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#### AOUINAS

Saturday, Dec. 16 -Student Council Dance. Sunday, Dec. 17 Band Christmas Concert, 3 p.m.

BISHOP KEARNEY Friday, Dec. 15 Donkey basketball.

**CARDINÁL MOONEY** Saturday, Dec. 16 — faculty Christmas Party.

DESALES Friday, Dec. 15 -Christmas Wreath and Tree Sale begins.

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Thursday, Dec. 14 -Christmas Liturgy; noon dismissal Dec. 15-21 — Semester exams. Monday, Dec. 18 -

Faculty-staff dinner. NAZARETH

Thursday, Dec. 14 -Junior ring ceremony; Perosians meet, 2:40-3:30 p.m.; band rehearsal, 2:45-4:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 15 - Dress Up Day; Ed Meath

Christmas Fund sponsored by Student Council; dance recital in evening. Monday, Dec. 18

Dismissal, 1:35 p.m.; faculty meeting, 2 p.m.; Music department meeting, 6:15 p.m. 19 — Tuesday, Dec. Student Council meeting.

#### **NOTRE DAME**

Thursday, Dec. 14 -Faculty prayer, 8:10 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 17 -Homeroom Liturgy, convent, 10 a.m. Monday, Dec. 18 -Latin Liturgy, convent, 11:45 a.m.; Board of Governors meeting, 7:30 p.m.

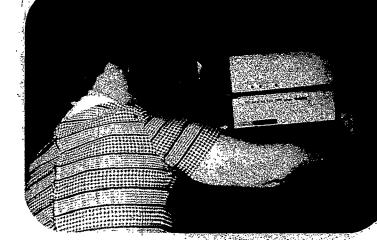
Wednesday, Dec. 20 -French Liturgy, convent, 1:15 p.m.

#### **OUR LADY OF MERCY** Thursday, Dec. 14 Parents Board meeting. Saturday, Dec. 16 Christmas Formal. Monday, Dec. 18 Report cards distributed.

Tuesday, Dec. 19 -Homeroom moderator meeting, 3 p.m.

#### ST. AGNES

Thursday, Dec. 14 -Glee Club Concert, 8 p.m. Friday, Dec. 15 — Advent Penance Service, 8:30 a.m.; Christmas Formal, Chamber of Commerce, 8:30-midnight.



Sister Margaret video tapes an English class.

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### **Band for All Seasons**

Under the direction of Dennis Caiazza, the Aquinas Band will present a Christmas Concert, Dec. 17, 3 p.m. Selections include "Sleigh Ride", Beethoven's "Third Symphony" and a variety of Christmas carol arrangements. The Varsity Jazz Ensemble will also perform, offering music by Glen Miller and Stan Kenton. Tickets will sold at the door; S1 for adults, \$.50 for children under 12. Light refreshments will be served afterwards. Above, the band performs in one of its public appearances.

# **Journalist Pursues Features**

#### By JOAN M. SMITH

Nazareth Academy senior Karen Franz dates her interest in journalism back to seventh grade and she agrees with Dr. Mario Garcia, Syracuse University Journalism Department, that it takes "a perfectionism" and "persistence" to succeed in the field.

Karen attended the Empire State Press Association Conference last month, winning for herself a four year scholarship to Syracuse. Presently, she is considering a double major - Political Science and Journalism.

This year as news editor for Nazareth's "Gabriel", Karen interviews, writes, edits and does lay-outs. She prefers



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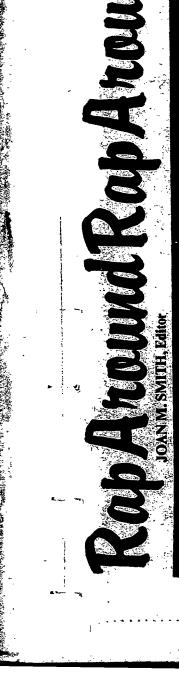
Karen Franz studies previous issues of the Gabriel and makes notes on how future issues will be formulated. There are 10 publications of the paper during the school year.

sense of self-preservation."

How does she see the communication (print and

story. She opts for the pure reporting of the facts. She also has discovered that being involved in journalism causes

"I don't know, I have a strong analysis and opinions in the



A round of videotaping provided an interesting and effective learning experience for Nazareth English students. Sister Margaret Brennan's sophomores chose topics suitable for an educational TV show --- The fifties; Music from the 30s to the 70s; visits to three different eras in America, and Dances in the '20s-'70s.

The girls researched their topic, wrote scripts and produced the shows. They evaluated each other's tapes and assigned ratings based on the evidence of research, practice, originality, script writing and entertainment

value. The class then discussed the evaluations and decided what improvements they would strive for when they undertake a similar project later this year.

Sister Margaret's seniors also used video tape to produce a TV fashion show of 18th century costumes in conjunction with projects they did to accompany their study of "Pride and Prejudice". Also, Sister videotaped an English Literature class conducting a mock trial of Jonathan Swift for his publication of "A Modest Proposal":

tacking teature articles and one such venture was a piece on battered wives which stemmed from a project for her Street Law class. Another idea in the works is an article on genetic experimentation for her journalism class.

Through her experience in the print media, Karen has developed a certain formula for writing. Once she has the beginning sentence, she starts writing, working directly from her notes rather than an outline. She does two drafts and her copy is ready for publishing.

Interviews interest her and she declared that Barbara Walters is one of the best in the business. "She manages to get people to talk about things they wouldn't ordinarily mention," she said.

Karen says she'd like to think she could be an investigative reporter. When asked if she were given an assignment which meant infiltrating a situation like Jonestown, could she? She thought seriously for a moment and then answered,

visual) field snaping up for women? "I'm seeing more and more women on TV," she acknowledged. "But they seem to get the light assignments."

Regarding her reporting, she is opposed to the new journalism of using one's own

singing groups will be

doing their best to put

people into the Christmas

spirit. The Choral Belles

will appear on the Matt

Rinaldi Show, Channel 10,

Wednesday, Dec. 13. The

singers will present a

musical version of the

"Night Before Christmas."

What makes Sister Donna

Marie Cucci, director of

the chorale groups, so excited is that the program

will be taped, and shown

On Dec. 18, 7 p.m., all

three choruses, the

Freshmen Chorus,

Perosians and Choral

Belles will present a special

again on Christmas Day.

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her to analyze the newspaper she reads - critiquing, picking up hints and observing how other journalists ply their

trade. Aside from her writing interests, Karen likes music, mostly contemporary, and enjoys singing.

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### **Merry Voices**

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Christmas Concert which will be open to the public free of charge. The evening will include a family singalong.

Next on the Christmas agenda is the appearance of the Chorale Belles on the Eddie Meath Show, Channel 10, Dec. 19. Then on Dec. 21 they will present a lunchtime concert for the people of Rochester Products.

Dec. 21 will see the Freshman Chorus performing at the Aberdeen Nursing Home, The presentation will include instrumental accompaniment.

Science Winner

Cardinal Mooney has announced Eric Hemdal as the winner of the Bausch & Lomb Science Award. This award is presented each year to winners at participating schools throughout the United State and Canada.

As winner of the award. Eric is eligible to compete for one of several four year Bausch & Lomb Science Scholarships at the University of Rochester.