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**CITY-CATHOLIC BASEBALL
Section 5 Tournament**

Class AAA

Previous Results

Olympia 8, Irondequoit 4; East 7, McQuaid 3; Fairport 2, East 0; Kearney 7, Gates-Chili 4; Thomas 17, Corning West 4; Mooney 13, Olympia 3.

Semifinal Games

Fairport 3, Kearney 1; Mooney 3, Thomas 1.

Class AA

Batavia 3, Marshall 2; Penn Yan 2; Canandaigua 0; Mendon 13, Dansville 0; Corning West 7, East Rochester 6; Batavia 3, Geneva 1; Sutherland 6, Hornell 0; Pal-Mac 2; Penn Yan 1; Mendon 11; Churchville-Chili 4.

Semifinal Games

Sutherland 9, Batavia 0; Mendon 10; Pal-Mac 3.

Class A

Midlakes 1, Sodus 0; Victor 5, LeRoy 4; Victor 6, Charlotte 0; Waterloo 9, North Rose-Wolcott 2; Bath 4, Pembroke 1; Midlakes 6, Livonia 2.

Semifinal Games

Waterloo 2; Victor 1; Midlakes 5; Bath 2.

Championship

Waterloo 7; Midlakes 0.

Class B

Canisteo 7; Byron-Bergen 4; Red Jacket 4; York 2; Red Jacket 3; Holley 1; Dundee 7; Avon 6; Wheatland-Chili 8; Williamson 3; Canisteo 1; 1; Caledonia-Mumford 0.

Semifinal Games

Red Jacket 7; Dundee 5; Wheatland-Chili 8; Canisteo 5.

Championship

Red Jacket 1; Wheatland-Chili 0.

Class C

Mt. Morris 2; Lyndonville 0; Campbell 7; Mt. Morris 1; Kendall 3; Bolivar 1; Naples 6; Marion 3; Arkport 8; Fillmore 2.

Semifinal Games

Kendall 4; Campbell 2; Naples 11; Arkport 8.

Championship

Naples 3; Kendall 2.

Class D

Savona 6; Scio 1; Whitesville 5; Andover 4; Canaseraga 6; Savona 1; Andover 9; Wyoming 5; Friendship 12; Cohocton 6; Whitesville 3; Bradford 2.

Semifinal Games

Canaseraga 5; Andover 2; Friendship 10; Whitesville 5.

Montreal Begins In Eugene, Ore.

By JOHN DOSER

While Dick Buerkle, the teacher, was collecting text books at Bishop Kearney High last week, his wife Jean was busy packing luggage for the trip to Eugene, Oregon, for Dick Buerkle, the distance runner.

Eugene is the Buerkles' passport to the 1976 Olympic Games in Montreal this summer.

While Buerkle has already qualified for the Olympic trials at Eugene, he had to run at Eugene in order to make the Olympic team.

He qualified for the Olympic qualifier at Eugene in the 5,000 meter race last June in an AAU meet, and he qualified for the 10,000 meter race in the recent Penn Relays.

Will Jean be in Montreal?

"If Dick's there, I'm there," she says.

What about housing in Montreal?

"It just happens that I went to grad school last year and one of my classmates is from Montreal — so I'm really lucky," she adds.

Buerkle was disappointed after beating out Marty Liquori in the 5,000 meter race in Los Angeles last week after learning upon arriving back home in Rochester that the event was not carried on ABC-TV's Wide World of Sports.

"I'm not a marketing expert by any means, but I certainly would think the event because of what happened, was important enough to be seen," he explains.

What he meant was the fact that Liquori conveniently came up with a leg injury while Buerkle went on to win the event.

The national media paid more attention to Liquori's alleged injury than to Buerkle's win.

"Only he knows if he had an injury," Buerkle says. "There was some bleeding on his leg, but how serious it was, I just don't know."

The Rochester Olympic hopeful preferred not to say or agree that that Liquori's injury was more convenient than real.

What did Patricia Prince's four years as a Mercy High School student do for her?

"It taught me to be an individual," she confidently answered.

And she discusses her future dreams and goals with a sense of individual drive through which she will achieve what she sets out to do.

Pat will attend Boston College where she will major in Spanish which she intends to use in combination with another major either in business or medicine. According to her, these two career fields now more than ever before have more openings for women.

Pat ended her busy four years of high school with accomplishments. She received the Veterans of Foreign Wars leadership award as well as Mercy's Merit Award. Besides being the senior class vice president she served on the Student Council and organized the 1976 senior ball.

After competing in Eugene, he won't find out whether he makes the Olympic team in the 10,000 meter until Tuesday (June 22), and won't know about the 5,000 meter until Sunday (June 27).

He was considering running both events at Eugene, but wasn't certain. But if he wants to run both in the Montreal Games, he'll have to run both in the Eugene qualifiers.

"If I think I can run them both (at Eugene), and if the 10,000 won't take away from the 5,000, then I'll run them both," he says.

Buerkle recalls that Dave Wottle ran the 800 meters in the last Olympics to get in shape for the 1500 meters. Wottle ended up breaking the world record in the 800 meters and won a gold medal as well.

He says he likes the 5,000 meters better than the 10,000.

"It's an exciting race to me, but people have always told me I can run a good 10,000 too," he explains.

"And with the few who are running it, I've done OK. So I'm going to continue running it," he adds.

He and Jane are very fortunate to be among the lucky who will have access to Montreal housing at the Games. He, naturally, will live with the U.S. athletes, while Jane stays with her former classmate.

He believes there still is a lot of housing available, but says they will want an awful buck for it.

Buerkle's health is fine, he says. "My weight is down, I'm really thin, I'm really feeling fit."

He runs at Jefferson High, occasionally runs home from school, sometimes at Durand-Eastman Park, or often near Highland Park, close by home.

He says he won't be writing any newspaper stories this time, in Montreal. He wants to concentrate on his running.

He found it tough to write in China when he ran there last year, he says it was even tougher to send it back to the U.S. In Montreal, he's running — all the way.



ANTHONY LIEPERT
Class Valedictorian

Aquinas Speaker

Anthony Liepert has been named Valedictorian for the 1976 Aquinas Institute graduating class.

Anthony, ranked first in a class of 250, has led a very busy life at Aquinas, a member of the Marching and Concert Band, engaged in swimming and an avid bridge player, standard bearer for the school, maintained an A average throughout his four years making him a permanent member of the St. Thomas Club.

A member of St. Charles Parish in Greece, he will attend the University of Rochester to pursue studies in engineering.

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DeSales Alumnus Wins Awards

Geneva — Patrick D. Sweeney a 1972 graduate of DeSales High School received top honors in the 32nd annual commencement exercises of Iona College in New Rochelle.

Sweeney was among 792 students to be graduated in the Class of 1976. He graduated summa cum laude and was the recipient of the Cardinal Spellman Memorial Award for Proficiency in studies presented by the Archdiocese of New York.

Winner!

Kathie LoBiondo, a junior at Cardinal Mooney High School, was the recipient of the Winner's Circle \$5 for the issue of June 9.

Congratulations Graduate

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The Marines



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Patty Prince whose bag is, "To be an individual."