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The 1989-90 season has been rough for Bishop Kearney as the Kings have fielded a new coach and a squad that combines returning starters, transfers from Cardinal Mooney, and JV players.

Kearney (3-4) made strides towards jelling as team over the holidays, winning the Midlakes Tournament.

The opening-round 77-70 win over Marshall on Dec. 28 took three overtimes, but coach Ed Nietopski observed that the victory said something about his squad.

"To play in three overtimes and to win indicates there's something special about this team," he said.

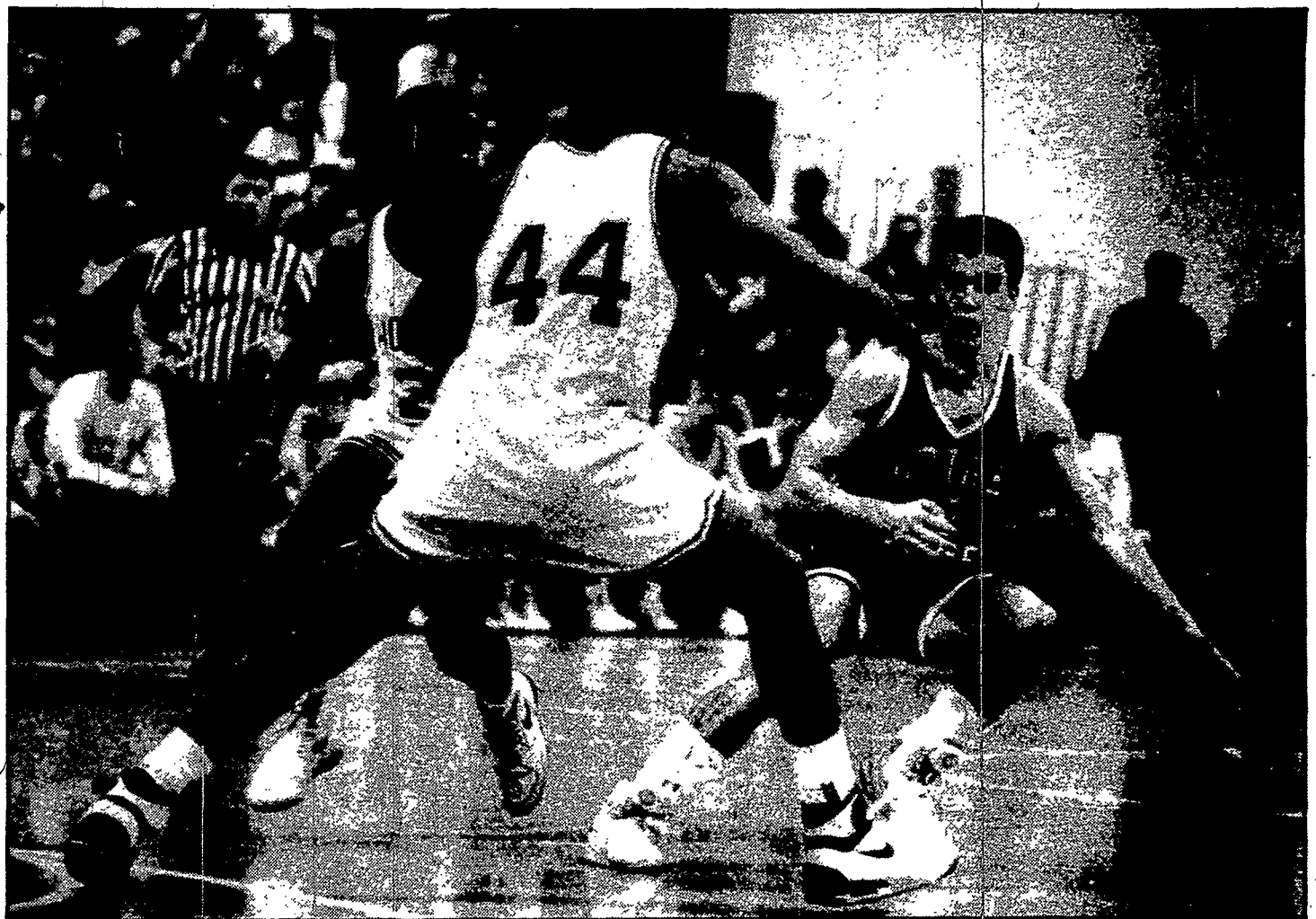
The Kings trailed going into the fourth quarter, but managed to pull into a 62-62 tie by the end of regulation. The score was 65 all at the end of the first overtime, and was knotted at 67 by the end of the second extra period.

Shaun Rhodes, who earned tournament most valuable player honors, canned five three-pointers on his way to a 24-point game. Team scoring honors, however, were taken by Burt Richardson, who registered 25 points.

The Kings survived another close contest in the title game, overcoming host Midlakes 60-52. Rhodes popped in three more three-pointers as part of his team-high 13 points. Rene Ingoglia added 12 points, and Richardson, who joined Rhodes on the all-tournament team, chipped in 11.

Next on the schedule for the Kings was a trip to Geneva to take on DeSales on Jan. 3.

Elmira Notre Dame began the Southside Tournament by beating the host team 68-61 on Dec. 28. But the Crusaders (1-2, 5-4) then fell to St. Peter's of Staten Island 89-64 in the title game on Dec. 30.



Crusader point guard Brian Sheehan, recipient of the Southside Tournament's 'Mr. Hustle Award,' dribbles past Southside forward Todd Brooks and guard Darryl Howard as he directs the Notre Dame attack.

Notre Dame took an early 13-0 lead against Southside (3-6) only to fall behind 45-40 by the beginning of the fourth quarter. Then Geoff Woodworth scored two points off a steal and Mike Bennett hit a three-pointer to tie the game.

After the Crusaders took the lead, Southside tried to come back by fouling, but Notre Dame was hot from the foul line — particularly point-guard Brian Sheehan, who tossed in 10 of 11 attempts to account for his only points of the game.

Bennett led the Crusaders with 24 points. Woodworth added 18, and center Rick Shaw scored 10.

Against St. Peter's (10-1), the Crusaders faced a starting five who were all 6-2 or taller. Except for the 6-7 Shaw, Notre Dame has no players over 6-1.

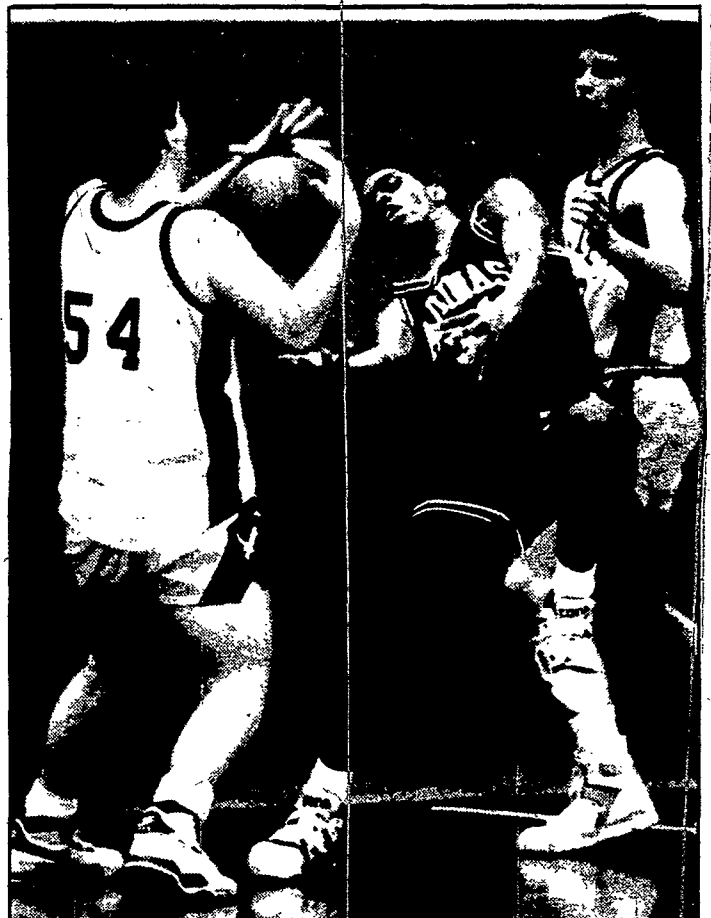
The Crusaders stuck with St. Peter's in the first half, trailing only 39-29 at the intermission.

But Shaw got into foul trouble, and was forced to sit out much of the third quarter. St. Peter's then took control of the game.

Notre Dame was led once again by Bennett, who scored 16 points and was named to the all-tournament team. Woodworth scored 12, and Shaw tallied 11 points and eight rebounds before fouling out.

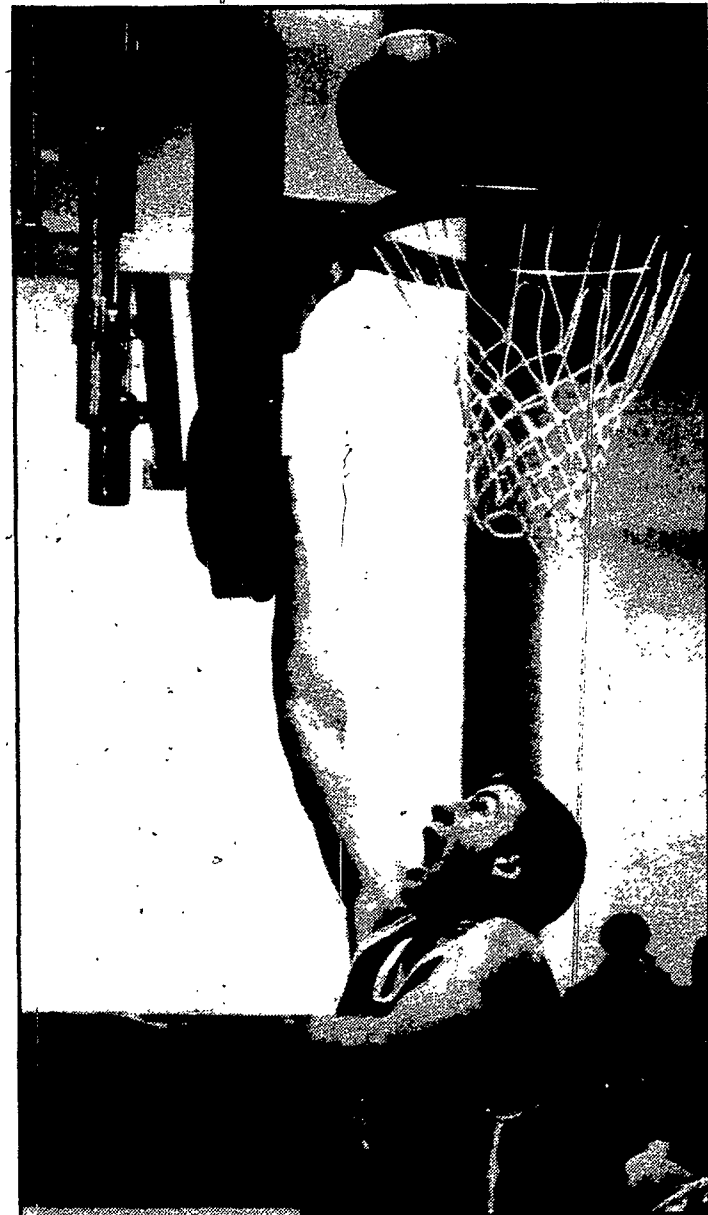
Sheehan, meanwhile, earned the tournament "Mr. Hustle" award.

Notre Dame was scheduled to resume regular season play against league rival Edison on Jan. 2.



Dwayne Postell, who was named to the all-tournament team, steps high as he tries to intercept a pass to Wayne's Kevin Fosdick.

Photos by Babette G. Augustin



Notre Dame center Rick Shaw releases a triumphant yell as he scores two of his 10 points. 6-foot-7-inch Shaw snagged 15 rebounds in the Crusaders' 68-61 win over Southside.

Annual March for Life set for Washington on Jan. 22

ROCHESTER — The annual March for Life in Washington, D.C. is scheduled for Monday, Jan. 22.

Marchers will gather at St. Jude's Church, 4100 Lyell Rd., beginning at 7:30 p.m. for a pro-life video followed by a prayer vigil. Buses will depart from the

parking lot of the church at 10 p.m., and will return to St. Jude's at midnight.

The cost of the trip is \$35. For reservations or information, call Amy Dorscheid, 716/586-3956, or Dee Dries, 334-7562. Checks should be made to Dorscheid and may be sent to 118 Aspen Dr., Rochester, N.Y., 14625.

Retreat planned for Syracuse to feature well-known priest

Father Robert F. Drinan, SJ, a former U.S. Congressman and currently a law professor at Georgetown University, will conduct a weekend retreat for lawyers, judges and business leaders Jan. 19-21.

The cost of the retreat is \$150. For reservations, write Christ the King Retreat House, 500 Brookford Rd., Syracuse, N.Y., 13224, or call 315/446-2680.

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