

IN THIS CORNER



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NEWS ITEMS: New England Patriots of National Football League raise prices of end zone seats to \$6, and box seats to \$12.50 for 1975. Philadelphia Eagles, despite sellout crowds for all seven home league games, claim half million dollar loss, will raise ticket prices as much as \$2.50 up and down the scale. Eagles blame player salaries and boxoffice drop in exhibition games during player strike.

COMMENT: Now tell me who pays for the player strike.

NEWS ITEM: (Add inflation) New York Mets raising price of top ticket in Shea Stadium, box seat lodge, to \$4.50.

COMMENT: They are now as expensive as Rochester Americans hockey.

NEWS ITEM: Ara Parseghian quits Notre Dame job, after 11 seasons, through need to escape pressure.

COMMENT: Parseghian achieved for Notre Dame what Knute Rockne and Frank Leahy did in easier times. He began thinking resignation way back in

pre-season when authorities failed to treat six football players like ordinary students.

NEWS ITEM: Christ McCarron, apprentice jockey, breaks all time single season record for winning rides.

COMMENT: Hang a big red asterisk on that record. McCarron's record was contrived by every cheap "assist" in and out of the book. For the sake of publicity and promotion, race track officials conspired to put McCarron up on successions of favorites. If racing had a commissioner, or a little conscience, it would not have happened this way.

NEWS ITEM: Alabama favored to defeat Notre Dame in Orange Bowl, despite Bear Bryant's record of one tie and six losses in his last seven bowls.

COMMENT: If form means anything at all in college football, Alabama should blow the Irish right out of Dade County. (Yes, I remember last year. And I'll try Alabama again in '75, with 15 of 22 starters back in action.)

NEWS ITEM: United Press International includes Oklahoma in its weekly college basketball poll by coaches. UPI's football poll of coaches banned Oklahoma, and it got terribly embarrassing when the Sooners refused to lose a game.

COMMENT: How can a news service like UPI operate so blatantly a double standard?

NEWS ITEM: Losing coach's problem diagnosed as Alcoholic Arthritis.

COMMENT: He got stiff in a new joint every night.

with a 702. Both sets were rolled at Maiden-Lanes.

Veteran — Bishop Kearney hockey coach Steve MacAdam may be new to high school coaching, but he's definitely no stranger to hockey. MacAdam spent 10 years with the Rochester Americans as trainer in the Joe Crozier era (and before) and credits Crozier with being the greatest single influence on his hockey coaching. MacAdam also operated an Old Man's Hockey League for icers over 30 (some in their 50s) where league rules prohibit hitting, slap shots and team standings, but does allow for an annual banquet after a vigorous 28 game season.

Faster Irish — While a pair of Churchville-Chili swimmers turned in their fastest times ever against Aquinas, the Little Irish were even faster. Jim Darling (CC) swam a 25.5 freestyle, his best time ever, but Aquinas' Joe Thomson equaled the time and won on a judge's decision. Tim Westbrook (CC) turned a 1:15.5 100 breaststroke, but Thomas beat him with a 1:14.1. Unfortunately, Aquinas lost the meet, 92-80!

Going Strong — McQuaid swimming coach John Tobin saw his Knights log their 30th consecutive victory and their 28th straight City-Catholic League win at Harley-Allendale/Columbia, with McQuaid winning, of course, 54-25. Double winner in that meet was Jeff LiButti, who took the 200 and 500 yard freestyle events.

Century — McQuaid wrestling coach John Roselli recorded his 100th victory as McQuaid head mat coach when the Knights downed Eastridge, 22-18. Roselli, who has been at McQuaid for 11 seasons, gained the century victory mark when the Knights' Pete Springer upset Eastridge's Gary Freedman, 2-1, at 126 pounds.

NEW YEAR'S EVE St. Philip Neri parish will have a New Year's Eve party, beginning at 10 p.m. Dec. 31 in the school hall. Reservations may be made through Ginny Tiberio, 342-6936, or the rectory, 482-2400.

SCHOLASTIC NOTEBOOK advertisement featuring a portrait of John Doser.

Boycott — A number of Monroe County wrestling coaches boycotted the Democrat & Chronicle last week and refused to report their wrestling results because the D&C won't publish the small type wrestling meet summaries.

Some scores still managed to get through, presumably turned in by coaches who did not agree with the boycott. In any event athletic directors decided coaches should continue reporting results the way the D&C wants them. Fairport High coach Pete Logan explained. We agree with the athletic directors. We note that while we've heard coaches threaten to boycott the D&C before, this is the first time we've ever known it to happen.

Response — A D&C spokesman acknowledged that a boycott of sorts was going on, but said it was difficult to decide how effective it was since some coaches never reported their results anyway. We believe the dailies have the obligation to report all organized athletic scores from games which take place in the circulation area served by the newspapers wherever and whenever possible. The truth, however, is that there are far more schools and school sports to cover than there were 10, 15 and 25 years ago, and a lot less space to do it in. Coaches must understand this.

Repeat — Former Aquinas Institute assistant football coach Basil Marella, now director of the Greece Park and Recreation Bureau, has made a mark two weeks in a row in the Greece Businessman's Bowling League. Marella rolled a 742 series three weeks ago and followed it up

ST. CASIMIR WOMEN HOLD PARTY

Elmira — The Rosary and Sacred Heart Society of St. Casimir's Church held a Christmas party Dec. 8. The 150 members who attended gave money, candy, books and other articles to Brother Michael to distribute among 173 families.

Music provided by Joe Augustine included Polish. Kilendy The Our Lady of Lourdes Choir presented a musical program of religious and traditional Christmas songs.

CHRISTMAS EVE AT MOS

The Mother of Sorrows adult choir prepared a 45-minute program to precede the Latin Mass at midnight Christmas Eve. Carols from eight European countries, many sung in their original languages, were on the program, which featured several vocal and instrumental soloists. The vested choir is directed by Caroline Effinger.



Distinguished Visitor

Golda Meir answers a student's question at a filled-to-capacity Strong Auditorium at the University of Rochester, Monday, Dec. 16. The former prime minister of Israel received an honorary degree and spoke at ceremonies at the Eastman Theatre marking the initiation of the Philip Bernstein professorship in Jewish Studies at the U. of R.

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ENTERTAINMENT

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