

COURIER ENTERTAINMENT
AS I SEE IT
Pat Costa

It was several months ago when Channel 21 first published its "Cinema 21" schedule of Friday night golden movies funded by Marine Midland that the head of the house told our children about "Yankee Doodle Dandy."

The smashing story of George M. Cohan with James Cagney as the cocky, talented song and dance man was then several months away from being screened locally.

The morning of the night it was to be shown the children's father advised them to take a nap so they could stay up for the 10:30 p.m. screening.

We had consulted our local newspaper listing as to the time but we found our hopes dashed when Bill Haley explained that the listing was wrong. There would be an hour of the Democratic convention in Niagara Falls screened and THEN the movie would be shown at 11:30 p.m.

"Why," grumbled our nine-year-old, "do they do this to us?" Why, indeed?

We have followed this series faithfully, thrilling to such melodramas as "The Petrified Forest," "Three on a Match," "Angels with Dirty Faces," "Roaring Twenties," etc.

But since we are early risers even on weekends, I frequently feel that I'm in an endurance contest waiting for the usual 10:30 p.m. show time.

Since these movies are repeated on the following Sunday afternoons we do have the opportunity to see them then but who wants to pass up a sunny day outside even for the likes of Betty Davis, Humphrey Bogart et al?

Earlier in the Channel 21 schedule for the night, a rerun episode of "Elizabeth R" was running and before that "Washington Review" and "Wall Street Week."

Wouldn't it be great to reverse some of these screenings so that a great family entertainment such as "Yankee Doodle Dandy" with its marvelous songs might be shown at 9 p.m. and reruns as well as those shows with more limited appeal at a later hour.

Following a policy of leaving the best for last is not always wise, particularly if the best doesn't end until 1:30 a.m. Some of us just can't wait around for the dessert no matter how serious our intent.

To carp without thanking Channel 21 for such rewarding programming in the first place is not fair.

With few exceptions, the best entertainment available via Rochester television stations in the last several years has emanated from Channel 21. May its quality programming continue and hopefully embarrass the commercial stations into similar ventures.

At Home With the Movies

DOWNHILL RACER [1969]
Sunday, June 30

This drama about a cynical, independent member of the U.S. Olympic ski team was an excellent offering in the theater. On TV, however, what with all those commercial interruptions, some of the tension will doubtless go down the drain. Watch it, however, for its superb action sequences and for its honest probing of the star-coach

relationship of Robert Redford as his harried coach. This is fine, the racer and Gene Hackman as taut, adult entertainment. **A-III**

Good News on the Air

	HOST	RADIO STATION	DAY	TIME
Rosary for Peace	Msgr. Joseph Cirmicione	WSAY (Rochester) WRLX (Auburn) WCLF-FM (Corning) WNJA (Buffalo)	Daily	7 p.m.
God in Headlines	Fr. Louis Hohman	WHAM (Rochester)	Sunday	11:15 a.m.
Call for Renewal	Fr. Daniel Holland	WROC (Rochester)	Sunday	9 p.m.
Open Mike	Fr. Louis Hohman Fr. Gerald Appelby	WROC (Rochester)	Sunday	12:45 p.m.
Magnify the Lord	Fr. Paul Cuddy	WLEA (Hornell) WFSW (Seneca Falls) WGHT (Bath) WCLT (Corning) WAUB (Auburn) WACK (Newark) WFLR-AM-FM (Dundee)	Sunday	1:15 p.m. 10:45 a.m. 10 a.m. 9:45 a.m. 7:15 a.m. 7:30 a.m.
Sunday School	Fr. Lewis Brown	WLEA (Hornell)	Sunday	10 a.m. 9:30 a.m. and 3 p.m.
Dimensions of Contemporary Belief	U of R Newman Community	WRUR-FM (Rochester)	Alternate Tuesdays	6:30 p.m.
Mass	James Raftis	WEBO (Owego)	Sunday	9:25 a.m.
Contemporary Concerns of the Church	Msgr. William Roche	WHCU (Ithaca)	Thursday	11:30 a.m.
Morning Meditation	Fr. John O'Malley	WGHT (Bath)	Saturday	9:05 a.m.
Catholic Church Today	Fr. Otto Vogt	WHHO-AM (Hornell)	Sunday	2 p.m.
Now Generation	Sr. Vincenza Cogliostro	WHHO-FM (Hornell)	Sunday	5 p.m.
Gospel Changes	Joseph McCaffrey	WBBF (Rochester)	Sunday	10:15 a.m.
Mass	Fr. John O'Malley	WGHT (Bath)	First Sundays	10 a.m.
TELEVISION				
Mass for Shut-ins		WHEC (Rochester) (Channel 10)	Sunday	8:30 a.m.
Vignettes	Fr. Sebastian Falcone	WHEC (Rochester) (Channel 10)	Daily	Sign-off



Organ Recital


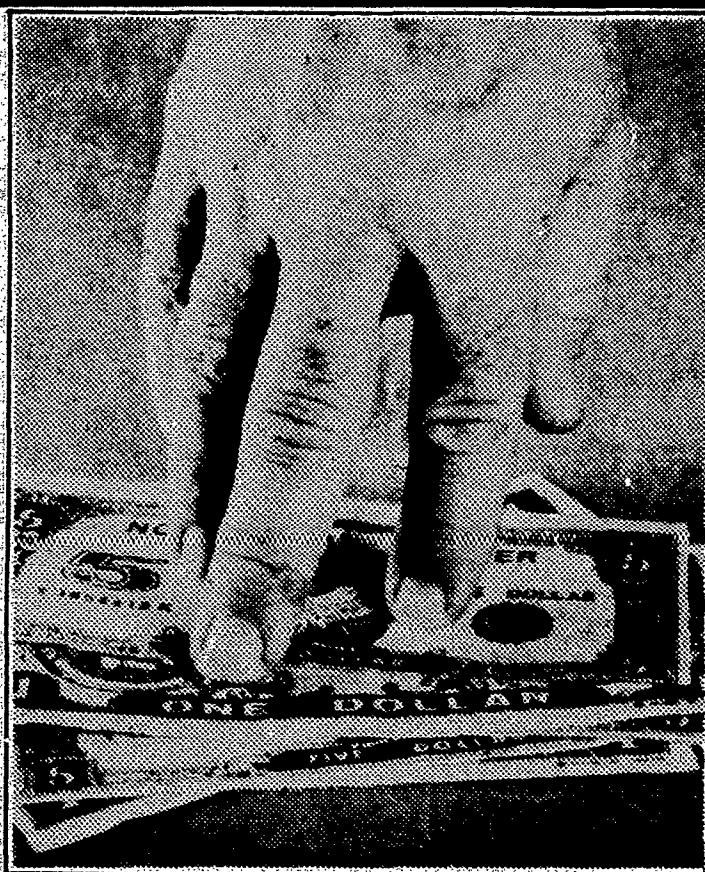
Richard Anderson, a candidate for the Doctor of Musical Arts degree at the University of Michigan, will give an organ recital at Sacred Heart Cathedral at 8 p.m. Sunday, June 30. He is a native of Ontario, in this diocese. For the past two years he has been a teaching assistant in organ at Michigan, and has been playing a series of recitals in churches of the East and the Midwest that are known for the quality of their organs. Anderson is scheduled for a recital next summer in the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C.

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