner Bout Here

With a flash of color and plenty of determination, the Aquinas Institute Color Guard, resplendent in uniforms of scarlet red, white and black, walked off with top honors at Bishop Kearney High School's "Banner Bout," held last Saturday at the Kings Highway school.

Led on the floor by Color Guard Captain Dave Behn, Aquinas captured a score of 94.55 to edge out eight competing guards. Local entries in the contest included the Blue Angels of Greece who placed third, the Wavettes and the Shoreliners.

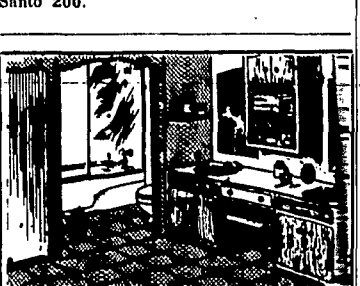
Aquinas also captured the trophy for the guard with the best General Effect, while Kathy McGrail of the Blue Angels took the trophy for Best Commander.

This marked Aquinas' third victory of the season. Other wins were posted in Hamilton, N.Y. and in St. Catharines, Ontario, where the local school captured the coveted Canadian National Open Championship.

St. Carmel Men's

Frank Di Benedetto Sr. 233, 169, 346-358, Pep Cugno 227, 185, 211-633, Sam Pane 238, Frank DiBenedetto Jr. 225, Jerry March Sr. 224, 201, Pat Faine 225, 202, Rocky Julian 225, Dick Infantino 213, Dan Francini 221, 211, Joe LaDura 214, Al Sima 213, Bob Quinlan 213, Warren Perce 212, Jim Meiso 206, Art Marasco 206, Mike Mauro 201, 200, Jerry Francini 200, Camiel Drazio 203, Joe Cutina 202, Mike Trapani 205, John Julian 204-201, Jose Kuis 200

St. Carmel Men's Joe Cutina 218, 156, 246-615, Al Sima 228, Pete Morozzi 222, 222, Tomper Luciano 222, Bob Quinlan 219, John Juliano 216, Warren Perce 216, Sam Montano 215, Aug Marone 215, Tony Gianforte 209, 206, Chas. Basilio 208, Art Marasco 208, Mike Mauro 206, 205, Joe Accorso 202, Frank DeJohn 201, Jerry Francini 200, Tony Sinto 200



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CYO Cheerleaders Tournament

The Catholic Youth Organization announces the Eighth Annual Invitational Cheerleaders Tournament, to be held April 2 at the C.Y.O., 50 Chestnut St. Purpose of the tournament is to bring area cheerleaders together and improve standards in cheerleading. It is open to any organized High School Cheerleading squad in the diocese. There are separate awards in both Junior Varsity and Varsity divisions.

Overseer for the program, Mrs. Helen Smith, the tournament director, Mrs. John W. Byrne is the general chairman. In charge of arrangements, assisting Mrs. Byrne, are: the

The winners will be announced at the tournament banquet following the contest at approximately 5:30 p.m. Winning teams will be asked to perform their cheers at the banquet.

Tournament officials are: Father William S. Charbonneau, C.Y.O. Director; Howard Meath, Executive Secretary; Mrs. Helen Smith, Tournament Director.

Making up the Advisory Committee are: Mrs. Marian Wright, Mrs. Mary McGee, Mrs. Patricia D'Ambrosia, Mrs. Lillian Streb, Miss Eleanor Brown, Miss Dorothy Dougan.

Mesdames Michael Culhane, Frank Malley, Charles Zicari, Alice Sadler, and Joan Werner.

The contest will be an all day affair with specific times assigned to each team. Each group will perform three cheers, choice of which are left to the discretion of each squad.

Judging will be based on general appearance, presentation of the cheers and the content and tasteful choice of the cheers.



Whele Contest Opens Today

The twenty-first annual Louis A. Whele Fishing Contest will start April 1 and close Oct. 31 according to information released by John L. Whele, president of Genesee Brewing Co., Inc.

The annual contest is a memorial to the late Louis A. Whele, former N.Y. State Conservation Commissioner and offers \$5,135 in cash prizes during the seven month fishing season for the largest fish in each of twelve classifications.

The contest is open to all residents of New York State, without entry fee of any kind. Copies of the Fishing Guide may be obtained without charge from sporting goods stores, bait shops, boat liveries, food stores and taverns or by postcard request to Fishing Contest, Box 762, Rochester, N.Y. 14603.

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